

ORCHARD -Community Trust

Geography

	Locational knowledge and Place knowledge	Human and physical geography Enquiry skills	Geographical concepts/vocab	Using globes, maps, and plans	Map work skills	Fieldwork
Expected by the end of Early years	_	physical geography Enquiry skills Children can use secondary sources – pictures, photos, stories, films to find out about a place Children can describe a place using simple words. Children understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them including the weather. (Early Learning Goals, Understanding of the World. The	• •		Direction/ Location Follow simple directions. Drawing maps Children draw or create own simple picture maps, plans with labels of places they know, or imaginary places/ stories. Children can draw round objects 1:1 to get plan view. Rosie's work - map work	Children can use their senses to observe places. Children can identify simple types of buildings and places around them. They can explore the school grounds. Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. (Early Learning Goals, Understanding of the World. The Natural World. Children can 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. (Early Learning Goals, Understanding of the World. People, Culture and Communities.
		Natural World.				differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. (Early Learning Goals, Understanding of the World. The Natural World.





Expected
by the
end of

Year 1

Children study the geography of their school and its grounds.

Children can recognise and identify the UK on a globe.

Children can name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities that make up the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas.

Children can name and locate the world's 7 continents and 5 oceans and identify that the UK is part of Europe.

Children can respond to questions – like what and where? Children can use observational skills to ask and respond to questions.

Children can identify and talk about seasonal/daily UK weather patterns.

Children can identify physical and human features of their school and its grounds and surrounding environment.

Children to use geographical vocabulary e.g. country, city, landmarks, mountain, river and weather to talk about the UK.

Children to use

geographical

when talking

about maps.

Children can use

vocabulary to

and human

refer to physical

features of their

school and its

grounds and

surrounding

environment.

basic geographical

vocabulary e.g.

near/far up/down

simple

Concepts interwoven in geography topics:

Style of maps

Picture maps and globes.

Using maps

Use a simple picture map to move around the school; Begin to look at digital maps and satellite images to see the school and its grounds.

Recognise maps are about places.

Direction/Location

Children can use locational and directional language (e.g. near and far; left and right) to describe the location of features and routes on a map.

Drawing maps

Draw picture maps of imaginary places and from stories. Developing early map making skills of the school grounds, using aerial viewpoints to help.

Children can add simple information to maps for example, labels and markers.

Children can draw around simple shapes and explain what they are on the map for example, houses.

Children can start to use own symbols in a map.

Children can use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds.

Children can use first hand observation to investigate places - the school grounds.





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			Place			
			Space Scale			
Expected	Dovisit and recon	Children can study	Children can use	Stude of many	Direction/ Location	Children can use first hand observation
by the	Revisit and recap- Children can identify	Children can study the key human and	and understand	Style of maps Find land/sea on globe.	Build on directions from	to investigate places – the school
end of	and name the four	physical features of	basic geographical	Use world base maps.	yr1 and include compass	grounds, the streets around and the
	countries that make	the surrounding	specific vocabulary	Use an infant atlas	directions NSEW.	local area.
	up the United	environment of my	relating to human	Ose all lillalit atlas	directions NSEVV.	local area.
Year 2	Kingdom including	school.	and physical	Using maps	Drawing maps	Children can express their thoughts
	capital cities and	3011001.	geography	Use an infant atlas to locate	Draw a map of a real or	and opinions during fieldwork.
	surrounding seas.	Children	Beography	places.	imaginary place. (e.g. add	and opinions during nelawork.
	Surrounding seasi	understand the	Children can use	Follow a route on a map.	detail to a sketch map	Children can recognise and record
		differences	these specific key	Use a plan view.	from aerial photograph)	different types of land use, buildings
	Children can name the	between a town	vocabulary to	More exposure to digital	, ,	and environments
	city they live in.	and the	describe physical	maps and satellite images		
	children can name	countryside.	features (beach,	(starting from school	Begin to understand the	
	some towns in Stoke- On-Trent.	·	cliff, coast, forest,	grounds, year 1, and zooming	need for a key. Use class	
	On-Trent.		hill, mountain, sea,	out to show the wider city)	agreed symbols to make a	
		Children begin to	ocean, river, soil,		simple key	
	Children can name	explain how/why	valley, vegetation,	Children can identify the		
	and locate hot and	they can find	season, weather)	location of hot and cold areas	Children can use &	
	cold areas of the	information from	key human	of the world in relation to the	construct basic symbols in	
	world in relation to	aerial photographs.	features (city,	Equator and the North and	a key	
	the Equator and the		town, village,	South Poles		
	North and South Pole.		factory, farm,			
			house, office, port,	Children can use aerial		
	Children can		harbour, shop,	photographs and plan		
	understand		address)	perspectives to recognise		
	geographical.		Children are	landmarks and basic human		
	similarities and		Children are	and physical features.		
	differences through		beginning to show some	Children can identify the		
	studying the human &		understanding of	Children can identify the countries, continents and		
	physical geography of		understanding Of	oceans studied.		
	a small area of the UK			oceans studied.		





