

	Geographical skills	Rocks, Relics and Rumbles	The United Kingdom
Year 3	 Analyse maps, atlases and globes, including digital mapping, to locate continents and countries. Classify, compare and contrast different types of geographical feature Use four-figure grid references to describe the location of objects and places on a simple map. Explain that primary data is information, often numeric, that is collected through firsthand observation Use the eight points of a compass to locate a geographical feature or place on a map The World Name and describe properties of the Earth's four layers. 	 Name and describe the types, appearance and properties of rocks Describe the activity of plate tectonics and how this has changed the Earth's surface over time Name and locate significant volcanoes and plate boundaries and explain why they are important. Describe the parts of a volcano Classify, compare and contrast different volcanoes. Describe how a volcanic activity has changed a landscape in the short or long term. Explain the physical processes that cause earthquakes Identify the short and long-term consequences of the earthquake 	 Describe the type, purpose and use of different buildings, monuments, services and land, and identify reasons for their location Name, locate and describe some major counties and cities in the UK. Describe the type and characteristics of settlement or land use in an area or region. Describe the meaning of the term 'carbon footprint' and explain some of the ways this can be reduced to protect the environment Explain how the weather affects the use of urban and rural environments





 Describe the activity of plate tectonics and how this has changed the Earth's surface over time 	 Understand the risk of earthquakes and volcanic activity in the area and how to keep safe. 	
 Locate significant places using latitude and longitude 	• Explain why rocks are chosen for particular purposes.	
 Identify the five major climate zones on Earth 		
 Locate countries and major cities in Europe (including Russia) on a world map. 		





	Geographical skills	Misty Mountain, Winding River	The United Kingdom
	 Explain that directions can be given using cardinal and intercardinal compass points. Use four and six-figure grid references and keys to describe 	 Identify the 3 stages of a river Describe the physical features of a river 	 Create a detailed study of geographical features including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers of the UK.
	the location of objects and places on a map. The World	 Locate human and physical features along the river using four or six-figure grid references, symbols and the key. 	 Describe how natural resources can be harnessed to create sustainable energy
Year 4	 Identify the location of the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn on a world map 	 Explain how the physical processes of a river, sea or ocean have changed a landscape over time. 	 Describe a range of human features and their location and explain how they are interconnected.
	 Locate the countries and major cities of North, Central and South America on a world map, atlas or globe 	 Describe and explain the transportation of materials by rivers 	 Explain ways that settlements, land use or water systems are used in the UK and other parts of the world.
	 Explain climatic variations of a country or continent Study and draw conclusions 	 Name, locate and explain the importance of significant mountains or rivers 	
	about North and South America using a range of geographical resources, including maps, atlases, globes and digital mapping	• Explain ways that settlements, land use or water systems are used in the UK and other parts of the world.	





	 Identify, describe and explain the formation of different mountain types Identify the topography of an area of the UK using contour lines on a map. Create a detailed study of a mountainous area in the UK. Name and locate mountain areas around the world. Use specific geographical vocabulary and diagrams to explain the water cycle Describe altitudinal zonation on mountains. Collect and analyse primary and secondary data, identifying and analysing patterns and suggesting reasons for them Describe the properties of different types of soil.
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	Geographical skills	Sow, Grow and Farm	The United Kingdom
Year 5	 Analyse and compare a place, or places, using aerial photographs. atlases and maps Use Ordnance Survey maps to write a description of the local area using the information they have found out from the map. Identify the location and explain the function of the Prime (or Greenwich) Meridian and different time zones (including day and night). 	 Construct or carry out a geographical enquiry by gathering and analysing a range of sources. Describe in detail the different types of agricultural land use in the UK. Explain how the topography and soil type affect the location of different agricultural regions. Describe how soil fertility, drainage and climate affect agricultural land use. 	 Describe the relative location of cities, counties or geographical features in the UK in relation to other places or geographical features. Describe and explain the location, purpose and use of transport networks across the UK and other parts of the world. Describe how the characteristic of a settlement changes as it gets bigger (settlement hierarchy).
	 Name and locate the world's biomes, climate zones and vegetation belts and explain their common characteristics. Identify and describe the similarities and differences in physical and human geography between continents. 	 Identify and describe some key physical features and environmental regions of North and South America and explain how these, along with the climate zones and soil types, can affect land use. Explain how the climate affects land use. 	





 Name, locate and descu world cities. 	ribe major Identify some of the problems of farming in a developing country and report on ways in which 	
 Identify and explain wa people can improve the production of products compromising the need future generations. 	e swithout • Describe and explain the	





	Autumn	Spring	Summer
	Geographical skills	Frozen Kingdoms	The World
	Identify the position and explain the significance of latitude, longitude, equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, the Arctic and Antarctic Circles, the Prime (or Greenwich)	Describe the climatic similarities and differences between two regions. Use grid references, lines of latitude and longitude, contour lines and symbols in maps and on globes to understand and	The United Kingdom Analyse and present increasingly complex data, comparing data from different sources and suggesting why data may
Year 6	Meridian and time zones (including day and night). Use lines of longitude and latitude or grid references to find the position of different geographical areas and features. Use satellite imaging and maps of different scales to find out geographical	record the geography of an area. Identify the position and explain the significance of latitude, longitude, equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, the Arctic and Antarctic Circles, the Prime (or Greenwich) Meridian and time zones (including day and night).	vary. Describe patterns of human population growth and movement, economic activities, space, land use and human settlement patterns of an area of the UK or the wider world.
	information about a place. Use grid references, lines of latitude and longitude, contour lines and symbols in maps and on globes to understand and record the geography of an area. The World	Ask and answer geographical questions and hypotheses using a range of fieldwork and research techniques. Explain how the presence of ice makes the polar oceans different to other oceans on Earth.	
	Explain how climate change affects climate zones and biomes across the world.	Compare and describe physical features of polar landscapes.	





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Describe the physical processes,	climate zones and biomes across the	
including weather, that affect two	world.	
different locations.		
	escribe the distribution of natural	
Evaluate the extent to which climate and	resources in an area or country.	
extreme weather affect how people live.		
	Explain how humans function in the place	
Name, locate and explain the distribution	they live.	
of significant industrial, farming and		
exporting regions around the world.	Present a detailed account of how an	
	industry, including tourism, has changed	
Explain the significance of human-	a place or landscape over time.	
environment relationships and how		
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natural resource management can		
protect natural resources to support life		
on Earth.		

