


West Norfolk Academies Trust (Primary) – Curriculum Map - Geography

	Autumn 1 st	Autumn 2 nd	Spring 1 st	Spring 2 nd	Summer 1 st	Summer 2 nd
EYFS knowledge	<p>Marvellous Me Homes – types of dwelling – walk around locality to identify. Google maps to locate the school and discuss some features of local area. Walk to local features, eg duck pond/park.</p>	<p>Light & Celebrations Walk to local church. Drawing maps of our journey. Making 3D maps using small world/natural resources.</p>	<p>King, Queen & Country London – our capital city UK – naming the 4 countries and looking at the flags. Recognising famous London landmarks and facts about them. Buckingham Palace is one of the Queen's homes.</p>	<p>Air, Land & Sea What is a landscape? What can we see in our local landscape? How is this similar/different to Australia and Greece? Mountain rescue - what they do. Natural and man-made parts of the environment. Hot/cold climates.</p>	<p>Living & changing Local environment at school - what does it include? Compare to globe, world map Growing & eating vegetables. Farming - harvest. Why plants are good for the environment.</p>	<p>The Ocean Creatures that live in the ocean. Features seen at a beach – rock pools, cliffs, sand dunes, tides. Locality – Heacham & Hunstanton beaches. The effects of pollution on wildlife and changes we can make to improve the environment.</p>
EYFS Vocabulary	Homes, detached, bungalow, semi-detached, flats, terraced, caravan, barge, map, bird's eye view, village/town	map, journey, route, 3D map, environment,	London, capital city, UK, landmark, village, town, city, England, Scotland, Wales, N Ireland, The Shard, Buckingham Palace, the London Eye, Tower Bridge	landscape, environment, natural, man-made, England, Australia, Greece, compare, hot, cold, rural, urban, mountains, distance, climate, temperature.	local, environment, crops, environment, plants, trees, growing,	Camouflage, ocean, rock pool, cliff, beach, habitat, pollution, litter, sea creatures, Hunstanton beach, pebbles, rocks, tide, sand dunes
Year 1 Knowledge	<p>Spatial Sense Aerial views, Maps, Location Compass points What makes a good map Drawing maps</p>		<p>The UK Countries (England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales) and important features, geographical differences, seasons in the UK and daily weather, flags. Norfolk and the Wash</p>		<p>Seven Continents Asia, Europe, Africa, North America, South America, Australia, Antarctica: locations on globe, key features, monuments and native animals</p>	
Year 1 Vocabulary	Aerial view, map, location, compass, key, navigate, perspective, satellite, country, world, locality, continent, ocean		England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales union, United Kingdom, kilt, bagpipes, thistle, Caledonia, Britannia, Loch Ness, Grampian Mountains, Hadrian's Wall, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Red Dragon, daffodil, mountain, valley, peak, slope, summit,		Earth, Globe, Asia, Europe, Africa, North America, South America, Australia, Antarctica, Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Southern, Arctic, Continent, Europe, climate, ocean, border, North, South, East, West, mountain, plain,	

			Republic of Ireland, Belfast, Saint Patrick, Gaelic, Giant's Causeway, shamrock, London, Buckingham Palace, Houses of Parliament, River Thames, city, countryside, Saint George.		peninsula, physical, human, feature, equator, desert, grassland, jungle, savannah, rainforest, Asia, tropical, rainforest, monsoon, drought.	
Year 2 Knowledge	Spatial Sense My school site Drawing a map of my school Maps of the local area Using maps to plan a route Identifying locations on a globe or world map The Equator		The British Isles Our continent, countries and capital city, flags, major England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland, cultural features of the British Isles		Northern Europe Countries in Northern Europe, physical and human features, climate, languages, capital cities, animals and migration, Rriversoald Amundsen (Geese migrating to Snettisham)	
Year 2 Vocabulary	Map, Globe, navigate, location, direction, ordnance survey, symbols, scale, equator, key, compass, Europe, continents		The United Kingdom, The British Isles, island, loch, valley, coastline, Munro, inhabited, uninhabited, water, surround, England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland, islands, Grampian Mountains, Hadrian's Wall, Edinburgh, Wales, Cardiff, Belfast, Dublin, Causeway, Atlantic Ocean		Northern Europe, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Iceland, Scandinavia, lowlands, mountains, lakes coniferous, evergreen, forest, capital city, valley, lake, Northern Lights, fjord, climate, weather, Sami, snowplough, moose, beaver, lynx, adapt, migrate, Northwest Passage, Atlantic, Pacific, Arctic Circle, Inuit, South Pole, North Pole	
Year 3 Knowledge	Spatial Sense Maps, compasses and symbols, grid references, fieldwork, contrasting localities, physical and human geography.	Western Europe Countries and settlements in Western Europe Climate of Western Europe Trade in Western Europe France	Settlements Types of settlement including hamlet, village, town, city, settlements in the local area, compare and contrast settlements, population density in urban	Rivers What is a river? River basins, springs, streams, valleys, rivers of Europe, Africa, Asia, South and North America and Australia, River Danube,	Asia- Japan Landscape and location, weather and climate, feudal Japan, Japanese culture, Japanese architecture, comparison of urban and rural Japan,	London & the South East Introduction to the South East, looking at human, physical, land use over time in London, Canterbury, Brighton and Dover

