

# ST MARY'S R. C. PRIMARY GEOGRAPHY OVERVIEW 2025-2026



# Our Whole-School Curriculum Intent

# Our curriculum will:

- Build children's knowledge through rich, motivational and inspiring learning experiences that provide them with real life skills that enable them to move into the world with integrity and confidence
- Provide knowledge in all subjects that builds sequentially through their time at St. Mary's
- Reflect the need and be specific to our local area and community
- Develop transferrable skills through their growing knowledge of the curriculum
- Be stimulating, fun and memorable for all children, extended into an enhanced extra-curricular school life
- Be ambitious and have high expectations and aspirations inclusively for every individual including academic, artistic, personal and sporting achievements.
- Develop life-long learners who are knowledgeable and aware of their own well-being, social, emotional, physical and spiritual needs.
- Reflect our mission statement that as a family, we pray, play and respect all and we have the capacity, by our actions, to change the world forever.

In history, we aim to do this through the following curriculum. The documents below show the subject overview, the Statutory Requirements and the milestones the children should achieve at various points in their education at St. Mary's

# Geography Topic Overview

Year Group	Autumn I	Autumn 2	Spring	Spring 2	Summer I	Summer 2
Year I	This is me and my town — why would people visit Middleton? Role focus — estate agent		How and why has shopping changed in my local area?	What makes Britain, Britain? Should this title be changed to have UK in the title? Role focus — travel agent		Why do we love to be by the seaside? Role focus — tour guide
Year 2		Where are the polar regions and what are they like? Role focus — interns at National Geographic	Castles and monarchs: why were castles built?	How is life different to	ours in the rainforests of azil?  tour guide	What happens when it just won't stop raining in Middleton? Role focus — meterologists
Year 3		What causes earthquakes and volcanoes to erupt? Role focus — seismologist	What happens when the land gets higher and higher? Role focus — geoloist		Why are maps so important and what can they tell me about life in Middleton?  Role focus — cartographer	Why did holidaying in Middleton change over the last couple of centuries?
Year 4	Why are rivers so important? Role focus — hydrologist			How did the Saxons influence Middleton?	Can we become geographical explorers? The Peak District! Role focus — Countryside Park Ranger	A tale of two cities!  Manchester and Rome — are they similar?  Role focus — travel agent
Year 5	Can we journey all around the world? Role focus — cartographer	What is trade and why is it important? Role focus — consultant for Fairtrade			Why do we still want to go to America? Role focus — travel writer	What was life like in Victorian Rochdale?
Year 6					Why do we need to save ou Role focus — Waste Manag Role focus — Environmental	ement Officer

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Those coloured blue are history topics with some geography focus\*\*

# Key Stage 1 Statutory Requirements

Pupils should develop knowledge about the world, the United Kingdom and their locality. They should understand basic subject-specific vocabulary relating to human and physical geography and begin to use geographical skills, including first-hand observation, to enhance their locational awareness.

Pupils should be taught to:

Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and physical geography	Geographical skills and fieldwork
<ul> <li>name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom and the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of</li> </ul>	physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom, and of a small area in a contrasting non- European country	<ul> <li>use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:</li> <li>key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map</li> </ul>
the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas		season and weather  - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop	<ul> <li>use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment</li> </ul>

## KSI/KS2 Aims

- develop contextual knowledge of the location of globally significant places both terrestrial and marine including their defining physical and human characteristics and how these provide a geographical context for understanding the actions of processes
- understand the processes that give rise to key physical and human geographical features of the world, how these are interdependent and how they bring about spatial variation and change over time
- are competent in the geographical skills needed to:
- $-collect,\ analyse\ and\ communicate\ with\ a\ range\ of\ data\ gathered\ through\ experiences\ of\ fieldwork\ that\ deepen\ their\ understanding\ of\ geographical\ processes$
- -interpret a range of sources of geographical information, including maps, diagrams, globes, aerial photographs and Geographical Information Systems (GIS)
- -communicate geographical information in a variety of ways, including through maps, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at length

# Key Stage 2 Statutory Requirements

Pupils should extend their knowledge and understanding beyond the local area to include the United Kingdom and Europe, North and South America. This will include the location and characteristics of a range of the world's most significant human and physical features. They should develop their use of geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to enhance their locational and place knowledge.

Pupils should be taught to:

Locational K	nowledge	Place Knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Geographical Skills and Fieldwork
(including th America, cor physical and cities  • name and lo Kingdom, geo and physical (including hi	orld's countries, using maps to focus on Europe the location of Russia) and North and South incentrating on their environmental regions, key human characteristics, countries, and major ocate counties and cities of the United ographical regions and their identifying human characteristics, key topographical features lls, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land- and understand how some of these aspects d over time	• 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	<ul> <li>describe and understand key aspects of:         <ul> <li>physical geography, including: climate</li> <li>zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers,</li> <li>mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle</li> <li>human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy,</li> <li>food, minerals and water</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied</li> <li>use the eight points of a compass, four and sixfigure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world</li> <li>use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the</li> </ul>
longitude, Eq Hemisphere, and Antarct	e position and significance of latitude, quator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic ic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and ncluding day and night)			local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies

