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Year 3 - Topic 1 – Local study and UK					
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National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
Human and physical geography describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Geographical skills and fieldwork use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world 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 technologies.	Natural disasters Understand extreme weather can negatively impact human settlement. Relate to current experience e.g. Storm Eunice. Weather and climate Understand in England that there are 4 seasons which have different weather. Know that weather in different parts of the world. Types of settlement as a place where humans have chosen to live and build communities. Trade / distribution of resources Understand trade as the process of buying and selling goods. Human impact Understand that humans impact the natural environment both positively and negatively. Reflect on the visible impact of humans in their locality. Consider the personal changes they could make to lessen their impact on the immediate environment. Culture Explore the concept of culture relevant to themselves. Consider the factors which influence their own culture. Explore how people present their culture. Begin to identify similarities and differences between their culture and the culture	Scale and Distance Begin to match boundaries (E.g. find same boundary of a country on different scale maps.) Perspective Begin to draw a sketch map from a high view point. Map Knowledge Begin to identify points on maps A,B and C Using different map styles Use large scale OS maps. Begin to use map sites on internet. Begin to use junior atlases. Begin to identify features on aerial/oblique photographs. Field work — Observing, measuring presenting Draw and use more detailed field sketches and diagrams, using symbols for a key Observe, measure and record the human features in the local area responding to a range of geographical questions Locate appropriate information, needed for a task, from a source material	Conduct field work around the school environment to find human and physical features. Record in a table or on a map. Create a map to help locate the school within Iver. Use a map to help identify the River Thames. Understand where the River Thames is in relation to my school and identify the mouth and source. Name the countries of the UK and give their position in relation to Iver using N, S, E and W compass points. Use a map to identify hills and mountains in the UK. Compare the heights of the highest mountains in the UK using a bar chart or pictogram. Name and locate the capital cities of the countries in the UK. Begin to explain what a capital city is. Explore the impact that humans have upon the natural environment in the UK. Begin to discuss what we could do to improve it.	ocean sea river mouth source hills seasons atlas map key elevation contour lines Currency Pound Sterling Euro Trade Landmark North South East West Position Direction

Year 3 - Topic 2 - Continents of the world

National Curriculum	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential
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Locational knowledge locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time lidentify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night) Place knowledge understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Continents Name and locate the continents of the world Countries Know that countries are found within continents. Consolidate understanding of the UK as an Island that countries that make up the UK. Know that countries have capital cities and that is where their government is based. Time zones Understand the difference between night and day. Know that in the UK there are 2 time zones (BST, GMT). Similarity and difference Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between different areas of the UK. Identify and differences name geographical similarities between their locality (Iver) and different areas of the UK and Europe—including physical features such as rivers, hills, mountains and human features including settlements and land use. Hills and mountains Know that hills and mountains are area of higher ground Volcanoes Understand that a volcano is an opening of the earth's crust and that there are different volcanoes. Oceans and seas Name the 5 oceans Define an ocean as the largest area of water Understand that continents separate oceans Rivers Define a river as a body of water with a current.	Geographical enquiry Begin to ask/initiate geographical questions. Use NF books, stories, atlases, pictures/photos and internet as sources of information. Investigate places and themes at more than one scale Begin to collect and record evidence Analyse evidence and begin to draw conclusions e.g. make comparisons between two locations using photos/ pictures, temperatures in different locations. Direction/Location Use 4 compass points to follow/give directions: Use letter/no. co-ordinates to locate features on a map. Drawing maps Try to make a map of a short route experienced, with features in correct order; Try to make a simple scale drawing. Representation on maps Know why a key is needed. Use standard symbols. Using Maps Locate places on larger scale maps e.g. map of Europe. Follow a route on a map with some accuracy. (e.g. whilst orienteering)	Name and locate the continents of the world using compass point directions in relation to the UK. Identify seas and oceans and their location and proximity to the continents of the world. Use maps and atlases to identify mountain ranges and locate mountain ranges on the continents of the world. Use maps and atlases to identify and locate rivers on the continents of the world. Identify the mouth and source of some of these rivers. Explain what a volcano is and locate them on maps. Identify continents that have more volcanoes and those that have less.	Human features Physical features Settlement Village Town City County Region Country Continent harbour port farm factory Border weather beach coastline mountain valley cliff