	The draining of the Fens, local arable farming, turbines	A comparison of London and Paris	and rural areas, site and situation of settlements Kings Lynn, local villages, Norwich, surrounding counties	River Thames, River Nile, River Niger, The Yellow, the Yangtze, the Ob, the Ganges and the Indus, the Murray, the Mississippi, the Amazon Holt Hall	natural resources and trade	
Year 3 Vocabulary	Eight point compass, grid reference, symbols, key, human features, physical features, ordnance survey, climate, vegetation, landscape, economic trade, settlement, distribution, energy	Climate, temperate climate, trade, import, export, agriculture, The Alps, France, Germany, The Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, Austria, temperature poles, goods, cities and landmarks	Settlements, urban, rural, suburban, population density, conurbation, hamlet, village, town, city, services, infrastructure, transport, pictogram, evidence, ports, defence, coasts,	River, sea, source, stream, tributary, estuary, mouth of a river, river basin, drainage basin, watershed, waterway, urban, rural, freshwater, county, countries, continent	Island, Ocean, Asia, Capital City, Tokyo, Honshu, Hokkaido, Shikoku, Kyushu, natural disasters, monsoons, earthquakes, eruption, tsunamis, Archipelago, rural, urban, active, dormant, hot springs, fisheries, economy, import, export, raw materials, manufacturing, tradition, culture, Kimonos, origami	Eastern, region, county, Surrey, West Sussex, Kent, Houses of Parliament, The Shard, climate, trade, physical, human, population, heritage, features, Dover, pier, cliffs, coastline, weathering
Year 4 Knowledge	Spatial Sense Globes, the tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, scale, grid references, maps of our local area, changes to a locality over time, Flooding of the Wash	Mediterranean Europe Key places in Europe Climate of Mediterranean, food, farming, Landscapes, settlements	Eastern Europe Countries in Eastern Europe, climate, focus on Russia, human and physical features of Russia (focus on Moscow), language	Northern Ireland Northern Ireland, visits, comparison, Giants Causeway, Finn MacCool, Marble Arch Caves	UK Geography: The South West Dorset, Wiltshire, Cornwall, Devon, Somerset human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns and tourism	Asia- China and India Locating India and China Human and physical Geography of India Rivers of India Human and Physical Geography of China The Great wall of China
Year 4 Vocabulary	lines of latitude and longitude, equator, prime meridian, tropic of cancer, tropic of Capricorn, scale, population, industry, transport	Mediterranean, Equator, Latitude, Eco system, The Gulf Stream, Colosseum, Peninsula, inhabit, coast line, Atlantic ocean, produce, Mountain range, lagoon, volcano, settlements	Balkans, Baltic countries Cyrillic, human geography, physical geography, Steppe Kremlin, Eastern Europe Caspian Sea, Black Sea, Adriatic Sea, Baltic Sea, The Danube, Mount Elbrus, Caucasus Mountain, Russia, Moscow, St Petersburg	Ulster, Belfast, Londonderry, Republic, partition, Lough Neagh, Giant's Causeway, Unionists, Nationalists, province, counties, independence, border, volcano eruption, legend, giant basalt, column, Finn MacCool	County, region, English Channel, Atlantic Ocean, The Gulf Stream, Doodle Door, erosion, stack, arch, distribution, population, tourism, Stonehenge, Tintagel Castle, Glastonbury Tor, Eden Project, pastoral, arable,	taj Mahal, Indus river, Indus Valley, civilisation, River Ganges, Shanghai, Great Wall of China, Qin Dynasty, Asia, China, India, Continent, Country, New Delhi, Beijing, Climates, Landscapes, Physical geography, Human Geography, sacred, fertile, pilgrimage
Year 5 Knowledge	Spatial Sense	Mountains Mountains	British Geography	Australia	New Zealand and the South Pacific	Local Study