UNIT TITLE:	UNIT TITLE: Year   Autumn   — Why would people visit Middleton? Role Focus — Estate Agent								
CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS				
POINT I		POINT 2							
EPI - All children understand that their local area is called Middleton and can ak simple questions about it	EPI.I Most chn can name a range of places in their local area eg. Truffet Park, Tesco, church and can talk about their purpose  EPI.3 Most chn know the difference between human and physical features and can name human features and physical features	EP2 — All chn can use fieldwork skills to investigate the human and physical features of their school grounds and local area (teacher led enquiry)	EP2.I — Most chn can talk about likes and dislikes of their local area, based on their fieldwork  EP2.2 — Most chn can identify a change in their school grounds or local area eg. new trees, new housing, based on their fieldwork/or suggest valid improvements  -Most chn can present, analyse and communicate their fieldwork findings???  -Most chn can explain the role of an estate agent and can produce a brochure to consolidate their learning????	EP3 — All chn know how to use photographs to identify places/landmarks	EP3.1 - Most pupil can identify human features e g home, school, landmarks ect and physical features eg parks, woodland, water on aerial and large scale maps  EP3.2 - Most chn can devise their own simple map of the classroom/playground/local area				
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS				
	Some chn know that Middleton is a town in England		Some chn can give their own and school's address		Some chn know how to use a key on a map				



















- -chn explored their immediate surroundings in eyfs and have an understanding of the natural world
- -chn have located places in their community eg houses, church, shops
- -chn have begun to create early maps eg story maps, journey/walk maps
- -chn have used their senses for early fieldwork observations and drawings

UNIT TITLE:	UNIT TITLE: Year 1 Spring 1 — How and why has shopping changed in this area?							
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
EPI - All chn can name shops we have in our local area of Middleton	EPI.I Most children know that we have different types of shops in our local area such as corner shops, supermarkets, shopping centres and can talk about their purpose  EPI.2 Most children know that shops in our local area have changed over time	EP2 — All children can name shops from the past and talk about their purpose	EP2.1 — Most chn can identify ways shopping habits have changed over time; identifying what has continued and what has changed  (eg payments, delivery, self-service, online shopping, people no longer visit different shops and shops like bakeries are now part of a supermarket)  EP2.2 - Most chn can use sources such as photographs, oral accounts etc to identify similarities and differences between shops and shopping habits today and in the past	EP3 — All children can take part in fieldwork and use their observational skills to identify shops	EP3.1 - Most children can use fieldwork skills such as sketching, photography etc. to investigate shops in their local area  EP3.2 - Most children can evaluate and communicate their fieldwork findings			
	FURTHER END POINTS  Some chn can explain why certain shops are where they are in our local area eg the larger Tesco supermarket is in Middleton Centre as more people will access it and the smaller Tesco is on Wood Street because less people access it		FURTHER END POINTS  Some chn can explain how technology has changed the way we shop eg use of cards, online shopping, self-service, refrigeration		FURTHER END POINTS  Some children know the Rochdale Pioneers created the first cooperative in our local area so everyone could afford food			















# Prior Knowledge

-chn know what our local area is called Middleton

-chn know that shops are human features

-chn will have a prior knowledge of shops in our area, through shopping with parents

-chn have fieldwork experience in the local area (see progression map)

-chn have experience using aerial maps of their local area-

UNIT TITLE: Year I Spri	UNIT TITLE: Year I Spring 2 — What makes Britain, Britain? (Title change, to include UK?) Role Focus — Travel Agent									
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS					
EPI – All children know the UK is made up of the 4 countries – England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales and can locate them on a map, globe and atlas	EPI.I Most children can use photos and aerial photos to identify human and physical features and landmarks in the UK  EPI.2 Most chn can ask enquiry questions and talk about characteristics of the countries of the UK Most chn understand the role of a travel agent and can consolidate their learning to make a travel brochure about the charactistics of the UK	EP2 — All chn know that countries have capital cities and know that the capital city of England is London, Wales is Cardiff, Scotland is Edinburgh and Ireland is Belfast	EP2.1 - Most chn can locate the capitals on a map, globe and atlas  EP2.2 - Most chn can ask enquiry questions and give a fact about characteristics of the capital cities eg Edinburgh Castle is one of the most famous castles, Buckingham Palace is in London	EP3 — All chn must know that seas surround the UK and can name the seas	EP3.1 – Most pupil can locate the seas surrounding the UK EP3.2 – Most chn can use compass points (N,E,S,W)					
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS					
	Some children know Middleton is a town in the country of England		Some chn can explain the difference between a village, town, city and country		Some children can use compass points and location language to describe the position of countries and seas in relation to each other					















- -chn know that their local area in in Middleton, so can apply their knowledge that this is in England
- -chn have experience using aerial maps of their locality to support them on the bigger scale of the UK
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn understand that places in a localtiy can be significant for a range of reasons

