

## Parkwood Primary School Geography Curriculum

## KS1:

- Learn basic vocabulary related to human and physical geography relating to their locality and the United Kingdom.
- Begin to use geographical skills, including firsthand observation to enhance local awareness

## **KS2:**

- Extend their knowledge and understanding beyond the local area to include the United Kingdom and Europe, North and South America
- Develop geography skill to enhance their locational and place knowledge

FS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
			Locational knowledge	1		
Know what a map is     Know what a country is     Know what an aerial photograph is	Know what the United Kingdom is     Name the four UK countries     Know what a capital city is     Name the four capital cities of the four UK countries     Know what a sea is     Name the seas around the UK     Know what a globe is	Know what a continent is     Name the seven continents     Know what an ocean is     Name the five oceans     Know what the equator is     Know hot places are near the equator (links to science – habits)     Know cold places are further from the equator and nearer to the north and south pole	Know what a county is     Know what a city is     Know what a region is	<ul> <li>Name European countries, including Russia (see vocabulary progression)</li> <li>Name major cities of European countries (see vocabulary progression)</li> <li>Name different types of land use around the River Medway (industrial, residential, agricultural and recreational)</li> </ul>	Know the position of:	Know the position of:     the tropic of Cancer     the tropic of Capricorn     the Arctic Circle     the Antarctic Circle     Know the significance of:     the Tropics of Cancer     the Tropics of Capricorn     the Arctic Circle     the Antarctic Circle     the Arctic Circle     the Antarctic Circle
			Locational skills			



•	Locate the country of	<ul> <li>Locate the four UK countries</li> </ul>	•	Locate the seven continents using a	•	Locate counties of the UK on a map	•	Locate European countries using an	•	Locate the following on a	•	Locate the following on a
	,	I		J						globe:		
	England on a map	<mark>using a map,</mark> atlas and globe		map and atlas  Locate the five		(see vocabulary) progression)		atlas Use maps to		- the Equator		globe: - tropic of Cancer
	- 1		•			Locate cities of	•			- lines of latitude		
•	Identify what can	Locate the capital		oceans using a	•			identify different				- tropic of
	be found in the	cities of the four		map and atlas		the UK on a map		types of land use		- lines of		Capricorn
	immediate	UK countries				(see vocabulary	•	Describe how land		<mark>longitude</mark>		- Arctic Circle
	environment	using a map and				progression)		is used along the		- Northern		<ul> <li>Antarctic Circle</li> </ul>
	using an aerial	atlas						River Medway		Hemisphere Programme		
	photograph (see	Locate the seas					•	Describe how land		- Southern		
	vocabulary	surrounding the						use has changed		Hemisphere Programme		
	progression)	UK using a map						in an area along	•	Locate countries		
•	Draw simple							the River Medway		of North America		
	maps (can be							over time		using an		
	based on a									atlas/globe		
	story/imagination								•	Locate major		
	)									cities of North		
										America using an		
										atlas/globe		
	FS	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Year 6
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•	Name examples	Done through the	•	Recognise	•	Recognise	•	Recognise	•	Name physical	•	Know what a
	of weather	daily discussion of		physical features		physical features		physical features		features of		biome is
•	Be aware that	the concept of time		(revise those		of a region in the		of a river		London:	•	Know what a
	seasons change	each day:		from Year 1)		UK (Whitstable)		- source		- The River		vegetation belt is
•	Know what a road	<ul> <li>Know what a</li> </ul>		- River		and a European		- mouth		Thames	•	Know what
	is	season is (science		- Soil		Country (Alesund,		- tributaries	•	Name physical		tectonic plates
•	Know what a field	cross over)		- Valley		Norway)		- meander		features of North		are
	is	<ul> <li>Name the four</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Vegetation</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Mountains</li> </ul>		- estuary		America:	•	Know what an
•	Know what	seasons		- Ocean		- Beaches	•	Name the		<ul> <li>climate zones</li> </ul>		earthquake is
	woodland is	<ul> <li>Know what</li> </ul>	•	Recognise human		<ul> <li>Coastline</li> </ul>		processes	•	Name human	•	Know how
•	Know what a	weather is		features (revise		- Fjord		included in the		features of		earthquakes
	precinct is	<ul> <li>Name examples</li> </ul>		those from Year	•	Recognise human		water cycle (link		London, UK	l	occur
•	Know what a shop	of weather		1)		features of a		with science)		(those studied in	•	Know the Earth's
	is			- Village		region in the UK	•	Know what a		KS1 and LKS2)		<mark>structure:</mark>
•	Know what a	<ul> <li>Know what a map</li> </ul>		- Factory		(Whitstable) and		settlement is	•	Name human		- crust
	doctor's surgery	is		- Farm		a European	•	Name types of		features of North		<mark>- mantle</mark>
	is	<ul> <li>Know what an</li> </ul>		- Port		Country (Alesund,		settlement:		America (those		<ul> <li>outer core</li> </ul>
•	Know what a	atlas is		- Harbour		Norway)		- hamlet		studied in KS1		<ul> <li>inner core</li> </ul>
	pharmacy is	<ul><li>Know what a</li></ul>			-	Hotels		- village		and LKS2)	•	Know how
•	Know what a	physical feature			-	Restaurants		- town		<ul> <li>distribution of</li> </ul>		volcanoes are
	salon is	is			-	Leisure facilities	•	Know what land		natural resources		formed:
•	Know what a	<ul> <li>Recognise each of</li> </ul>			-	Markets		use is		(energy, food,		- lava
	bakery is	the following			-	High street	•	Name types of		minerals and		- vents
•	Know what a	physical			-	Parking		land use:		water)		- ash
	florist is	features:			-	Museums		<ul> <li>agricultural</li> </ul>	•	Name human		<ul> <li>conduits/pipe</li> </ul>
•	Know what a	- Beach						- industry		features of		- magma
	church is	- Cliff						- residential		Washington, DC		chamber
•	Know what a café	- Coast						<ul> <li>recreational</li> </ul>	•	Name physical		- molten rock
	is	- Forest								features of	•	Know what a
•	Know what a park	- Hill								Washington, DC		desert is
	is	- Mountain								<b>5</b> ,		
		Hountain			1							



