Knowledge	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	
Location	N.C. North and South Poles, Equator, 4 Compass points NSEW, Locational language, name & locate: 7 continents & 5 oceans. Name, locate, identify: 4 countries and capitals of UK & surrounding seas.		
General			
geographical	I know the four compass points NSEW	I know where in the world the North and South Poles and Equator are.	
knowledge,	I know what a continent is and I know I live in Europe.	I can identify, name and locate the 7 continents	
position and	I can name, locate and identify the countries and capitals of	I can name, locate and identify the 5 oceans.	
significance, UK and Global	the UK.	I can name, locate and identify the seas surrounding the UK	
ASSESSMENT	Have simple locational knowledge about individual places and environments, especially in the local area, but also in the UK and wider world.		
By age 7			
<b>Inderstanding</b>	N.C. Local scale study UK & Non - European country. Identify seasonal & daily weather patterns (UK & local scales) Identify hot & cold areas of the world		
place	in relation to Equator & North & South Poles		
•	I can identify the daily and seasonal weather (using	I can describe some differences between places near the equator and at the poles.	
Simple	appropriate vocabulary e.g. temperature, rain, wind,	I can compare places at a local scale (eg where I live and another place at a similar scale in a non	
comparisons and	sunshine)	European country).	
contexts	I can describe how weather can change during a day or what	I recognise and describe simple patterns in the environment (eg the variations in traffic during the	
	it is likely to be like at different times of the year (in my	day, seasonal changes).	
	locality / at another place I have studied).	• I can identify hot & cold areas of the world (using globes and atlases) in relation to the Equator &	
	I can talk about and describe my locality.	North & South Poles.	
ASSESSMENT	Show understanding by describing the places and features they study using simple geographical vocabulary, identifying some similarities and differences and		
By age 7	simple patterns in the environment.		
<b>Enquiry and</b>	N.C. Identify places using maps, atlases, globes, aerial images & plan perspectives, make maps, devise basic symbols, Fieldwork, geographical vocabulary		
Skills	I can use plans, maps, globes, atlases and aerial images to	I can use atlases, maps and globes to identify and describe some features and places.	
Enquiry, mapping,	recognise some features and places (in my locality/ in the	I can make and use simple maps and plans (paper and digital) to help me investigate and compare	
fieldwork, critical	wider world)	places.	
thinking,	I can investigate my locality through fieldwork and make	I can use aerial images to help me describe what a place is like and locate key features.	
vocabulary	simple observations.	• I can read, use and make simple symbols on maps and diagrams (to help me find out about places	
	I can talk about /describe a locality using some appropriate	and share information).	
	vocabulary e.g. features, location, geographical	I can investigate my locality through fieldwork and collect data to help me describe and compare	
	characteristics such as weather and what happens there).	places.	
	I can ask and answer some questions to help me investigate.	I can use geographical vocabulary to ask and answer questions about places and give my opinion.	
ASSESSMENT	Be able to investigate places and environments by asking an	Be able to investigate places and environments by asking and answering questions, making observations and using sources such as simple maps, atlases,	
By age 7	globes, images and aerial photos.		

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