UNIT TITLE:	UNIT TITLE: Year I Summer 2 — Why do we love to be beside the seaside? Job role — tour quide							
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
EPI — Most chn can identify and name features of the seaside using the correct vocabulary eg beach, promenade, pier, shops, arcade, harbour, port, cliff, coast etc	EPI.I Most chn explain what these features are and the purpose of them  EPI.2 Most chn can identify features of the seaside as human or physical and identify these on aerial photogrpahs	EP2 — All chn name some UK seaside resorts	EP2.1 — Most chn can use maps to locate some UK seaside resorts  EP2.2 — Most chn can use sources to find out about a UK seaside resort and become/produce a tour guide to consolidate learning	EP3 — All chn take part in fieldwork at a local beach and can use their observation skills to notice features (teacher led enquiry)	EP3.I - Most chn can use fieldwork skills to collect data to answer an enquiry question (teacher led enquiry)  EP3.2 - Most chn can evaluate their fieldwork findings			
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS			
	Some chn can use compass and directional language to locate and describe the locations of seaside features on a map		Some chn can compare a UK beach to a beach in another part of the world		Some chn explain how the seaside has changed over time			













- -chn know how to use atlases to identify the UK
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- have been exposed to positional and directional language from class instructions -chn have experience using and creating their own maps ans used aerial maps
- -chn have done fieldwork

UNIT TITLE:	Year 2 Autumn 2 — Where	are the Polar Re	gions and what are they like?	Job role: Interns at the N	National Geographic Magazine
CORE END	ADDITIONAL END	CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
POINT I	POINTS	POINT 2			
EPI - All children know that our world is made up of continents and can name the continents	EPI.I Most chn can locate the continents correctly on a world map, atlas and globe EPI.2 Most chn know that we live in Europe	EP2 -All chn know the names of the North Pole, South Pole and Equator	EP2.I - Most chn can locate the N Pole, S Pole and Equator on a world map, globe and infant atlas  EP2.2 - Most chn know that places near the polar regions are cold and places near the Equator are hot	EP3 — All chn know that Antarctica is the continent where the South Pole is	EP3.1 – Most chn know the difference between the North and South Pole and can speak about the geography of both eg the South Pole is too cold for people to live permanently, but some have learnt how to survive near the North Pole; animals live in both areas and the N Pole is home to polar bears and the S Pole is home to penguins ect. They use sources to answer questions.  EP3.2 — Most chn can consolidate their learning to produce a magazine article for the National Geogrpahic magazine
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS
	Some chn can use the compass to describe locations of the continents and seas		Some chn understand that the polar regions are under threat by human activity and can suggest ways to help the sustainability of the polar regions on a local scale		Some chn know that Captain Robert Falcon Scott was an significant explorer who wanted to be the first person the reach the South Pole. They can recall the main points of what happened on his expedition

















- -chn know there are different places, beyond their locality and the UK
- -chn know they live in England
- -chn explored weather and seasons in EYFS so understand changes in the natural world
- -chn know that sometimes it is hot and sometimes it is cold
- -chn can identify human and physical features in the context of their locality and the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{UK}}$
- -chn have explored compass points

UNIT TITLE:	UNIT TITLE: Year 2 Spring I — Why were castles built? Why are Queen Elizabeth and Queen Victoria significant individuals?							
CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
POINT I		POINT 2						
EPI - All	EPI.I Most chn can ask enquiry questions and	EP2 — All chn	EP2.1 - Most chn understand	EP3 – All chn know that	EP3.I- Most chn can use aerial			
children can	use sources to recall facts about the life of	know that	where Queen Victoria and	early castles were built as a	photographs and plan perspectives to			
explain what	Queen Elizabeth and Queen Victoria and	Queen Victoria	Elizabeth II fit into the overall	place of defence	identify the features and geography of			
a monarch	aspects of life their periods	and Queen	chronology already studied.		castles			
is and		Elizabeth are						
understand	EPI.2 Most chn can identify similarities and	past monarchs	EP2.2 — Most chn understand		EP3.2 — Most chn use enquiry and			
that Queen	differences between the life of Queen Elizabeth	and King	why King Charles in our current		fieldwork skills to study the geography of			
Elizabeth II	and Queen Victoria and aspects of life in their	Charles is our	monarch and who the next		a castle first hand			
and Queen	different periods	current	monarch is going to be (family					
Victoria		monarch	tree)					
were								
signi ficant								
monarchs								
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END			
					POINTS			
	Some children can identify which monarch		Some chn can compare King		Some children can locate castles in the UK			
	they believe was the most significant and prove		Charles III to King Charles II		on a UK map			
	with evidence.		(GFOL)					

















- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn know what countries and capitals are in the UK
- -chn have experience using aerial maps
- -chn understand that places can be significant for a range of reasons
- -chn have fieldwork experiences (see progression map). They can use positional and directional language
- -chn know that environments can change over time

