

Geography long-term plan



	Autumn	Spring	Summer	
EYFS	Exploring the local area Exploring my immediate environment	China A comparison between our country and a different country	The city and the countryside Looking at how different types of land (city and farmland) are different.	
	Space Using digital mapping to look for familiar landmarks	The Arctic An exploration of what life is like in the Arctic		
1	My Local Area Investigating where I live	The UK Exploring the characteristics of the countries in the UK	My Local Area and the UK Exploring our local area and other parts of the United Kingdom	
	Link to prior learning: EYFS 'Exploring the local area'	Link to prior learning: EYFS 'The city and the countryside'		
2	Alaska and Bury Comparison of Bury and Anchorage, Alaska	Kenya and Greater Manchester Comparison of Greater Manchester and Nairobi, Kenya	Alaska and Kenya: A comparison Comparison of Anchorage, Alaska and Nairobi, Kenya	
	Links to prior learning: EYFS 'Exploring the local area' and Year 1 'My Local Area'		Link to prior learning: Year 2 'Alaska and Bury', 'Kenya and Greater Manchester'	
3	The North West Characteristics of the North West (focussing on Lancashire and Greater Manchester) and map reading skills Link to prior learning: Year 1 'My Local Area and the UK', Year 2 'Kenya and Greater Manchester'	Iceland Place knowledge comparison of Capital Region, Iceland and Lancashire	Natural Disasters Earthquakes and volcanoes	
4	What is the water cycle and why is it important? The water cycle	Link to prior learning: Year 3 'The North West' Texas, North America Place knowledge comparison of Texas with London Link to prior learning: Year 1 'The UK'	Earth's Ecosystems: Biomes Exploring the different types of biomes around the world	
5	Mountains and Rivers Mountains and rivers Link to prior learning: Year 4 'The Water Cycle', Y2- Mount Kenya and Scafell Pike	The Amazon and Grizedale: A Forest Comparison Comparison of Grizedale Forest, UK with the Amazon Rainforest, South America Link to prior learning: Year 4 'Earth's Ecosystems: Biomes'	Night and Day Exploring why we have night and day and different seasons around the world	
6	A Regional comparison: North West, England, Capital Region, Iceland and Crete, Greece. Link to prior learning: Year 3 'The North West', 'Iceland' Place knowledge comparison of regions: Capital Region - Iceland, North West- England, Crete- Greece.	Mapping the local area Local map work Link to prior learning: Year 1 'My Local Area', Year 2 'Alaska and Bury'	Trade and Economic activity of the United Kingdom Trade and economics in the UK	