	<p>Maps dividing the world into sections, eastern and western hemispheres, maps: using coordinates to locate places, maps: drawn to different scales</p> <p>Glaven River</p>	<p>The Alps The high peaks of the Himalayas, American mountains African mountains</p>	<p>East Anglia, The Midlands, Yorkshire and Humberside human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and changes over time,</p>	<p>Explorers: Including James Cook Australia: location, Major cities including Canberra, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, Cairns, Darwin and Brisbane, the Outback, Uluru, or Ayers Rock, Aboriginal People, Transportation and the Gold Rush, Australian Animals.</p>	<p>New Zealand: North and South Islands, volcanoes and geysers, Maori People, Animals including the kiwi, the national symbol of New Zealand. The South Pacific: Melanesia, Micronesia, Polynesia</p>	<p>Where we live, preparation for field work, desktop field work, field work, charts and graphs of data, conclusions and reports of field work</p>
Year 5 Vocabulary	<p>Prime meridian line, longitude, latitude, eastern and western hemisphere, relief maps, equator, parallel, elevation, contours, gradient</p>	<p>Peak, range, Edmund Hilary, Tenzing Norgay, The Andes, Alps, Machu picchu, Mount Kilimanjaro, Erosion, Mount Blanc, Ice mummy, Altitude, Mountain ranges</p>	<p>industry, arable farming, pastoral farming, mining, national park, viaduct, valley, relief map, population, East Anglia, Yorkshire and Humberside, The Midlands, county, Fenland, sea level, crops,</p>	<p>industry, Aboriginal people, colony, settler, mining, Commonwealth, Biome, Terra Australis, diverse, physical geography, colonise, biodiversity, marsupial, invasive species, urbanisation</p>	<p>Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, Pacific Ocean, Tasman Sea, Australian & Pacific plate, geyser, active, dormant, extinct, magma, lave, Polynesian Islands, haka, traditional, customs, extinct, flightless, predators, unique, conservation, endangered, reefs</p>	<p>rural, urban, land use, secondary data, primary data, observational data, aerial photograph, Fieldwork including observations, land use, maps, key, economic, wealth, distribution, house price, tally, observation, presentation, pie chart, bar chart, conclusions</p>
Year 6 Knowledge	<p>Spatial Sense: World Geography</p> <p>Arctic and Antarctic Longitude and Latitude, Zones Round Earth, Flat Map World Time Zones The Mercator Projection GDP maps</p>	<p>North American Geography</p> <p>The United States of America New England The Mid-Atlantic The South and The Mid-West Mountains and Coastlines Climates, trade and industry,</p>	<p>South American Geography</p> <p>South America, Past civilisations and empires, The Andes mountains and the Atacama Desert Brazil, (agriculture and Industry), Amazon Rainforest</p>	<p>Africa</p> <p>The Continent of Africa, Past Civilisations of Africa and empires - Mansa Musa, The Sahara Desert and Desertification, Food Security and key features of Kenya</p>	<p>British Geography</p> <p>Wales, Scotland, England, local trade, local ports, Trade, industry, natural resources, steel and coal production Local trade: Fish, lavender, tulips, medical supplies, Port of Felixstowe, Kings Lynn: grain, wood, scrap metal, pulses, cargo ships</p>	<p>Global Trade and Tourism</p> <p>International fair trade, where our food comes from, where our clothes are made, technology, tourist destinations around the world Global Environmental Issues</p> <p>Deforestation, farming, sea level rise, population pressure, migration</p>
Year 6 Vocabulary	<p>Longitude, Latitude, Axis, The Poles, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn, Prime Meridian, Time Zone, Map Projection</p>	<p>State, biome, Mississippi River, urbanisation, coniferous, deciduous, tropical forest, savannah, temperate grassland, semi-desert, tundra, irrigation, Panama Canal, source, mouth, proximity, region</p>	<p>Pangea, rainforest, Subduction zone, Plateau, altitude, deforestation, biodiversity, urbanisation, favela, dense, sparse, quechua, quipu, emperor, engineering, government, communication, tectonic plate, subduction,</p>	<p>Diverse, resources, Savannah, development indicators, commodity, merchant, caravan, desertification, productive, sparsely, populated, uninhabitable, failed crop, affordable, nutritious, food security,</p>	<p>Air pollution, synthetic, natural, pollutant, emissions, allergy, premature, commodity, industrial revolution, produce, storm surge, waterfront, merchant, trade, import, export, port</p>	<p>Fairtrade, sustainable, organisation, plantations, tourism, culture, global warming, fossil fuels, carbon dioxide, greenhouse gas, deforestation, eco-system, bio- degradable, recycling, pollution</p>

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