UNIT TITLE: Yea	JNIT TITLE: Year 2 Spring 2 — How is life different to ours in the rainforests of Brazil? Role focus — travel agent/conservationsist							
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
EPI - Most chn know Brazil is in the continent of South America and can locate On on a map, atlas and globe (should already able to do England)	EPI.I Most children know the capital city of Brazil is Brasilia and England is London  EPI.2 Most children can identify similarities and differences between England and Brazil, using sources	EP2 — All chn can use aerial photographs and photographs to identify landmarks and physical and human features of Rio e.g. Copacabana Beach, Sugarloaf Mountain ect	EP2.1 - Most chn use sources to identify the similarities and differences between the human and physical geography of Rio and Manchester eg jobs, transport, tourism, culture, food, language, population  EP2.2 - Most chn understand the role of a travel agent and can produce a tourist guide abouy Rio	EP3 — All chn know that the Amazon rain forest is in Brazil and the Amazon River flows through it	EP3.1 - Most chn know that the Amazon River flows through the Amazon Rainforest and it is the longest river in the world.  EP3.2 - Most children can explain that human activity is impacting the rainforest e.g. deforestation and can understand the work of conservationsts			
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS			
	Some chn can explain that Brazil is hot because it is close to the Equator		Some chn compare what life is like for different groups of people living in Rio		Some chn can compare the geography of the rainforest to our school forest, using fieldwork skills			























- -chn know the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify
- -chn know what human and physical features are and know what human and physical features we have in our local area
- -chn have knowledge of the characteristics of the UK to support with comparisions
- -chn know the Equator is in the middle of the globe and places near this are hot
- -chn know about weather and seasons through science
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- -chn know that the world has issues linked to human activity eg through the melting of the ice caps. They have previously considered things they can do to improve sustainability
- -chn have experience using aerial maps. They can create their own maps with keys
- -chn understand that places can be significant for a range of reasons
- -chn have fieldwork experiences in the local area (see progression map)
- -they can use compass points and positional and directional language

UNIT TITLE:	UNIT TITLE: Year 2 Summer 2 — What happens when it just won't stop raining in Middleton? Role focus: Meterologist							
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
EPI - All chn can identify weather patterns associated with each season	EPI.I Most chn can identify daily weather patterns through fieldwork; collecting, presenting and analysing their finding  EPI.2 Most children understand the role of a meteorologist and can present their own weather forecast	EP2 — All chn know that a flood happened in Middleton (our local area) in the past due to extreme weather	EP2.1 – Most chn know where the flood fits into the overall chronological framework  EP2.2 – Most chn can identify causes and consequences of the flood  (eg a canal bank near Mills Hill collapsed because of heavy rainfall; causing too much water to gush into the River Irk and dirty water and debris to flood into Middleton with little warning; bridges fell down, damaged roads, houses and sewage; boats had to help rescue people from their homes; people were left homeless or sheltering in churches and schools)	EP3 — All chn must know there is a memorial in Jubilee Park which is to remember the flood happened and those that died.	EP3.I - Most pupil know that we can find out information about the flood and answer our questions through the use of sources e.g. images ect and we can find these at Middleton Library  EP3.3 — Most chn know that there were secondary consequences years later, as lots of the housing that was impacted by the flood was condemned unsafe			
	FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS		FURTHER END POINTS			
	Some children can identify dangerous tyoes of weather and the imapct		Some chn can explain how weather impacts on people and how people impact weather		Some chn can date the flood			



















#### Prior Knowledo

- -chn know the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn know what rivers are
- -chn know the Equator is in the middle of the globe and places near this are hot and places near the poles are cold
- -chn know about weather and seasons through science
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- -chn know that the world has issues linked to human activity eg climate change through the melting of the ice caps, deforestation

Year 3 Autumn Term 2 — What causes earthquakes and volcanoes to erupt? Role focus – seismologist							
CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
POINT I		POINT 2		POINT 3			
All children know the structure of the earth is made of crust, mantle, outer core and inner core.	[1] All children can label the structure of the earth [2] Most children can explain the structure of the earth	All children know that volcanoes form at the edges of tectonic plates	[1] Most children can explain why and how a volcanic eruption happens  [2] Most children know that volcanoes can be classified in one of three ways (active, dormant and extinct) and can explain what these terms mean.	All children know the basic structure of a volcano and can label this	[1] Most children can write a definition for the key parts of a volcano (magma, lava, vent, crator, ask and flank)  [2] Most children can identify active volcanoes on a map		

#### FURTHER END POINTS

Some children know that there are three kinds of rock: igneous, sedimateary and metamrphic

CORE END POINT 4	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 6	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All children know that Mt Vesuvius is an example of a volcano	[1] Most children know that the eruprion in Pompeii (79AD) us an historical example of a volcanic eruption  [2] Most children can identify the positive and negatives of living near a volcano	All children know that tectonic plates move very slowly over time and when they suddenly slip, this causes earthquakes and/or tsunami	[2] Most children can find out about earthquakes and produce their own seismologist report on an earthquake		
FURTHER END POIN ost children can comp	ITS: pare Pompeii to a more recent volcano	FURTHER END PC Some children can consequences of ear	explain how people prepare for an earthquake and the		





















- -chn know the countries and capitals and seas of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use maps with keys
- -chn know what human and physical features ar
- -chn know compass points, positional and directional language, Equator and Poles
- -chn know that environments can change over time and the world goes through physical processes. Chn know that natural disasters can happen eg Middleton Flood
- -chn can ask their own geographical enquiry questions
- -chn know that there is a relationship between environments and people eq deforestaion, melting of the ice caps and Middleton Flood impacting on peoples home.

