



Geography is an essential part of the curriculum; it provides grounds for exploration, appreciation and understanding of the world in which we live. It contributes to the cultural, social, spiritual and moral life of children as they acquire knowledge of a range of different cultures and traditions, and learn tolerance and understanding of other people and environments.

Year 3

Over the course of the year, Year 1 will learn locational knowledge, place knowledge, human and physical geography relating to landscapes, environments and the climate. Geographical skills and fieldwork build on their knowledge of maps, atlases and globes. Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: - key physical features, including: season and weather. - Key human features, including: city, town, factory,

AUTUMN TERM

LOCATIONAL KNOWLEDGE - Europe's countries, cities and rivers

Europe is in the Northern hemisphere and has 44 countries with over 800 cities. Several rivers flow through and connect Europe's many countries: the Danube, the Volga, the Loire, the Rhine and the Elbe. There are top ten European landmarks in different countries.



SPRING TERM

PLACE KNOWLEDGE - Life in Spain

There are numerous similarities between the UK and Spain including: both having a royal family, cities and towns. There are also differences including: climate, food, language, money, schooling and school holidays, and location. Spain has many traditional cultures and famous buildings.



SUMMER TERM

PLACE KNOWLEDGE - How the UK has developed to affect life – including in Liverpool

Physical features of mountains, rivers and seas to the manmade administrative regions and counties. How the UK has changed over time. How Liverpool grew (link to River Mersey)
How the population of the UK as a whole has changed throughout the course of history.

