

GEOGRAPHY CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Unit Focus (Autumn 1)		Hot and cold areas of the world	Small area of the UK - where I live and play	The region where I live (UK); OS map-work plus fieldwork in the local area		UK cities, counties and key features - research	World's countries and key features - research
Unit Focus (Autumn 2)					Rubbish and recycling - environmental study	World food - where does food come from?	
Unit Focus (Spring 1)	Describe immediate environments Explain similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries. Draw information from a simple map.		Small area in a contrasting non-European country	Key aspects of volcanoes and earthquakes			
Unit Focus (Spring 2)	Draw information from a simple map.	UK countries and capital cities			Contrasting region in a European country		
Unit Focus (Summer 1)	Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and – when appropriate – maps.	Fieldwork in the school grounds	Seasonal and daily weather	A region in the UK - Lake District	Key aspects of rivers	Contrasting region - Amazon Basin, rainforest, biomes	Human geography, land use, economic activity, OS mapwork
Unit Focus (Summer 2)	Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps.						