	Year 3 Spring	Term I — What happens wher	ı the land gets higher and highe	er? Role focus - geologist			
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
All children can explain what a mountain is	[1] Most children can locate key mountain ranges around the world [2] Most children can explain	All children can identify regions of higher ground in the UK	[1] Most children can use a map to find key features of a map  [2] Most children can describe key features of mountainous regions	All children know that not all mountains look the same	<ul><li>[1] Most children can identify a valley and a summit</li><li>[2] Most children can identify a tree line, snow line, plataue and outcrop</li></ul>		
	what a geologist is and create a report of a mountain range		in the UK				
FURTHER END POINTS: Some children can use an atlas/r range in America to one in Europ	nap/internet to compare a mountain	FURTHER END POINTS  Some children can draw a mountain range and include the key features identified					
CORE END POINT 4	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS				
All children can say that a mountain was formed a long time ago	[I] Most children know there are three types of mountain (fold, volcanic and dome) and can define these	All children can tell the difference between weather and climate	[1] Most children can say what the weather is usually like in a mountain region				
	[2] Most children can describe the importance of fault lines in mountain formation		[2] Most children can explain how the weather changes higher up the mountain due to altitude				
FURTHER END POINT Some children can describe the fo	ormation of plateau mountains using	the term erosion					

# **3**















- -chn know the countries and capitals and seas of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use maps with keys
- -chn have begun looking at the world further eg Brazil/Rio, location of volcano hot spots
- -chn know what human and physical features are in locality and in the conetext of non European area (Brazil/Rio)
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- --chn know compass points, positional and directional language
- -chn know where the Equator and Poles are and how places near here are hot/cold
- -chn know the structure of the Earth
- -chn know how tectonic plates move and issues this can cause
- -chn have discussed weather and climate

	Year 3 Summer Term I -	Why are maps so importo	int and what can they tell me about life in	Middleton? Role focus -	<u>cartographer</u>
CORE END POINT	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All children can define what a town, city, region, country and continent is  [I] Most children can identify Middleton as a town in Manchester which is a city in the NW of England which is a country in the UK which is a country in Europe  (2) Most children find the local areas on a range of maps		All children name and identify different landmarks and human and physical features of Middleton e.g. Earwick Mill, River Irk, Town Hall, Hopwood woods	[I] Most children can identify features If the local area on OS maps  [2] Most children can use grid references, compass points an coordinates	All children can explain what a cartographer is	[1] Most children can draw simple sketch maps of an area  [2] Most children can create and use a key to identify landmarks
		Most children can compare historical and moden day maps and describe changes in Middleton			
CORE END POINT 4	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
All children can complete fieldwork safely in the local area  (1) Most children can plan an enquiry and select appropriate data colletion methods  (2) Most children can collect data, present and evaluate their findings		All children know the difference beyweej urband and rural areas.	[1] Most children can identify land use in rural and urban areas  [2] Most children can identify urban and rural areas on a map		
	FURTHER END POINT: some children can evaluate if their research was useful and what they would change next time		 e children can explain why land had been used for		

















- -chn know the countries and capitals and seas of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use maps with keys
- -chn have begun idenitfng countries and captials in the world and regions of the UK
- -chn know NESW compass points, tropics, hemisphere, equator, poles, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn know their local area is Middleton and have carried out fieldwork into the human and physical features previously
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn have local area fieldwork skills (see progression map). They can ask enquiry quesions
- -chn know that environments can change over time

	Year 4 Autumn Term I - Why are rivers so important? Role focus: Hydrologist						
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
	[1] Most children know that when liquids turn to gas, it is called evaporation and the reverse process is called condensation. They know that rain condenses in clouds and falls to earth in rain, snow, hail (precipitation)  [2] Most children know that too much rain can cause floods and too little rain can cause drought  FURTHER END POINT  k about a case study of a flood/drought including why it	All children can name rivers in the UK and the wider world  FURTHER END Some chn can r	[1] Most children can locate the major rivers in the UK using an atlas and maps (already know Thames, Irk, Irwell)  [2] Most children can locate the major rivers around the world using an atlas and maps (already know Amazon River — definitely do Nile)  POINTS  nap features of a river on maps	All childen understand that rivers change the environment and can explain the terms erosion and depostition	[1] Most children know a river starts at the source and ends at the mouth and can describe the lower, middle and upper course of a rivers journey  [2] Most children can identify and describe features of a river e.g. waterfalls, rapids, gorges, meanders, tributaries, confluences, flood plains, levees, deltas, estuary and ox box lake		
happened and CORE END POINT 4	the implications on the human and physical geography ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS				
All children know that water is distributed and used for a range of purposes by humans	<ul> <li>[1] Most children can identify positive wats we can use a river e.g. fishing, transportation etc.</li> <li>[2] Most children can identify the negative usages e.g. pollution, fishing shortages, in juries through sport etc.</li> </ul>	All chn know what a hydrologist is	[1] Most children can play a fieldwork enquiry and collect data  [2] Most children can present, analyse and communicate their fieldwork findings to create a case study report (as a hydrologist) for the River Trust  FURTHER END POINT				

Some children can suggests things that can be done on a local scale to tackle river pollutuion etc on a more global scale

