	& contrasting non-		places near and			
	European country		around the school.			
	(Pakistan).					
			Children continue			
			to develop a wider			
			geographical			
			vocabulary, such			
			as landmark,			
			urban, rural,			
			human, physical			
			features to			
			describe places or			
			geographical			
			features in			
			different ways.			
			Concepts			
			interwoven in			
			geography topics:			
			Place			
			Space			
			Scale			
			Environment			
			Climate (change)			
Expected	Revisit and recap -	Children can	Use geographical	Style of maps	Direction/ Location	Children can use fieldwork to observe,
by the	continents and	identify and	vocabulary when	Begin to use junior	Use 4 compass points to	measure and record some of the
end of	oceans.	compare human	talking about the	atlases.(index/contents)	follow/give directions:	human and physical features in the
	Revisit and recap 4	and physical	UK.	Begin to use Digimaps for	Use letter/no. coordinates	local area using sketch maps and
Year 3	countries of the UK.	features within the		schools	to locate features on a	graphs.
Teal 3		UK.	Develop	Begin to identify features on	map. Introduce 8	
	Children can identify		geographical	aerial/oblique photographs	compass points.	Children can investigate the local area,
	and talk about the	Children can	vocabulary related	Use large scale OS maps.		looking at rivers and canals.
	geography of the UK.	describe the water	to rivers and		Drawing maps	
	geography of the ok.		canals.			





