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Sunnybrow Primary School

Geography Vocabulary Progression Document



Locational and Place Knowledge

EYFS (Hear)	Year 1 (Use)	Year 2 (Use)	Year 3 (Use)	Year 4 (Use)	Year 5 (Use and Define)	Year 6 (Use and Define)
	Class 2		Class 3		Class 4	
Environment Place Home World Town Local Area Earth Journey	Similarities, differences, explore, photographs, maps, continent, atlas, globe, equator, human, physical, weather, lifestyles.		River, waterway, source, tributary, watershed, floodplain, channel, ox-box lake, riverbank, estuary, confluence, flow, mouth, silt, River Nile, River Amazon, atlas, climate change, continent, course, current, delta, deposition, erosion, estuary lake, meander, pollution, sedimentary, spring, stream, water-cycle, waterfall, vegetation, coast, sea, beach Spain, Europe, Mediterranean, Madrid, Barcelona, Catalonia, Mediterranean Sea, culture, tradition. South West, UK, County Durham, Yorkshire, Cumbria, Northumbria, Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, River Tyne, landmark, population, architecture, tourism, culture, transport, settlement, community, landscape, urban, rural.		Biome, climate, de-forestation, equator, vegetation, global natural resources, pollution, tropics, tropical climate, climate change Arctic circle, biome, climate, climate zone, continent, degrees, equator, human, geography, humid, latitude, longitude, Northern Hemisphere, ocean, physical geography, prime meridian, Southern Hemisphere, temperate, time zone, tropics. Atlas, confluence, continent, course, current, delta, deposition, erosion, estuary, lake, meander, mouth, ocean, pollution, sedimentary, source, spring, stream, tributary, water cycle, waterfall, vegetation.	

Human Geography

EYFS (Hear)	Year 1 (Use)	Year 2 (Use)	Year 3 (Use)	Year 4 (Use)	Year 5 (Use and Define)	Year 6 (Use and Define)
	Class 2		Class 3		Class 4	
Road School House Shop Hospital Church Library	City, town, village, factory, house, office, port, harbour, shop.		Region, settlement, community, population, government, land use, resources, trade, urban, rural, farming. agriculture, facilities, architecture, recreation, transport, culture, language, religion		Region, settlement, community, population, government, land use, resources, trade, urban, rural, farming, agriculture, facilities, architecture, recreation, transport, culture, language, religion	

Physical Geography

EYFS (Hear)	Year 1 (Use)	Year 2 (Use)	Year 3 (Use)	Year 4 (Use)	Year 5 (Use and Define)	Year 6 (Use and Define)
	Class 2		Class 3		Class 4	
<p>Weather - (Including rainy, sunny, cloudy, storm, snowy, windy, hot, cold.)</p> <p>Season - summer, spring, autumn, winter</p> <p>Mountains, sea, beach, cliff</p>	<p>Beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, season, weather, vegetation, summer, autumn, winter, spring, Weather (including wind, rain, snow, hail, sleet, fog, sun, hot, warm, cold.)</p>		<p>Ocean, coast, river, island, cape, delta, peninsula, gulf, plateau, plain, desert, northern hemisphere, southern hemisphere, climate, water cycle, evaporation, transpiration, condensation, precipitation, run-off, river, tidal river, estuary, stream, lake, tributary, current, bank, delta, mouth, source, fresh water</p>		<p>Coast, river, island, cape, delta, peninsula, gulf, mountain, hill, valley, plateau, plain, desert, precipitation, mountain range, tectonic plates, force, contour, altitude, elevation, erosion, summit, peak, ascent, descent, vegetation, biome.</p>	

Geographical Enquiry Skills and Fieldwork

EYFS (Hear)	Year 1 (Use)	Year 2 (Use)	Year 3 (Use)	Year 4 (Use)	Year 5 (Use and Define)	Year 6 (Use and Define)
	Class 2		Class 3		Class 4	
<p>Map, atlas, globe, photographs, exploring school grounds, observe, exploring local area, draw, label, Directions (Including-forwards, backwards, up, down) compare</p>	<p>Map, sketch map, plan, birds eye view, position, location, route, path, navigate, symbol, key, coordinates, north, south, east, west, forwards, backwards, left, right, near, far, pattern, characteristics.</p>		<p>Atlas, map, aerial photograph, birds eye-view, scale, key, symbols, equator, northern hemisphere, southern hemisphere, location, compass, direction, bearing, north, south, east, west, northeast (NE), southeast (SE), southwest (SW), northwest (NW), thermometer, temperature, degrees, rain gauge, rain fall, centimetres (cm), millimetres (mm), lowest, highest, average.</p>		<p>Aerial map, ordnance survey map, google map, political map, topographic map, physical map, economic/resource map, scale, key, symbols, location, compass, direction, bearing, north, south, east, west, northeast (NE), southeast (SE), southwest (SW), northwest (NW), sx figure grid reference, grid box, equator, northern and southern hemisphere, Tropics of Cancer/Capricorn, Arctic/Antarctic Circle, longitude and latitude, degrees, colour layering, contour, contour interval, cross section height above sea level, distance, kilometres (km).</p>	