- -chn know the seas, countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use and make maps with keys and os symbols
- -chn have begun identifyng countries and capitals in the world and regions and counties of the UK
- -chn know what human and physical features are. They can compare places.
- -chn know about some of the rivers in our locality eg Irk and Irwell. They know about the Middleton Flood. They know about the River Thames and the River Nile
- -chn have fieldwork skills from previous enquiries (see progression map)
- -chn have experience using aerial maps and os maps. They can use 4 figure grid references
- -chn understand what land use is, so can apply to how this is impacted by rivers
- chn know that environments can change over time and that humans can impact on environements and vice versa. They have also explored how humans can impact negetively and have an undersatnding of sustainability
- --chn know compass points (8 points), tropics, hemisphere, equator, poles, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian

	Year 4 Summer Term	l - Can we become Ge	ographical Explorers? The Peak District Ro	ole focus: Coutryside Park Ra	<mark>nger</mark>
CEPI	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All chn can can use the terms country, region, city, town and village	[I]Most children can name and locate regions of the UK  [2] Most chn can locate cities of the UK and identify the county and region it is in	All children can identify human and physical features of the Peak District	[1] Most children can identify similarities and differences between human geography in Castleton/Peak District and locality  [2] Most children can identify similarities and differences between physical geography in Castleton/Peak Distict and locality	All chn can read map symbols on OS maps and understand what contour lines reveal	[1] Most chn can identify human and physical features of the Peak District on OS maps, using keys, symbols, compass points and grid refereces  [2] Most chn can describe the landscape of Castleton/Peak District
but also cove	NDPOIN I  w the Peak District is mostly in the country of Derbyshire, rs Staffordshire, Cheshire, Great Manchester, North and  iire and can identify it on a map.  ADDITIONAL END POINTS	FURTHER ENDPOINT  Some chn can create a t  CORE END POINT 5	ourism guide for the Peak Distrcit; identifying hum	nan/physical geography, landmarks	etc
All children can explain the terms land use and settlement	[1] Most children can identify different types of land use in Castleton/Peak District and compare to locality  [2] Most chn can reason why they think land has been used in a certain way	All children can plan a fieldwork enquiry to investigate the geography of the Peak District	[1] Most chn can collecte, present and analyse their data e.g. questionaires and land survey  [2] Most children can communicate their fieldwork findings e.g. maps, tourist guides		
	NDPOINT n create a sketch map, with a key, to show different types in Castleon/Peak District		e role of a Coutryside Park Ranger and can create ide for the Peak Distrcit; identifying ny, landmarks etc		

















#### Prior Knowleda

- -chn know the countries and capitals and seas of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use and make maps with keys and os symbols
- -chn have begun identifying countries and capitals in the world and regions and counties of the UK
- -chn have carried out a study on Blackpool
- -chn know what human and physical features are. They have compared their locality to different location in the UK
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn have fieldwork skills from previous enquiries (see progression map)
- -chn have experience using aerial maps and os maps. They can use 4 figure grid references
- -chn understand what land use is
- -chn have an understanding of what tourism is linked to Blackpool
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- --chn know NESW compass points, tropics, hemisphere, equator, poles, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian

	Year 4 Summer Term 2 - A tale of two cities! Manchester and Rome — are they similar? Role focus: Travel writer						
CORE END POINT	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
All children know that England and Italy are countries in the continent of Europe	[1] Most chn can name a number of further countries in the continent of Europe  [2] Most chn can locate countries in Europe on maps, globes and atlases	All children know the capital of England is London and the capital of Italy is Rome	[1] Most children can name the capital cities of a number of further countries in Europe  [2] Most children can locate the capitals Rome and London on maps, as well as other cities in Italy and England	All chn can name landmarks in Italy and England	[1] Most children can locate landmarks in Italy and England on maps eg River Po, Lake Como, Mount Vesuvius/Etna, Mount Blanc, Leaning Tower of Pisa, Vatican  [2] Most children can idenitify what mak Italy special eg e.g. tectonic activity, food etc and England special e.g. being an island, mountains etc.		
Some chn can identi	FURTHER ENDPOINT  Some chn can identify the countries, oceans, coast that surrounds Italy		ise why they tourists would visit Italy	FURTHER ENDPOINT			
CORE END POINT	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS				
All children know that Rome is in the Italian region of Lazio	[1] Most chn can identify the cities in the Lazio region of Italy [2] Most chn can identify key features of the Lazio region of Italy	All children can explain what physical and human geography is	[1] Most children talk about the physical geography of Rome e.g. climate, rivers, tectonics, mountains and the human geography e.g. settlement, land use, population, tourism, economic activity and culture and become travel writers to produce a travel bochure  [2] Most children can compare the physical and human geography of Manchester and Rome				
Some chn summarise	why they think a tourist would visit	Rome	FURTHER ENDPOINT				

