

Geographical Vocabulary



		KS1		Lower KS2		Upper KS2	
Topic/ Themes	Understanding the World	Where I Live Local Area Study	Our World The Seaside Local Area Study	The Rainforest Local Area Study	Contrasting European Country -Italy Local Area Study	Extreme Earth Local Area Study	Travel and Trade Local Area Study
	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Location And Place Knowledge	place, home, world, town, local area, earth, journey. Wolverhampton England United Kingdom Africa India Arctic China	Continent, North Pole, South Pole, Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, Australia, China, Pacific Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Indian Ocean, Southern Ocean, Arctic Ocean, United Kingdom, UK, England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Capital City, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Belfast, London, Birmingham, Wolverhampton, River Thames		Northern Hemisphere, ocean, Southern Hemisphere, Equator, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn, Continent, South America, Brazil, Amazon, Europe, Mediterranean, North Sea, English Channel, Irish Sea Italy, Rome, Roman, Vatican City, Sicily, Sardinia, Milan, Pisa, Florence, Rome, Venice, Mount Etna West Midlands, Wolverhampton, Ettingshall Park, Beacon Hill		Continent, Greenwich, Northern Hemisphere, Prime Meridian, Southern Hemisphere, equator, Tropics of Cancer/ Capricorn, Arctic/ Antarctic Circle, Europe, Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Australia Mediterranean Sea, Adriatic Sea, Ionian Sea, Alps, Apennine, Pyrenees, Andes, Mount Etna, Mount Vesuvius, Mount Blanc, Mount Everest, Snowdon, Ben Nevis, Mount Kilimanjaro, River Nile, River Amazon, River Danube, River Volga River Congo, Colorado River, River Yangtze Statue of Liberty, Golden Gate Bridge, Grand Canyon, Yosemite National Park, The White House, Buckingham Palace, Windsor Castle, Nelsons Column, White Cliffs of Dover, West Midlands, Wolverhampton, Black Country, Beacon Hill	
Human Geography	road, school, house, village shop, hospital, church, library	environment, city, town, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, pier, shop, railway, station, shopping centre, community,		region, settlement, population, land use, landmark trade, urban, rural, farming, agriculture, facilities, architecture, recreation, culture, tradition. transport, language, religion, de-forestation, global warming		time zone, climate change, region, community, population, government, land use, landmark, resources, trade, tourism, economy, urban, rural, farming, agriculture, facilities, architecture, recreation, pollution, transport, culture, tradition, language, religion	

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Physical Geography	weather - rainy, sunny, cloudy, storm, snowy, windy, hot, cold, Seasons - summer, spring, autumn, winter Mountain, country, town, sea, beach, cliff, jungle, desert, iceberg	beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, park, season, weather, vegetation, Summer, Autumn, Winter, Spring, wind, rain, snow, hail, sleet, fog, sun, hot, warm, cold.		ocean, coast, landscape, river, island, peninsula, mountain, volcano, hill, valley, desert, northern hemisphere, southern hemisphere, global, tropical, humid, climate, vegetation, biome, canopy, zone, tundra, desert, grassland, rain forest, volcano, tectonic plates, force, lava, crater, magma, erupt		coast, ocean, river, island, delta, waterfall, channel, peninsula, gulf, water cycle, evaporation, condensation, precipitation, tidal river, estuary, stream, spring, lake, tributary, flow, silt, course, current, floodplain, river bank, meander, mouth, erosion, transportation, source, fresh water, saltwater, sedimentary, tsunami, earthquake, mountain, hill, valley, plateau, plain, desert, mountain range, contour, altitude, elevation, erosion, summit, peak, ascent, descent	
Geographical skills and Fieldwork Knowledge	map, globe, photographs, exploring school grounds, observe, exploring local area, draw and label simple map Directions - forwards, backwards, up, down, compare	globe, atlas, map, photograph, sketch, plan, birds eye view, position, location, direction, route, path, direction, navigate, symbol, key, coordinates, North, South, East, West, forwards, backwards, up, down, left, right, bigger smaller, near, far, pattern, characteristics, like, dislike, similarities, differences, compare, explore		Atlas, map, aerial photograph, scale, key, symbols, location, compass, direction, bearing, boundaries, north, south, east, west, northeast (NE), southeast (SE), southwest (SW), northwest (NW), thermometers, temperature, degrees,		Arial map, ordinance survey maps, 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), six figure grid reference, longitude and latitude, degrees, colour layering, contour, contour interval, cross section, height above sea level, distance, kilometres (km) rain gauge, rain fall, centimetres (cm), millimetres (mm) lowest, highest, average	