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Year 3 - Topic 3 - Europe

National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
Locational knowledge locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time lidentify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night) Place knowledge understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Continents Name and locate the continents of the world Countries Know that countries are found within continents. Consolidate understanding of the UK as an Island that countries that make up the UK. Know that countries have capital cities and that is where their government is based. Time zones Understand the difference between night and day. Know that in the UK there are 2 time zones (BST, GMT). Similarity and difference Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between different areas of the UK. Identify and differences name geographical similarities between their locality (Iver) and different areas of the UK and Europe – including physical features such as rivers, hills, mountains and human features including settlements and land use. Hills and mountains Know that hills and mountains are area of higher ground Volcanoes Understand that a volcano is an opening of the earth's crust and that there are different volcanoes. Oceans and seas Name the 5 oceans Define an ocean as the largest area of water Understand that continents separate oceans Rivers Define a river as a body of water with a current.	Geographical enquiry Begin to ask/initiate geographical questions. Use NF books, stories, atlases, pictures/photos and internet as sources of information. Investigate places and themes at more than one scale Begin to collect and record evidence Analyse evidence and begin to draw conclusions e.g. make comparisons between two locations using photos/pictures, temperatures in different locations. Direction/Location Use 4 compass points to follow/give directions: Use letter/no. co-ordinates to locate features on a map. Drawing maps Try to make a map of a short route experienced, with features in correct order; Try to make a simple scale drawing. Representation on maps Know why a key is needed. Use standard symbols. Using Maps Locate places on larger scale maps e.g. map of Europe. Follow a route on a map with some accuracy. (e.g. whilst orienteering)	Continents of the world Locate Europe on a range of sources (atlas, world map, globe) and use compass points to give position relevant to the UK. Identify the oceans and seas that surround European countries. Understand that some counties in Europe border the sea and some border other countries. Name these as coastal or landlocked. Use maps to identify the Alps in Europe and the countries they are within. Identify heights of different mountains within this range and present the data to compare the heights. Investigate the volcano, Mount Etna. Explain the impact the eruptions have on plants, animals and humans. Explore the weather and climate in different European countries and how they compare to the UK. Identify extreme weather that occurs in Europe and relate to my own experience e.g. Wildfires, Storm Eunice etc. Identify the main trade that occurs in Europe	Human features Physical features Settlement Village Town City County Region Country Continent harbour port farm factory Border weather beach coastline mountain valley cliff

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National Curriculum	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary
statements (KS2)				(Use and define)
Human and physical geography describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Geographical skills and fieldwork use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world 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 technologies.	Natural disasters Understand extreme weather can negatively impact human settlement. Relate to current experience e.g. Storm Eunice. Weather and climate Understand in England that there are 4 seasons which have different weather. Know that weather in different parts of the world. Types of settlement and land use Describe a settlement as a place where humans have chosen to live and build communities. Trade / distribution of resources Understand trade as the process of buying and selling goods. Human impact Understand that humans impact the natural environment both positively and negatively. Reflect on the visible impact of humans in their locality. Consider the personal changes they could make to lessen their impact on the immediate environment. Culture Explore the concept of culture relevant to themselves. Consider the factors which influence their own culture. Explore how people present their culture. Begin to identify similarities and differences between their culture and the culture	Scale and Distance Begin to match boundaries (E.g. find same boundary of a country on different scale maps.) Perspective Begin to draw a sketch map from a high view point. Map Knowledge Begin to identify points on maps A,B and C Using different map styles Use large scale OS maps. Begin to use map sites on internet. Begin to use junior atlases. Begin to identify features on aerial/oblique photographs. Field work — Observing, measuring presenting Draw and use more detailed field sketches and diagrams, using symbols for a key Observe, measure and record the human features in the local area responding to a range of geographical questions Locate appropriate information, needed for a task, from a source material	Locate Europe on a range of sources (atlas, world map, globe) and use compass points to give position relevant to the UK. Identify the oceans and seas that surround European countries. Understand that some counties in Europe border the sea and some border other countries. Name these as coastal or landlocked. Use maps to identify the Alps in Europe and the countries they are within. Identify heights of different mountains within this range and present the data to compare the heights. Investigate the volcano, Mount Etna. Explain the impact the eruptions have on plants, animals and humans. Explore the weather and climate in different European countries and how they compare to the UK. Identify extreme weather that occurs in Europe and relate to my own experience e.g. Wildfires, Storm Eunice etc. Identify the main trade that occurs in Europe	sea river mouth source hills seasons atlas map key elevation contour lines Mediterranean Atlantic Ocean Arctic ocean Island Landlocked country North South East West Position Direction

