

Geography at Monks Orchard

What does it look like?

Objectives in Geography

Year 1



Where do I come from?

- Name, locate and identify the four countries and capitals in the UK and its surrounding seas
- Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK
- Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans
- Identify geographical similarities and differences by studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the UK (local study)

Treasure

- To describe the location of features and routes on a map

Year 2



Weather and climate

- Identify the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the equator and the North and South pole.
- Use simple compass directions and locational directional language

Spain

- Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of an area of the UK and of an area in a contrasting European country
- Locate the main countries in Europe including Russia
- To use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: **physical features** (beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather)
- To use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to **human features** (city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop)

Year 3



Africa

- Locate and identify the continents on a world map
- Identify the longest river in the world and look at erosion
- Locate the countries of Africa
- Identify the largest desert in the world
- Describe and understand key aspects of rivers

<https://www.horniman.ac.uk/resource/africa/>

<https://www.rgs.org/schools/teaching-resources/africa-a-continent-of-contrasts>

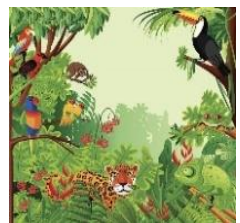
Frozen Land

- Identify the largest polar deserts in the world
- Describe and understand the key aspects of the water cycle
- Identify the position and significance of: the equator, North and South hemispheres, tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic, Antarctic including the North and South Poles and longitude and latitude

<https://www.stem.org.uk/polar-explorer-educational-resources>

<https://discoveringantarctica.org.uk/>

Year 4









Asian adventure

- Identify the highest mountains in the world
- Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography including climate zones, biomass and vegetation belts

Tropical rainforests

- Locate the countries of North, Central and South America on a world map, atlas or globe.
- Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in South America.
- Describe and understand key aspects of: Physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts.

	<p><u>The Romans in Britain</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region in a European country • Compare two different regions: one rural and one urban • Types of settlements in modern Britain including villages, towns and cities • Linking with History, compare land use maps of UK from past with the present focusing on land use <p>https://www.britishmuseum.org/learn/schools/ages-7-11/ancient-rome https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-the-story-of-britain/zj4r7nb</p>
<p>Year 5</p>  	<p><u>Space</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the position and significance of the Greenwich Meridian <p><u>Rivers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locate and name the main counties and cities in England. • (<i>Linking with History, compare land use maps of UK from past with the present, focusing on land use</i>) • Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography including coasts, rivers and the water cycle, including transpiration • Human geography including trade between UK and Europe and the rest of the world
<p>Year 6</p>   	<p><u>WW2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom • On a world map, the main countries Australia/Oceania (key physical and characteristics and major cities) • Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography - land use <p><u>Windrush</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography (seas and oceans) <p><u>Museums</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Look at human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links