Location and place



















- -chn know the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify. They use and make maps with keys and os symbols
- -chn can identify regions and counties of the UK and places in the wider world that link to locations studied
- -chn have an understanding of characteristic of the UK and have carried out a studied of places in the UK local area, Blackpool, Peak District
- -chn know what human and physical features are. They have compared places in the UK
- -chn have experience comparing the human and physcial features of their locality to places further a field; as well as culture
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn have fieldwork skills from previous enquiries (see progression map)
- -chn have experience using aerial maps and os maps. They can use 4 figure grid references
- -chn understand what land use is
- -chn have an understanding of what tourism is linked to UK destinations (Blackpool/Peak District)
- -chn know that Rome has a volcano
- -chn know where the Equator and Poles are they know weather/dimate is different around the world. They know compass points, tropics, hemisphere, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Circenwich Meridian
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- -chn have studied Ancient Rome
- -chn know NESW compass points, tropics, hemisphere, equator, poles, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian

	Year 5 Autumn Term I — Can we journey all around the earth? Role focus: Cartographer							
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS			
All children know the position of the equator, northern and southern hemisphere	[1] Most chn can explain the significance of the equator, northern and southern hemisphere  [2] Most chn can identify places in the hemispheres using mapwork	All children can explain what latitude and longitude is	[I] Most chn can use coordinates to locate a city [2] Most chn can give the coordinates of a city location	All children can locate the North Pole, South Pole, Arctic Circle and Antarctic Circle	[1] Most chn can compare the daylight hours in the Arctic, Antarctic and the UK [2] Moste chn can identify places in the Arctic Circle			
the northerm he	FURTHER ENDPOINT  Some chn can research how the rainfall differs between a country in the northerm hemisphere, southern hemisphere and equator  CORE END POINT 4   ADDITIONAL END POINTS		FURTHER ENDPOINT  Some chn can identify the country, continent, hemisphere a city is in e.g.  Manchester, Sydney, LA, Madrid  CORE END POINT   ADDITIONAL END POINTS		RTHER ENDPOINT lain what make Antarctica unique			
CONL LIND POINT 4	ADDITIONAL LIND POINTS	5	ADDITIONAL LIND POINTS					
All children can identify the position of the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn  [I] Most chn can explain what the weather is like between the Tropics throughout the year  [2] most chn can talk about characteristics of habitats in the Tropics eg tropical rainforest, tropical dry forest, tropical coniferous forests, tropical grasslands		All children can locate and explain the significance of the Prime Meridian	[1] Most chn can explain why we have time zones  [2] Most children can compare the time in the UK to different places in the world					





















- -chn know the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify
- -chn can identify regions and counties of the UK and places in the wider world that link to locations studied
- -chn have an understanding of characteristic of the UK and have carried out a study of places in the UK local area, Blackpool, Peak District
- -chn have carried out an in depth study into Rome
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn have experience comparing the human and physical features of their locality to places further afield (Europe)
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn understand what land use is

	Year	5 Autumn Term 2	— What is trade and why is it so important?	Role focus: consultant for	- <mark>Fairtrade</mark>
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All children know what trading is	[1] Most children can explain the difference between imports and exports  [2] Most children can explain why countries need to import goods	All children can name some goods imported to the UK and some exported from the UK	[1] Most children can name some countries the UK import goods from and some countries the UK exports good to  [2] Most children can use maps and atlases to show and explain the UK's trade links with other countries	All children can explain the term 'economy' and 'globalisation'	[1] Most chn know when a country has goods that are of high demand, it can sell them for more money and becomes a wealthier economy and when a demand falls or lots of people supplying a product, prices fall and the economy gets poorer  [2] Most children can describe an example of a global supply chain
Son	ne chn can research and identify the co	FURTHER ENDPOINTS untries with the biggest t	rade links to the UK; locating them on a map	FURTHER ENDPOINTS  Most children can list some of the positive and negative effects of multinational companies on local trade	
CORE END POINT 4	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
All children can name some goods exported from El Salvador to the UK	[1] Most children can locate El Salvador on a map [2] Most children can explain some issues facing people living in El Salvador	All children can explain the meaning of Fair Trade	[1] Most children can describe the fair trade process for some products  [2] Most children can give reasons why fair trade is important		
FURTHER ENDF		r Trade	1		

	Year 5 Summer Term I – W	hy do we still want to go to A	America? Role focus: Travel agent/	<sup>′</sup> travel writer	
CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All children know that North America and South America are	[1] Most chn can name and locate countries	All children understand that	[1] Most chn can identify climate zones,	All children understand	[1] Most chn can locate key
America and South America are continents	in North and South America on maps. globes and atlases	the Americas run over several lines of longitude and latitude, so the climate, vegetatation,	biomes, vegetation belts in different regions of the Americas	can talk about key landmarks/features across the Americas eg	landmarks/features across the America on a map
	[2] Most chn can name and locate capital	land use etc varies across the	[2] Most chn can identify and compare	landmarks, rivers,	[2] Most chn can describe the
	cities of countries in North and South	continents	different time zones across America	mountains, volcanoes	position of some
	America on maps. globes and atlases				landmarks/features eg country, city, latitude, longitude
	THER ENDPOINTS	FURTHER ENDPOINT Some chn	can explain that latitude impacts the physic	cal features of a region inco	limates
	of N and S America using geographical vocab				
	phere, tropics, latitude, longitude)	CODE END DOINT F	ADDITIONAL FAIR DON'TO		
CORE END POINT 4	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS		
All chn can identify a specific	Change I: Most chn can identify the human	All children can plan an	[I] Most chn can collect, present and		
region in North America on	and physical geography of a place in North	enquiry to investiage an element	analyse their data.		
different maps and talk about its location in the world	America and produce a travel guide	of human or physical geography in our local area, to	[2] Most chn can carry out research to		
tocation in the worth	Change 2 - Most chn can compare the	compare to an area in N	investiage the chosen area of human or		
	human geography of a place in America to	America	physical geography of an area in N		
	their locality eg settlement, land use,		America. They then compare and		
	economics, trade and the physical geography		communicate their findings		
	eg rivers, mountains, volcanic activity,				
	weather				
FURTHER ENDPOINTS: Some childr	en can evaluate their enquiry and identify what	worked well, what they would chang	ge next time etc.		



