

AUSTHORPE PRIMARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM PROGRESSION GEOGRAPHY



| | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Locational | Understand the | Name and locate | Name and locate | Locate the world's | Locate the world's | To locate countries | To locate countries |
| Knowledge | difference | the world's 7 | the world's five | countries, using | countries, using | on a world map | on a world map |
| | between land and | continents. | oceans | maps to focus on | maps to focus on | (concentrating on | (climate focus). |
| | sea. | | | Europe | Europe | environmental | |
| | | Name, locate and | Name, locate and | concentrating on | concentrating on | regions, key | To identify |
| | Understand that | identify | identify | their | their | human and | position and |
| | the world is round. | characteristics of | characteristics of | environmental | environmental | physical | significance of the |
| | | the four countries | capital cities of the | regions, key | regions, key | characteristics) | topics of the Arctic |
| | Know where in the | of the United | United Kingdom | physical and | physical and | | and Antarctic |
| | world we live | Kingdom. | and its | human | human | To name and | Circle. |
| | | | surrounding areas. | characteristics, | characteristics, | locate counties | |
| | Talk about the | | | countries, and | countries, and | and cities in UK, | Answer questions |
| | features of our | | | major cities | major cities | geographical | using a map. |
| | immediate | | | | | regions and some | |
| | environment. | | | name and locate | | topographical | |
| | | | | cities of Italy, | | features (hills, | |
| | | | | geographical | | mountains, coasts, | |
| | | | | regions and their | | rivers) as well as | |
| | | | | identifying human | | land use patterns | |
| | | | | and physical | | and understand | |
| | | | | characteristics, key | | how these have | |
| | | | | topographical | | changed over | |
| | | | | features (including | | time. | |
| | | | | hills, mountains, | | | |
| | | | | coasts and rivers), | | Answer some | |
| | | | | and land-use | | questions by using | |
| | | | | patterns; and | | a map | |
| | | | | understand how | | | |
| | | | | some of these | | To identify | |
| | | | | aspects have | | position and | |
| | | | | changed over time | | significance of | |
| | | | | | | latitude, | |



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| | | | | | | longitude, The Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones | |
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| Place Knowledge | Know where the United Kingdom is on a map and a globe. Describe the features of our local area and know which city we live in. | Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography in a non-European country. Identifying the differences between hot and cold countries. | Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography in a small area of the United Kingdom (seaside) Contrasting the similarities and differences between the seaside and an urban area in the UK | understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical a region in a European country | | Begin to describe how some places are similar and dissimilar in relation to their human and physical features. | Describe how some places are similar and dissimilar in relation to their human and physical features. |
| Human and Physical Geography | Talk about what clothing we should wear in different weathers. Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK. | Identify the location of hot and cold areas of the world. Introduce the North and South pole and the weather they would expect. | Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in relation to the Equator. Vocab. | | Types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links Physical geography including the water cycle | To describe and understand key aspects of human geography: trade links, distribution of natural resources (energy, food, minerals, water) | Use atlases to find out about other features of places (weather patterns) To describe and understand key aspects of physical geography: biomes and vegetation belts, volcanoes |



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| | Understand how to keep safe in the sun. | Vocab. | | | | | and earthquakes, the water cycle. |
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| Geographical Skill and Fieldwork | Use maps and globes to understand where the United Kingdom is. Know and use simple directional language: left, right, forwards, backwards, under, over, into etc. | Use Atlas' map's and globes to identify the UK and hot/cold countries and continents. Introduce North, South, East and West. Devise a simple map with a key. | Use Atlas' maps and globes to identify the UK and hot/cold countries, continents and oceans. Use locational and directional language to describe location and features of routes on a map. Use ariel maps of the seaside with landmarks, describe human and physical features. | use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use the eight points of a compass, symbols and key to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world use fieldwork to observe, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps and plans | use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied use fieldwork to observe, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps and plans | Begin to use ordnance survey symbols and four and six figure grid references Know 8 compass points Find/recognise places on a map of different scales (eg. Rivers) Use medium scale land ranger OS maps. Compare maps with aerial photographs. Measure straight line distance on a plan. | Know and use ordnance survey symbols and six figure grid references Know and use 8 compass points |