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Children should know	diagram.	Children can use	Locate places on larger scale	short route experienced,	measure and record.
the difference		the correct	maps e.g. map of Europe.	with features in correct	
	Children can use	vocabulary to	Follow a route on a map with	order; Try to make a	
between the United	first hand	describe the	some accuracy. (e.g. whilst	simple scale drawing.	
Kingdom, Great	observational skills	course of a river.	orienteering)		
Britain and the British	to observe the			Know why a key is	
Isles.	source of a river.	Children can use	Use maps and atlases to	needed. Use standard	
		appropriate	locate and identify the four	symbols	
Children can name	Children can	geographical	countries of the UK.		
and locate key	identify key	vocabulary to			
topographical	topographical	explain what a	Use Digimaps, google maps to	Children can use simple	
features of rivers and	features e.g. –	volcano is.	identify rivers in the world	grids with letters and	
mountains within the	rivers		and in the UK.	numbers and 4-figure	
four countries of the		Children will be		coordinates to locate	
UK.	Children can	able to identify		features.	
	describe &	advantages and			
Children can identify	understand key	disadvantages of			
and locate the	aspects of physical	living near a		•	
different regions of	geography, rivers.	volcano.			
the UK. Know which				•	
region they live in.	Children to identify	Concepts			
,	and talk about why	interwoven in			
Children sen emplein	some volcanoes are	geography topics:			
Children can explain	found more often in	Place			
the water cycle.	certain regions of	Space		•	
	the world and how	Scale			
Children can name	this is linked to the	Environment			
some of the different	make-up of the	Environmental			
features of a river.	Earth's interior.	impact			
		Climate (change)			
		Cultural			
Children to compare		Awareness			
and contrast		Interconnections			
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	similarities and differences between the region of the West Midlands to the region Naples Bay in Italy.					
Expected by the end of Year 4	Revisit and recap continents and oceans. Revisit and recap the	Children can describe key aspects of human geography of settlement types,	Children continue to develop a wider geographical vocabulary, using terms such as	Style of map Use junior atlases. Use Digimaps for schools Begin to identify features on aerial/oblique photograph	Direction/ Location Use 4 compass points well: Recap 8 compass points and begin to use	Children can conduct surveys. Children can carry out a simple questionnaire.
	four countries, capital cities and regions of the UK.	land use. Children can identify and talk about settlement	routes, community, clouds, rainfall, key, urban, rural, human, physical to	Use large and medium scale OS maps. Using maps Locate places on large scale	them; Use letter/no. coordinates to locate features on a map confidently. Drawing maps	Children can investigate the local area, looking at types of shops, services and houses.
	Children begin to identify the cities and counties of the UK.	patterns and the way they have changed in the UK in the past.	describe places or geographical features in different ways.	maps, (e.g. Find UK on a globe) Follow a route on a large scale map. Children can locate Europe	Make a map of a short route experienced, with features in correct order; Make a simple scale drawing.	
	Children can locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Northern Europe.	Children can identify similarities & differences of places.		and identify countries in the northern hemisphere. They can identify key physical or human characteristics, countries, and major cities.	Know why a key is needed. Begin to recognise symbols on an OS map.	
	Children know some of the world's countries, looking at Northern Europe, concentrating on all their environmental regions, key physical & human	Children can communicate geog. information in a variety of ways, including through maps and writing at length	Concepts interwoven in geography topics: Place Space Scale Environment	Children are beginning to understand scale and distance on a map, using and applying mathematical skills.		





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	characteristics,		Environmental		
	countries, and major	Children to identify	impact		
	cities.	human and physical	Climate (change)		
		features of North	Cultural		
		America.	Awareness		
	Children understand		Interconnections		
	how some aspects	Children to identify			
	have changed over	and talk about why			
	time.	some earthquakes			
		are found more			
	Children son idontifu	often in certain			
	Children can identify the significance of	regions of the world			
	position of latitude,	and how this is			
	longitude, equator, N	linked to the make-			
	& S Hemisphere,	up of the Earth's interior.			
	Tropics of Cancer &	interior.			
	Capricorn, Arctic				
	Antarctic Circle time				
	zones.				
	Recap - continents				
	and oceans.				
	Children know some				
	of the world's				
	countries, focusing on				
	North America,				
	concentrating on all				
	their environmental				
	regions, key physical				
	& human				
	characteristics,				
	countries, and major				
	cities.				



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Expected by the end of Year 5	Revisit and recap continents and oceans. Revisit and recap the four countries and capital cities in the UK. Revisit - regions, counties and cities of the UK. Children can name/ locate the city, county and region they live in. Children can explain how aspects of their local area have	Children can identify physical and human features of their own environment (Local study) Children can understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the UK (West Midlands) and a region within S. America	Children to use geographical vocabulary to describe the physical attributes of an area. Children introduce precise geographical words when describing geographical places features & processes such as industry, network, region raw material, energy, fuel, power natural resources.	Style of map Use index and contents page within atlases. Use medium scale land ranger OS maps. Use digimaps for schools. Using maps Begin to use atlases to find out about other features of places. (E.g. find countries with a warmer climate.) Compare maps with aerial photographs. Select a map for a specific purpose. (E.g. Pick atlas to find to find Jamaica. OS map to find local village.)	Direction/ Location Use 8 compass points; Begin to use 4 figure coordinates to locate features on a map Drawing maps Begin to draw a variety of thematic maps based on their own data. Draw a sketch map using symbols and a key; Use/recognise OS map symbols. Children use a key to make deductions about landscape/ industry/ features etc.	Children use fieldwork to observe, measure & record human & physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans, graphs & digital technologies. Children can collect, analyse & communicate with range of data gathered in experiences of fieldwork to show Children understand some geographical processes. Children can carry out a focused in depth study, looking at issues/changes in the area.	
	changed over time. Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital	(Southern cone.) Children can describe in detail types of settlement, land use, economic activity and trade links of the continent. (South America)	Concepts interwoven in geography topics: Place Space Scale Environment Environmental impact Cultural	Children can use 1:10.000 and 1:25.000 Ordnance Survey maps. Children realise purpose, scale, symbols and style are related.			

