

Geography YR-Y9 overview

Themes: order, variety, roles, design, laws & principles & interdependence related to water, air, rock (soil and land), plants, animals and ecosystems, people community groups and impact of people on the environment. Worldviews. Citizenship

Key skills: map reading, modelling, use & presentation of data, research, field- work. Main themes: Locations, physical features and Earth processes, human and environmental Geography.

Geog	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
YR	Home and School site. Different locations and features.	Different nations. Friends around the work. Similarities and differences in our community.	Transport survey. Link with Sc/Tech:Transport & moving things
Y1	The Earth, our home (link with Science-laws and principles topic). Families/friends in different places in the world (link with history topic on families). Q What is it like to live in these places. LS focus-wall display. Children's Operation World info. Operational Christmas Child - special location. Where the UK is. Globe. Pictures. CD Rom.	CC link with Sc seasons topic - Our summer holidays - looking at places we have been (very small link!)	Link with Sc Noah- Weather and Water Cycle
Y2	Our homes (link with Science/Hist) Where we live in Merseyside. Geog vocab		Link with Sc (pollution) River Mersey. Geog vocab. Field trip
Y3	The Creational roles and interdependence of atmosphere, respiration and water. Water and the formation of landscapes.	History	World: China -particular locality Local: School locality as part of Edgehill School site (& idea of settlements - linked to History)Field work Plans - of classroom (2D design) and street plans.
Y4 Place Theme Skills	Rivers & land relationship. Story of a river. (Link with bridge building in Tec) Ref Y6/8	Global patterns of climate e.g. cold lands (link with creational role of oceans in Sc) (Difference between weather and climate. <i>Recap Y3 measurement of wind and making a wind strength measure in Tec</i>)	Europe overview: France & particular locality (to contrast with Edgehill Y3) (Overview of national community variety link with Science.)

Y5 Place Theme Skills	British isles overview. Map work. Holiday locations	Andaman Islands <i>Recap tropical rain forest (Y3). Brief look at relationship with India (Y9)</i> World maps. Physical, Human, Worldviews, history, culture and community.	Environment: Local conservation projects. Edgehill based project(wider than Y3 local topic) <i>Andaman link human and natural(Tsunami) effects on environment.</i> Concepts of change and sustainable development.
Y6 Place Theme Skills:	World Geography World map/South America - use of Atlas: Long/Lat. Contrasting cultural studies of Brazil and Bolivia. Citizens of the World ‘am I my brother’s keeper?’ CFR role of the nations and the Earth. (link to history of exploration).	Earthquakes and volcanoes (link with rocks in Y5 Science) The structure of the Earth and how people manage in these environments.	World: Africa-general overview. Specific study - Kenya (some other countries studied as appropriate to class) Cultural Studies, key emphasis is economic development and trade.
Y7 Key St 3	Introduction to Wales: Min Y Don Field trip. Natural Hazards & extreme weather. Climates	Local: Merseyside - Liverpool; Land-use and map skills (link with history growth of river based settlement)	UK-Wales-LLandrillo. Contrasting settlement Hypothesis & testing data.
Y8 Place Theme Skills	Water and landscapes. Weathering and erosion. Recap River formation: River Alt field trip. Field work skills. Min Y Don. Erosion and deposition features. River estuary. Settlements – emphasis on the nature and functions of local government. Report writing and data interpretation (link with history of government).	Work & Cultural Mandate. Economic activities and impact on environment (Link with Industrial Rev and Work topic in PSME). CFR role of work.	Europe: recap Y4 and study Italy. Worldview, culture, Economy and development. (Some Geographical link to historical study of Plains Indians. North America as a location