Year 4 - Topic 1 - Africa 1						
National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)		
Locational knowledge locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night) Place knowledge understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Continents Define a continent as a continuous expanse of land. Give the position of continents in relation to themselves. Countries Describe some countries as landlocked and some countries as Islands. Identify this using a map relative to area studied. Understand that countries are divided into regions. Understand the difference between urban and rural areas. Latitude and longitude Know that latitude and longitude help to describe the position of places on earth. Relate latitude to the direction of East — West Relate longitude to the direction North — South Hemispheres Know that the world can be divided into the North and South hemisphere. Equator Know that the equator is an imaginary line that divides the world into hemispheres. Time zones Describe how day and night changes in the UK when the time zone changes. Know that the time in the UK is not the same as the time in other countries. Calculate the time difference between the UK and countries studied. Similarity and difference Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between their locality (Iver) and areas studied (Africa) Identify similarities and differences in each area of human and physical geography studied. Hills and mountains Know that hills and mountains are measured in metres above sea level. Compare the heights of different mountains and hills in places studied. Volcanoes Name and locate key volcanoes., Describe the difference between dormant, active and extinct volcano. Describe the impact of a volcanic eruption. Oceans and seas Understand the difference between oceans and seas in relation to position. Begin to understand the expanse of oceans and seas in the world. Understand the position of oceans relative to continents and countries studied (using N, S, E, W)	Geographical enquiry Ask and respond to questions and offer their own ideas. Extend to satellite images, aerial photographs Investigate places and themes at more than one scale Collect and record evidence with some aid Analyse evidence and draw conclusions e.g. make comparisons between locations photos/pictures/maps Direction/Location Use 4 compass points well: Begin to use 8 compass points; Use letter/no. co-ordinates to locate features on a map confidently. Drawing maps Make a map of a short route experienced, with features in correct order; Make a simple scale drawing. Representation on maps Know why a key is needed. Begin to recognise symbols on an OS map. Using Maps Locate places on large scale maps, (e.g. Find UK or India on globe) Follow a route on a large-scale map.	Know that Africa is a continent. Locate the continent of Africa in relation to the UK using compass points. Explore how the movement of plates caused the continent of Africa to be formed. Identify the oceans and seas that surround Africa and identify the countries in Africa that are landlocked and those that are coastal. Identify major mountain ranges within Africa and begin to describe how the movement of plates has led to their formation. Identify the volcanoes within Africa and name the key parts of them.	Physical Geography Human Geography Africa Continent Tectonic Plate Climate Weather Savannah Rainforest Grasslands Biomes Colonisation Mining Farming Settlements Pangaea Permian Triassic Jurassic Cretaceous Continental Drift Mountains Countries Currency Capital City Flag Population Life Expectancy		