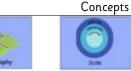


















- -chn know the countries and capitals of the UK and the continents and oceans of the world. They can use maps, globes and atlases to identify
- -chn can locate countires and capitals in the wider world. They have carried out an in depth focus a a place in Europe Rome
- -chn can locate countires, capitals, regions, counties in the UK. They carried out in depth studies on Blackpool and Peak District
- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn have experience comparing the human and physcial features of their locality to places further a field (Europe) (North America); as well as culture
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn have fieldwork skills from previous enquiries
- -chn have experience using aerial maps and os maps
- -chn understand what land use is
- -chn have an understanding of what tourism is linked to UK destinations (Blackpool/Peak District) and Rome (Europe) (North America)
- -chn know where the Equator and Poles are they know weather/climate is different around the world. They know compass points, tropics, hemisphere, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian
- -chn know that environments can change over time

CORE END POINT I	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 2	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 3	ADDITIONAL END POINTS
All children know that biomes are areas on the earth with similar plants and climate	[1] Most chn can identify the biomes and describe the characteristics of each. They know how latitude and longitude impacts climate and biomes  [2] Most chn can identify the climate zones and vegetation belts and describe the characteristic of each	All children know that single use plastic is having a detrimental effect on the environment	[1] Most chn can explain the impact plastic has on the environment eg ends up in the ocean which is deadly to marine life and ends up in the human food chain  [2]  Most chn can explain the role of recycling centres and wast management officers and can produce a plan to reduce waste on a local and global scale	All chn can explain that global warming is impacting on climate change, extreme weather, natural disasters and migraton	[1] Most chn can explain that energy made by burning fossil fuels and the cardon dioxide and greenhouse gases makes the world warmer, as the gase get trapped, causing more heat and climate change.  [2] Most chn identify causes of glob warming eg deforestation, agrigultur etc and identify impacts of this eg floods, forest fires, melting ice caps, droughts, habitats

### FURTHER ENDPOINTS

Some chn know there are 'garbage patches' in the Atlantic, Pacific and Indian Oceans — and that all of these are affected by plastic pollution

	ADDITIONAL END DOINTO	CODE ELE DON'T E	ADDITIONAL END DOMETO	
CORE END	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	CORE END POINT 5	ADDITIONAL END POINTS	
POINT 4				
All chn know	1) Most chn can identify better choices that can be	All chn can plan an	[1] Most chn can collect, present and analayse	
our planet is	made on a local and global scale eg reduce, reuse,	enquiry into an aspect	their data (see progression document)	
valuable and	recycle; the use of natural resources; renewable	of sustainability in our		
should be	energy instead of fossil fuels etc	local environment	[2 [ Most chn can communicate their findings in	
protected and			some way eg letter to local council	
human choices	(2) Most chn can research famous			
can lead to	envionmentalists eg Greta Thunbury, David			
better or worse	Attenborough and explain how they make a			
outcomes	difference as well as positive movements eg COP			
	Summit			
	FURTHER ENDPOINTS	FURTHER END	POINTS Some chn can write a letter to the local counc	il on what we can do in Rochdale to tackle environmental issues
Some chn can	talk about a case study of an initative that has had a positive			
	impact on the environment			

# Concepts





















- -chn can use maps, globes and atlases
- -chn can locate countires and capitals in the wider world. They have carried out an in depth focus a a place in Europe Rome and America
- -chn can locate countires, capitals, regions, counties in the UK. They carried out in depth studies on Blackpool and Peak District

- -chn know what human and physical features are
- -chn have experience comparing the human and physical features of their locality to places further a field (Europe and America)
- -chn know that weather and climate is different around the world
- -chn know Middleton is in England and that is in Europe
- -chn have fieldwork skills from previous enquiries
- -chn have experience using aerial maps and os maps
- -chn understand what land use is
- -chn have an understanding of what tourism is linked to UK destinations (Blackpool/Peak District) and Rome (Europe) and America
- -chn know where the Equator and Poles are they know weather/dimate is different around the world. They know compass points, tropics, hemisphere, Arctic/Antarctica Circle, Greenwich Meridian
- -chn know that environments can change over time
- -chn know there is a relationship between people and environments inc the negative eg climate change, ocean pollution
- -chn know about disasters eg floods
- -chn know that things can have a global impact