Subject progression: Geography - Key stage 2

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Geography	-Villages, Towns and Cities	-Rivers	-Slums (Europe)	-Local Fieldwork
	-Mountains, Volcanoes and	-Migration	-Biomes	-Population
	Earthquakes	-Natural Resources in	-Energy and Sustainability	-Globalisation
	-Water, Weather and	Northern Chile		
	Climate			
Location	Locate the world's countries			
Knowledge	using maps to focus on Europe			
	and USA- concentrating on			
	countries, their environmental	countries, their environmental	countries, their environmental	countries, their environmental
	regions, key physical and human			
	characteristics and major cities.	characteristics and major cities.	characteristics and major cities.	characteristics and major
	cines.	cities.	cities.	cities
	Name and locate counties and			
	cities of the United Kingdom,	Name and locate counties and	Name and locate counties and	Name and locate counties and
	geographical regions and their	cities of the United Kingdom,	cities of the United Kingdom,	cities of the United Kingdom,
	identifying human and physical	geographical regions and their	geographical regions and their	geographical regions and their
	characteristics, key	identifying human and physical	identifying human and physical	identifying human and physical
	topographical features	characteristics, key	characteristics, key	characteristics, key
	(including hills, mountains,	topographical features	topographical features	topographical features
	coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how	(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use	(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use	(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use
	some of these aspects have	patterns; and understand how	patterns; and understand how	patterns; and understand how
	changed over time	some of these aspects have	some of these aspects have	some of these aspects have
	onanged ever rime	changed over time	changed over time	changed over time
	Identify the position and			
	significance of latitude,	Identify the position and	*Identify the position and	*Identify the position and
	longitude, Equator, Northern	significance of latitude,	significance of latitude,	significance of latitude,
		longitude, Equator, Northern	longitude, Equator, Northern	longitude, Equator, Northern

	Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere	Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere	Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere., the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night)	Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere., the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night)
Place knowledge	Explore similarities and differences of human and physical geography of UK with another country	Explore similarities and differences of human and physical geography of UK with another country	Explore similarities and differences of human and physical geography of UK with another country	Explore similarities and differences of human and physical geography of UK with another country
Human and Physical geography	*Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes *Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement and land use	*Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: rivers and the water cycle *Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water	*Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts *Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including food and water	*Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle (summary together) Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water (summary)
Geographic al skills and fieldwork	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries and describe the features studied	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries and describe the features studied	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries and describe the features studied	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries and describe the features studied

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compass	compass	compass	compass
*use 4 figure grid references	*use 4 figure grid references	*8 figure grid references	*8 figure grid references
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Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features.	Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features.	Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features.	Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features.
Examples include: Questionnaires, mapping, surveys, sampling, field sketching and photograph analysis	Examples include: Questionnaires, mapping, surveys, sampling, field sketching and photograph analysis	Examples include: Questionnaires, mapping, surveys, sampling, field sketching and photograph analysis	Examples include: Questionnaires, mapping, surveys, sampling, field sketching and photograph analysis