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National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
Human and physical geography describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Geographical skills and fieldwork use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world 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 technologies.	Rivers Understand that a river has a source and a mouth. Describe the location of the source and mouth of rivers in relation to mountains and oceans. Explain that rivers in area change over time Natural disasters Describe a natural disaster as a natural event that can cause damage, loss or devastation. Name some types of natural disasters. Weather and climate Understand the link between weather and natural disasters. Describe the impact the position of a country has on its weather and climate. Types of settlement and land use Know that within countries there are different types of settlement (city, town, village, hamlet) Trade / distribution of resources Trade and distribution of resources Describe the term import and export. Describe the main areas of trade in places studied. Human impact Begin to understand the wider impact of human behaviour. Know that human impact can be felt beyond their locality. Explore places that reflect this e.g. Henderson island. Consider the personal changes they could make to limit their impact on more distant environments. Culture Develop a clear understanding of the cultures represented within their class community. Compare and contrast the culture of themselves to those living in places studied. Describe how people represent their culture in areas studied using a variety of resources. Discuss the need to be respectful of the culture of others.	Scale and Distance Begin to match boundaries (E.g. find same boundary of a county on different scale maps.) Perspective Draw a sketch map from a high view point. Map Knowledge Begin to identify significant places and environments Using different map styles Use large and medium scale OS maps. Use junior atlases. Use map sites on internet. Identify features on aerial/oblique photographs. Field work — Observing, measuring presenting Accurately measure and collect information (e.g. rainfall, temperature, wind speed, noise levels etc.) Suggest which source material to use for a specific task, locating the information needed Suggest where in the world an aerial photo or satellite image shows, explaining reasons for their suggestions	Know that Africa is a continent. Locate the continent of Africa in relation to the UK using compass points. Explore how the movement of plates caused the continent of Africa to be formed. Identify the oceans and seas that surround Africa and identify the countries in Africa that are landlocked and those that are coastal. Identify major mountain ranges within Africa and begin to describe how the movement of plates has led to their formation. Identify the volcanoes within Africa and name the key parts of them.	Physical Geography Human Geography Africa Continent Tectonic Plate Climate Weather Savannah Rainforest Grasslands Biomes Colonisation Mining Farming Settlements Pangaea Permian Triassic Jurassic Cretaceous Continental Drift Mountains Countries Currency Capital City Flag Population Life Expectancy

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National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
Locational knowledge locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities laname and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time lidentify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night) Place knowledge understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Continents Define a continent as a continuous expanse of land. Give the position of continents in relation to themselves. Countries Describe some countries as landlocked and some countries as Islands. Identify this using a map relative to area studied. Understand that countries are divided into regions. Understand the difference between urban and rural areas. Latitude and longitude Know that latitude and longitude help to describe the position of places on earth. Relate latitude to the direction of East — West Relate longitude to the direction North — South Hemispheres Know that the world can be divided into the North and South hemisphere. Equator Know that the equator is an imaginary line that divides the world into hemispheres. Time zones Describe how day and night changes in the UK when the time zone changes. Know that the time in the UK is not the same as the time in other countries. Calculate the time difference between the UK and countries studied. Similarity and difference Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between their locality (Iver) and areas studied (Africa) Identify similarities and differences in each area of human and physical geography studied. Hills and mountains Know that hills and mountains are measured in metres above sea level. Compare the heights of different mountains and hills in places studied. Volcanoes Name and locate key volcanoes., Describe the difference between dormant, active and extinct volcano. Describe the difference between oceans and seas in relation to position. Begin to understand the expanse of oceans and seas in the world. Understand the position of oceans relative to continents and countries studied (using N, S, E, W)	Geographical enquiry Ask and respond to questions and offer their own ideas. Extend to satellite images, aerial photographs Investigate places and themes at more than one scale Collect and record evidence with some aid Analyse evidence and draw conclusions e.g. make comparisons between locations photos/pictures/maps Direction/Location Use 4 compass points well: Begin to use 8 compass points; Use letter/no. co-ordinates to locate features on a map confidently. Drawing maps Make a map of a short route experienced, with features in correct order; Make a simple scale drawing. Representation on maps Know why a key is needed. Begin to recognise symbols on an OS map. Using Maps Locate places on large scale maps, (e.g. Find UK or India on globe) Follow a route on a large-scale map.	Explore the difference in weather and climate across Africa and begin to relate this to the position in the world. Investigate extreme weather and natural disasters which can occur in Africa and the impact upon plants, animals and humans. Describe settlement in Africa today and how this has changed over time, begin to understand the movement of people in the past and colonisation that occurred. Discuss the difficulties this caused people who lived in African countries. Understand how language and culture differs across African countries and how this links to their past. Investigate trade in Africa and the importance of the 'fair trade' movement. Identify ways in which we can support fair trade. Understand key environmental concerns within Africa and how they can be supported.	Natural Disaster Population Flood Earthquake Hurricane Wildfires Drought Tornado Storm Famine Western Africa Nigeria Economy Culture Southern Africa Forna Flora Adapted Habitat Biomes Physical Geography Human Geography Africa Continent Apartheid Nelson Mandela National Park City Mountain Slum Safari Albany Thicket Succulent Karro savanna Nama Karoo Grassland Fynbos Forest