	- Sea - Ocean - Season - Weather  • Know what a human feature is • Recognise each of the following human features: - Town - House - Office - Shop				Know what     economic activity     is and how it     impacts lives     Know that     countries make     trade deals     Recognise     physical features     along the River     Nile, Egypt:     distribution of     natural resources     (energy, food,     minerals and     water)	
		U	and Physical Geograpi	ev Skille		
Describe the school's immediate surrounding areas using an aerial photograph (see vocabulary progression)	Use maps and atlases to talk about physical and human features of an area	Use a map, atlas and globe to locate physical features  Use a map, atlas and globe to locate human features	Describe the human features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway     Describe the physical features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway	Describe the water cycle (link with science)     Describe physical and human features along the River Medway	Describe aspects of the UK's economic activity and trade links with the wider world     Describe North America's trade links to the UK     Describe how the physical features along the River Nile impact its use today	Use atlases and world maps to locate tectonic plates Use atlases to locate deserts of the world Use atlases to locate volcanoes in the world Explain how earthquakes occur using subject-specific vocabulary
FS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
			Place Knowledge			
Know what 'difference' means     Know what 'same' means     Know that how we live our lives in our country can be different to the way people live in other countries e.g. homes, ways to travel, food, clothes, weather		Know what     'similar' means     Name physical     features of     Rainham     Name human     features of     Rainham     Name physical     features of Borba,     Brazil     Name human     features of Borba,     Brazil	Name physical features of Whitstable     Name human features of Whitstable     Name physical features of Alesund, Norway     Name the human features of Alesund, Norway     Know what a topographical feature is and how they can be used to describe terrain, with		Know that two places can have similarities and differences in their physical features     Know that two places can have similarities and differences in their human features	



			reference to sea level  Identify topographical features of a			
			region in the United Kingdom			
			(Whitstable)			
			Place Knowledge Skills	5		
<ul> <li>Use photographs to identify differences</li> <li>Use videos to identify differences</li> <li>Use photographs to identify similarities</li> <li>Use videos to identify similarities</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Find the similarities in the human features of a Rainham and Borba, Brazil</li> <li>Find the similarities in the physical features of Rainham and Borba, Brazil</li> <li>Find differences in the human features of Rainham and Borba, Brazil</li> <li>Find differences in the human features of Rainham and Borba, Brazil</li> <li>Find differences in the physical features of Rainham and</li> </ul>	Describe the similarities and differences in physical features of Whitstable (UK) and Alesund (Norway)     Describe the similarities and differences in human features of Whitstable (UK) and Alesund (Norway)		<ul> <li>Describe         similarities and         differences in         physical features         of London, UK         and Washington         DC, USA</li> <li>Describe the         similarities and         differences in         human features         of London, UK         and Washington         DC, USA</li> </ul>	
FS	Year 1	Borba, Brazil Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
			Fieldwork Knowledge			
	Know the four points of the compass (North, South, East and West)     Know what a floor plan is	Know what a simple route on a map is.	Know what a sketch map is     Know that digital technology can be used to explore and learn about the human and physical features of a place     Know what a topographical map is     Name topographical features (hills, mountains, coasts, rivers, ocean, beach, valley)	Know the eight points of a compass     Know what a key is     Know why an Ordnance Survey map includes a key     Know the following map symbols:      Camping and caravan site     Caravan site     Castle or fort	Know what four-figure grid references are when using maps     Know the following map symbols:     Interstate Route     US Route     State Route     Liby Library  Pol Sta Police station  Museum  Information centre	Know what six- figure grid references are when using maps



	FS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Country park  Viewpoint  Visitor centre  Parking  Public toilets  Recreation, leisure or sports centre  Beacon  Place of worship  Place of worship with tower  Sch School	Garden or arboretum Golf course or links  Year 5	Year 6
٠	immediate environment is made up of (woodland, roads, buildings, parks) Note and record the weather on a daily basis with reference to seasons as they pass	language to describe a location of a feature or route on a map or floor plan (turn, forward, back, left, right)  Use locational language to describe a location of a feature or route on a map or floor plan (near, far,	directions (and directional language) to describe a simple route on a map.	record the human and physical features in Whitstable using a sketch map (trip)  Interpret topographical maps Interpret digital mapping to locate physical features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway Interpret digital mapping to locate physical features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway Interpret digital mapping to locate physical features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway	points of a compass to give directions  Interpret digital maps to locate types of land use along the River Medway  Interpret digital maps to locate types of settlements along the River Medway  Interpret Ordnance Survey	grid references to describe familiar areas of the UK (the local area and Whitstable)  • Use Ordnance Map symbols to describe human features of London, UK  • Use map symbols to describe human features of Use map symbols to describe human features of Washington DC, USA	references to describe locations in the UK
		next to, besides, opposite)  Use simple compass directions  Use aerial photographs to find human features of the school and local area  Use aerial photographs to find physical features of the		mapping to locate human features of Whitstable and Alesund, Norway	maps to describe physical and human features along the River Medway		



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area			