

Geography - Year 3 – Skills map

Geographical Enquiry

G1	I can ask geographical questions.	
G2	I can discuss my previous learning.	
G3	I can collect and record evidence independently using a range of sources, e.g. maps and pictures.	
G4	I can explain evidence's importance and relevance.	

Locational and Place Knowledge

G5	I can locate and identify continents and oceans.	
G6	I can name some countries within the different continents.	
G7	I can locate and identify cities within the UK.	
G8	I can compare physical and human features of the UK and a non-European country.	

Human and Physical Geography

G9	I can describe the difference between human and physical geography.	
G10	I can generate examples of human and physical geography.	
G11	I can identify and explain different types of settlements.	
G12	I can identify and explain different types of land use.	
G13	I can discuss economic activity and its impact.	

Geographical Skills - Fieldwork

G14	I can use fieldwork to observe , measure and record .	
G15	I can record findings from fieldtrips.	
G16	I can use appropriate terminology.	
G17	I can use a simple database to present findings from fieldwork.	
G18	I can add titles and labels to information such as photographs.	
G19	I can review how useful a photo is.	
G20	I can identify the position of a photo on a map.	

Geographical Skills – Map work

G21	I can use the eight compass points in relation to cities within the UK.	
G22	I can explore maps, atlases, globes and digital/ computer mapping to locate countries.	
G23	I can describe features of maps.	
G24	I can use four figure grid references.	
G25	I can recognise and use symbols in a map and a key.	
G26	I can read and follow a route on a map.	
G27	I can match boundaries – using maps with different scales.	
G28	I can create a map of a short route experience using the correct symbols.	
G29	I can create a simple scale drawing.	

Geography - Year 4 – Skills map

Geographical Enquiry

G1	I can ask and answer geographical questions.	
G2	I can use evidence from different sources e.g. satellite images.	
G3	I can compare different themes.	
G4	I can examine the reliability of evidence and begin to draw conclusions.	

Locational and Place Knowledge

G5	I can identify and locate countries in Europe.	
G6	I can identify and locate and name capital cities in Europe.	
G7	I can identify and locate rivers in the UK on a map.	
G8	I can identify and locate rivers on a world map.	
G9	I can distinguish similarities and differences between the UK and the Alpine region.	
G10	I can understand the difference in climate across Europe and begin to explain why.	
G11	I can find and explain similarities and differences between Europe and other continents.	
G12	I can compare human and physical features in major cities, explaining their importance.	

Geographical Skills - Fieldwork

G19	I can use fieldwork to observe , measure , record and present the human and physical features in the local area.	
G20	I can use a database to present findings from fieldwork.	
G21	I can use sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies to show results and observations.	
G22	I can draw an annotated sketch from observation, including explanatory labels and indicating direction.	
G23	I can understand the usefulness of photo's as evidence and can evaluate them.	
G24	I can use cameras, adding the date and information to photos.	

Geographical Skills – Map work

G25	I can use a range of maps, atlases, globes and digital/ computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.	
G26	I can use eight points of a compass and four figure grid references.	
G27	I can understand and use symbols and a key when looking at or creating maps.	
G28	I can create and follow a route on a map.	
G29	I can identify features on an aerial photograph, digital or computer map.	
G30	I can draw a sketch map from a high viewpoint.	
G31	I can recognise and use OS map symbols, including completion of a key and understanding why it is important.	
G32	I can create a climate map of Europe.	

Human and Physical Geography

G13	I can identify human and physical aspects in Italy and compare to the UK.		G16	I can use a variety of ways to show information e.g. maps.	
G14	I can understand and explain the water cycle.		G17	I can explain volcanoes/mountains in simple terms.	
G15	I can identify physical and human features of rivers, explaining their importance and purpose.		G18	I can use mathematical skills when looking at geographical data.	

Geography - Year 5 – Skills map

Geographical Enquiry

G1	I can suggest questions to investigate.	
G2	I can use primary and secondary resources as evidence.	
G3	I can retrieve evidence independently.	
G4	I can infer and interpret conclusions from evidence.	

Locational and Place Knowledge

G5	I can identify and locate countries in the world on a map.	
G6	I can identify the position and significance of latitude and longitude.	
G7	I can identify the position and significance of the Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle.	
G8	I can identify the position and significance of Prime/Greenwich Meridian time zones.	
G9	I can compare a region of the UK, Europe, South America and North America and discuss similarities and differences in human and physical geography.	

Human and Physical Geography

G10	I can understand an increasing variety of physical geography.	
G11	I can understand an increasing variety of human geography.	
G12	I can offer detailed reasons for the impact of geographical influences/ effects on people, places or themes e.g. climate.	
G13	I can examine the location of places of global significance, their defining physical & human characteristics and how they relate to one another.	

Geographical Skills - Fieldwork

G14	I can select appropriate methods for collecting data.	
G15	I can represent data on graphs.	
G16	I can use sketches as evidence.	
G17	I can annotate sketches to describe and explain geographical processes and patterns.	
G18	I can justify the best viewpoint or angle when taking an image or completing a sketch.	

Geographical Skills – Map work

G19	I can identify and locate places on a variety of maps including OS and digital maps.	
G20	I can find and recognise maps using different scales.	
G21	I can use atlases to gain more information.	
G22	I can use 8 figure compasses, four figure grid references to identify features on a map.	
G23	I can begin to use 6 figure references.	
G24	I can identify the position of lines of longitude and latitude.	
G25	I can draw a sketch map using symbols and a key.	
G26	I can use and recognise OS map symbols.	
G27	I can create a range of thematic maps based on your own data.	

Geography - Year 6 – Skills map

Geographical Enquiry

G1	I can create questions to investigate.	
G2	I can use primary and secondary sources as evidence in investigations.	
G3	I can analyse and evaluate evidence.	

Locational and Place Knowledge

G4	I can identify and locate countries on a variety of maps. E.g. globes and digital mapping.	
G5	I can apply my understanding of latitude and longitude.	
G6	I can apply my understanding of the Equator, Northern Hemisphere and Southern Hemisphere.	
G7	I can apply my understanding of the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle.	
G8	I can apply my understanding of the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.	
G9	I can identify how aspects of physical and human geography have changed over time.	
G10	I can understand and explain more about the geographical regions of the world & their identifying physical and human characteristics including more cities and detail of the key topographical features including naming some UK hills, mountains & rivers or types of coasts.	
G11	I can identify and explain a variety of changes over time in regions.	

Geographical Skills - Fieldwork

G16	I can select appropriate methods of data collection, including interviews.	
G17	I can use databases to interrogate and amend data.	
G18	I can analyse data, spotting trends and anomalies and suggest improvements.	
G19	I can use photographs as evidence in their investigations and can evaluate their usefulness.	

Geographical Skills – Map work

G20	I can follow OS map routes and identify and describe features of OS maps.	
G21	I can use 8 figure compass and 6 figure grid references accurately.	
G22	I can identify and recognise atlas symbols.	
G23	I can draw plans/maps with increasing complexity.	

Human and Physical Geography

G12	I can understand and explain key aspects of: physical geography e.g. climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts.	
G13	I can describe , in detail, types of settlement, land use, economic activity including trade links.	
G14	I can describe the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals & water in the continents & countries studied and explain its importance.	
G15	I can explain , in detail, the global significance of geographical places.	