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National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
Human and physical geography describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Geographical skills and fieldwork use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world 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 technologies.	Rivers Understand that a river has a source and a mouth. Describe the location of the source and mouth of rivers in relation to mountains and oceans. Explain that rivers in area change over time Natural disasters Describe a natural disaster as a natural event that can cause damage, loss or devastation. Name some types of natural disasters. Weather and climate Understand the link between weather and natural disasters. Describe the impact the position of a country has on its weather and climate. Types of settlement and land use Know that within countries there are different types of settlement (city, town, village, hamlet) Trade / distribution of resources Trade and distribution of resources Describe the term import and export. Describe the main areas of trade in places studied. Human impact Begin to understand the wider impact of human behaviour. Know that human impact can be felt beyond their locality. Explore places that reflect this e.g. Henderson island. Consider the personal changes they could make to limit their impact on more distant environments. Culture Develop a clear understanding of the cultures represented within their class community. Compare and contrast the culture of themselves to those living in places studied. Describe how people represent their culture in areas studied using a variety of resources. Discuss the need to be respectful of the culture of others.	Scale and Distance Begin to match boundaries (E.g. find same boundary of a county on different scale maps.) Perspective Draw a sketch map from a high view point. Map Knowledge Begin to identify significant places and environments Using different map styles Use large and medium scale OS maps. Use junior atlases. Use map sites on internet. Identify features on aerial/oblique photographs. Field work — Observing, measuring presenting Accurately measure and collect information (e.g. rainfall, temperature, wind speed, noise levels etc.) Suggest which source material to use for a specific task, locating the information needed Suggest where in the world an aerial photo or satellite image shows, explaining reasons for their suggestions	Explore the difference in weather and climate across Africa and begin to relate this to the position in the world. Investigate extreme weather and natural disasters which can occur in Africa and the impact upon plants, animals and humans. Describe settlement in Africa today and how this has changed over time, begin to understand the movement of people in the past and colonisation that occurred. Discuss the difficulties this caused people who lived in African countries. Understand how language and culture differs across African countries and how this links to their past. Investigate trade in Africa and the importance of the 'fair trade' movement. Identify ways in which we can support fair trade.	South Africa Eastern Africa Tanzania Maasai Tribe Serengeti Urban Rural Mount Kilimanjaro River Northern Africa Morocco

Year 4 - Topic 3 - Ghana

National Curriculum statements (KS2)	Key Concepts	Key Skills	Topic specific knowledge	Essential vocabulary (Use and define)
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and North and South America,
concentrating on their
environmental regions, key
physical and human characteristics,
countries, and major cities
name and locate counties and
cities of the United Kingdom,
geographical regions and their
identifying human and physical
characteristics, key topographical
features (including hills,
mountains, coasts and rivers), and
land-use patterns; and understand
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changed over time
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significance of latitude, longitude,
Equator, Northern Hemisphere,
Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics
of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and
Antarctic Circle, the
Prime/Greenwich Meridian and
time zones (including day and
night)

Place knowledge

understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America

Key Concepts

Key Skills

Topic specific knowledge

Essential vocabulary (Use and define)

Continents

Recognise the continents of the world in different representations. Understand how continents have been formed and the land of earth has changed over time.

Countries

Begin to explore the idea of transcontinental countries which are located within more than one continent.

Describe different types of countries such as archipelagos.

Latitude and longitude

Identify lines of longitude and latitude on different representations (maps, atlases, globes)

Understand that these are imaginary lines and not visible on earth.

Hemispheres

Describe which hemisphere countries and continents studied are in.

Equator

Explore the differences between countries that are close to the equator line and those that are far from the equator line.

Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn

Know that the tropic of cancer marks the northern edge of the area known as the tropics.

Know that the tropic of Capricorn marks the southern edge of the area known as the tropics.

