

Geography Curriculum 2023 - 2024

Year Group	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Our Place in the world -Where are we in the world -The United Kingdom (The UK countries and capitals, Seas and Oceans) -The North East region -Where is the UK in relation to other countries?	Weather and seasons -Different types of weather -The four seasons -Weather in the UK -Investigating the climate (FW)	My school and where I live -Settlements in the UK (Differences between villages, towns and cities) -Where do I live? -Human and physical features of where I live (FW) -Where is our school?(FW) - What places are there in our school? (FW)
2	Our World - Continents and Oceans - Why is the weather different in different places - Climate extremes (The North/South Poles) - Climate Extremes (The Desert)	What's it like in Africa? A Non EU country study - Where is Africa? - What is Africa Like? - What is Africa famous for? - Compare Physical and human features of Africa to the UK.	Mapping and fieldwork -A local area study -Physical and Human Features of Ashington - How parts of Ashington have changed over time (e.g High street/Park)
3	where I live -where are we in the world? - Continents and oceans - Settlements in the UK	Changing jobs - Different types of jobs - How jobs are changing (FW) - Who do we trade with?	Water and the water cycle The water cycle Who uses water Problems with water



	- H and P geography of UK - Problems in towns and cities - Problems in the countryside	- Jobs for the future	- Solving the water problem
4	Focus on Europe -Where is Europe? -What is it like in Spain? -Comparing physical and human features of Spain to the UK	Resources and trade - Food around the world - Minerals around the world - Who do we trade with? Trading in the future	Rivers and Mountains - Mountain landscapes in the UK - Features of mountain landscapes - Long profile of the river - River landforms
5	Climate from around the world -Understanding climate and the equator - Climate zones around the world - Hot deserts -Temperate climates - Cold environments	Energy - Why do we need energy? - Non – renewable – what's the problem? - Renewable energy – looking to the future - Conserving energy	Coasts - The NE coast - Famous coastlines - Erosion on the coast - The disappearing coast
Ģ	Hazardous World - Structure of the Earth - Plate boundaries - Earthquakes - Volcanoes - Protecting against hazards	Ecosystems -Global ecosystems -What is an ecosystem? -Physical features of the RF -Human features of the RF -Future of the RF	 Map Skills (A local field study) - Map symbols - Giving directions - 4 and 6 figure grid references - Height on a map