Awareness

Interconnections





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	water in the			
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continent's la	orge cities			
and some of	=			
issues it faces	5.			
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to make a co	mparison			
between a re	gion of			
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within the Uk	((West			
Midlands).				
Children will	be able			
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and the effec	ts of			
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Expecte	Revisit and recap -		Children to use	Style of map	<u>Direction/ Location</u>	Children use fieldwork to observe,
d by the	Children can name/		geographical	Confidently use an atlas.	Use 8 compass points	measure & record human & physical
end of	locate regions, cities	Children can	vocabulary to	Use OS maps- different scales	confidently and	features in the local area using a range
K52	& counties of the UK.	identify physical	describe the	Use Digimaps for Schools.	accurately;	of methods, including sketch maps,
Year 6		and human features	physical attributes	Recognise world map as a	Use 4 figure co-ordinates	plans, graphs& digital technologies.
	Children can name	of their own	of an area.	flattened globe.	confidently to locate	
	and identify countries	environment (Local			features on a map.	Children can collect, analyse &
	in Europe (including	study)	Children can	Using maps	Begin to use 6 figure grid	communicate with range of data
	Russia).	,,	provide greater	Use atlases to find out about	refs; use latitude and	gathered in experiences of fieldwork to
			detail of	other features of places. (e.g.	longitude on atlas maps.	show I under-stand some geographical
		Children use ICT to	geographical	mountain regions,)		processes.
	Children describe and	enhance learning &	regions of the UK	Follow a short route on an OS	Drawing maps	
	make links between	present findings.	& their identifying	map.	Draw a variety of	Children can carry out a focused in
	places & features.		physical and	Describe features shown on	thematic maps based on	depth study, looking at issues/changes
	Comparison between		human	OS map.	their own data.	in the area.
	the Tatra mountains		characteristics	Locate places on a world	Begin to draw plans of	
	in Poland and the		using specific	map.	increasing complexity.	Children can imagine how & why area
	Peak District in Stoke-		geographical			may change in future.
	On- Trent.		vocabulary.	Children can use the eight	Use/recognise OS map	
				points of a compass, symbols	symbols; Use atlas	
	Children give reasons			and key (including the use of	symbols	Children am able to complete a small
	for differences.		Children can	Ordnance Survey maps) to		fieldwork project with detailed
			describe and start	show their knowledge of the		method, and analysis of results.
			to explain	United Kingdom and the		
	Children know more		geographical	wider world.		Children can explain most of the
	about the		processes using			results and show links between them.
	geographical regions		the correct	Children know that 6 figure		
	of the UK & their		terminology.	Grid References can help you		
	identifying physical		0,	find a place more accurately		
	and human		Concepts	than 4- figure coordinates.		
	characteristics,		interwoven in			
			geography topics:	Using Digimap the children to		
	Revisit and recap		Place	demonstrate the following		
	natural disasters		Space	skills:		
	including		- Space	* zoom in and out of a map.		





earthquakes,	Scale	*draw a simple route.	1
tsunamis and	Environment	* highlight areas.	l
volcanoes. Their	Environmental	* add an image to a map.	l
location and links to	impact		1
the physical	Cultural		I
geography in those	Awareness	Children realise purpose,	l
locations and human	Interconnections	scale, symbols and style are	l
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		appropriate maps resources	1
		to find and show detailed	l
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