Arctic and Antarctic circle

Know that the Arctic circle is in the north and the Antarctic circle is in the south.

Time zones

Understand what happens to cause night and day. Use this to begin to explain why different countries have different time zones.

Similarity and difference

Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between their locality (Iver) and areas studied (Asia) Identify similarities and differences in each area of human and physical geography studied and begin to apply their location knowledge to give reasons for differences identified.

Hills and mountains

Know that the landscape of earth has changed over time. Understand that the landscape of earth has changed over time as result of the movement of tectonic plates

Volcanoes

Understand the cause of a volcanic eruption. Know and name the different parts of a volcano.

Oceans and seas

Understand the difference between oceans and seas in relation to position.

Begin to understand the expanse of oceans and seas in the world. Understand the position of oceans relative to continents and countries studied (using N, S, E, W)

Geographical enquiry

Begin to suggest questions for investigating Begin to use primary and secondary sources of evidence in their investigations.

Investigate places with more emphasis on the larger scale; contrasting and distant places Collect and record evidence unaided Analyse evidence and draw conclusions e.g. compare historical maps of varying scales e.g. temperature of various locations influence on people/everyday life

Direction/Location

Use 8 compass points; Begin to use 4 figure co-ordinates to locate features on a map.

Drawing maps

Begin to draw a variety of thematic maps based on their own data.

Representation on maps

Draw a sketch map using symbols and a kev: Use/recognise OS map symbols.

Using Maps

Compare maps with aerial photographs. Select a map for a specific purpose. (E.g. Pick atlas to find Taiwan, OS map to find local village.) Begin to use atlases to find out about other features of places. (e.g. find wettest part of the world)

Know the position of China relative to the UK using compass points. Know the location of Asia in relation to longitude and latitude. Locate Asia using grid references. Identify the different landscapes of China using a map/atlas. Identify major mountain ranges in China. Describe the different parts of mountains and begin to describe their formation in relation to movement of tectonic plates. Use scale on maps and other representations such as contour lines to identify the heights of mountains in China. Locate major rivers in china and the key parts of rivers previously studied. Describe how erosion has caused meanders to form in rivers and how this has changed the landscape of China over time.

Explore the settlement of people in China and how this has changed over time. Explore the different types of settlement in China today and how this differs. Link settlements in China to key trade and economic development.

Location World Continent Country Position Border Population Landscape Mountains Desert Grassland Frozen tundra Desertification Environmental impact Settlement Culture **Economic** Local **Import** Export Surplus Disaster Natural **Impact** Source Mouth Tributary Bay Floodplain Basin Erosion

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Upstream

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Understand the position of oceans relative to continents and

countries studied (using N, S, E, W)

Essential vocabulary (Use and define)

County Country Continent Landscape

Land use Agriculture residential

Tourism
Settlement
Metropolis
Conurbation
Trade
Import
Export
Environment
Pollution
Air quality
Emissions
Landmarks

Physical features

Conservation area

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Year 5 – Topic 2 – Local Area Study

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Understand the position of oceans relative to continents and

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	Name and describe the different types of volcano. Oceans and seas

Geographical enquiry

Suggest questions for investigating

Key Skills

Use primary and secondary sources of evidence in their investigations.

Investigate places with more emphasis on the larger scale; contrasting and distant places

Collect and record evidence unaided

Analyse evidence and draw conclusions e.g. from field work data on land use comparing land use/temperature, look at patterns and explain reasons behind it

Direction/Location

Use 8 compass points confidently and accurately; Use 4 figure co-ordinates confidently to locate features on a map. Begin to use 6 figure grid refs; use latitude and longitude on atlas maps

Drawing maps

Draw a variety of thematic maps based on their own data. Begin to draw plans of increasing complexity.

Representation on maps

Use/recognise OS map symbols; Use atlas symbols.

Using Maps

Follow a short route on an OS map. Describe features shown on OS map. Locate places on a world map. Use atlases to find out about other features of places. (e.g. mountain regions, weather patterns)

South America

Know the position and location of South America in relation to themselves and other places studied. Describe location in relation to which hemisphere and proximity to the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn and the equator. Identify countries within South America and name those that are coastal and landlocked. Identify and name seas and oceans surrounding South America.

Understand the different climates in South America and how this relates to its position within the world.

In depth study of the Amazon river identifying the countries it flows through. Identify different features of the river from previous study on rivers (mouth, source, tributaries, streams, meanders etc). Identify oxbow lakes that have been formed along the Amazon river and how they were formed.

Explore the location of South America in relation to the 'ring of fire' and explain how this relates to volcanoes. Identify active and dormant volcanoes across the region

Topic specific knowledge

Continent Country Territory Border Region State Topographical Human geography Physical geography Mountain range Elevation Tectonic plates Volcano

Magma

Eruption

Molten rock

Lava

Essential vocabulary (Use and define)

Active Dormant Extinct Population **Population density** Culture Trade Industry **Product** Export Import Source Mouth Tributary Bay Floodplain Basin Erosion Meander Upstream

Downstream

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Compare and contrast the continents of the world to areas studied in Year 6. Countries Consolidate understanding of the different types of countries and land formation. Draw on previous knowledge to compare and contrast countries studied. Latitude and longitude Begin to locate countries using lines of longitude and latitude. Hemispheres Understand the differences in climate and weather in different hemispheres. Equator Describe the equator as 0 Make predictions about countries studied based on its proximity to the equator Tropics of Understand the origin of the names of the tropics. Describe where the tropic of cancer and the tropic of Capricorn is in relation to continents, countries and oceans studied. Use their position to explain the likely climate. Cancer and Capricorn Arctic and Antarctic circle Use understanding of position and location to decide the likely climates in the arctic and Antarctic circle. Time zones Understand that larger continents e.g. North America can have multiple different time zones. Consolidate understanding of a country position in relation to time zone. Similarity and difference Identify and name geographical similarities and differences between their locality (Iver) and areas studied (North and South America) Identify similarities and differences in each area of human and physical geography studied and give geographically reasonable justification for differences identified by applying location knowledge. Hills and mountains Describe the process of mountain formation Volcanoes Understand that there are different types of volcanic eruption and lava flow. Name and describe the different types of volcano. Oceans and seas	Suggest questions for investigating Use primary and secondary sources of evidence in their investigations. Investigate places with more emphasis on the larger scale; contrasting and distant places Collect and record evidence unaided Analyse evidence and draw conclusions e.g. from field work data on land use comparing land use/temperature, look at patterns and explain reasons behind it Direction/Location Use 8 compass points confidently and accurately; Use 4 figure co-ordinates confidently to locate features on a map. Begin to use 6 figure grid refs; use latitude and longitude on atlas maps Drawing maps Drawing maps Draw a variety of thematic maps based on their own data. Begin to draw plans of increasing complexity. Representation on maps Use/recognise OS map symbols; Use atlas symbols. Using Maps Follow a short route on an OS map. Describe features shown on OS map. Locate places on a world map. Use atlases to find out about other features of places. (e.g. mountain regions, weather patterns)	Know the location of Brazil in relation to themselves and other places studied. Identify capital and major cities within Brazil and surrounding seas and oceans. Apply understanding of location in relation to Tropics and equator and relate this to climate and weather, including extreme weather and natural disasters. Study the Sugarloaf Mountain in Rio de Janeiro. Identify on a variety of sources and understand height and position comparatively to other known mountains. Label the parts of the mountains and explain how it was formed relative to the movement of tectonic plates. Understand different settlements in Brazil and compare and contrast rural to urban areas. Compare the settlements to known settlements in their life. Explore the formation of culture in Brazil and look at famous festivals eg carnival. Develop an understanding of trade in Brazil and the different levels of economic development within the country. Investigate the fair trade movement and the impact this has on coffee farmers in the country.	Population density Border Region State Pantanal Human geography Physical geography Landscape Amazon basin Wetlands Highlands Topographical Land elevation Sea level Biodiversity Biomes Rainforest Tropical Forest floor Understorey Canopy Layer Emergent layer Species Native Tribespeople Deforestation Urban Rural Urbanisation Favela Shanty town Tourism Tourist Destination

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Year 6 – Topic 3 – North America

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