



## Gorsemoor Primary School Geography Long Term Planning



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	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
<b>Year 1 / 2 Cycle A</b>	Human and physical – UK  - Human & physical features - Understanding difference between village, town and city - Landmarks  (Geog link – UK)			Locational knowledge – World  - Continents and oceans - Hot and cold places - Compass directions - Map work  (Sci / geog link – weather)		Place knowledge – comparison  - Compare area of UK and non-European country - Human and physical features  Focus areas: Cannock and Cooktown, Australia  (Sci link- Plants) (Hist link – explorers)
<b>Year 1 / 2 Cycle B</b>	Human and physical / Geographical skills and fieldwork - School grounds and Local area  - Features of maps - Aerial photos - Human & physical features  (Sci link- trees)		Locational knowledge UK  - Map work - 4 countries and landmarks - Capital cities including some features - Surrounding seas		Place knowledge – comparison  - Compare local area and another area of the UK - Human & physical features  Focus area: Heath Hayes and Blackpool  (Sci link- plants) (Geog link- countries and landmarks)	



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<b>Year 3 / 4 Cycle A</b>	Europe – locational knowledge - Map work - Countries and capital cities - Countries in relation to each other including borders - Grid references		Locational knowledge – climate zones  - Position and direction of latitude, longitude, equator - Location of climate zones - Human and physical features of climate zones.		Place knowledge / Human and physical geography – Europe  - Human and physical features - In depth comparison of an area in the UK and an area in Europe  Focus areas: South East (inc London) and Lazio (inc Rome)	
<b>Year 3 / 4 Cycle B</b>		Locational knowledge – West Midlands  - West Midlands region - Map work - Ordnance survey maps - Use compass points - Key topographical features  (Year 2 link – Aut 1 – UK)	Locational knowledge – UK  - Regions, counties and cities - Human and physical features - Key topographical features - Land use patterns		Place knowledge - comparison - Land use - Compare 2 regions - Human and physical features  Focus areas: West Midlands and North West  (Yr 1 / 2 link – Blackpool)	



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<b>Year 5 / 6 Cycle A</b>	Locational knowledge - North America  - Map work - Countries and capital cities - Countries in relation to each other including borders - Grid references		Place knowledge - North America  - Human and physical features - In depth comparison of England and an area in North America  Focus areas: England and Mexico		Our changing world <i>(year 5 only)</i> - Climate change - Human and physical impact - Politics - Past and future changes	
<b>Year 5 / 6 Cycle B</b>	Human and physical features - Mountains and volcanoes  - Human and physical features - Locational knowledge  <i>(Sci link Y4 – liquids, solids gases)</i> <i>(Sci link – materials – changes)</i>		Locational knowledge - South America - Map work - Countries - Countries in relation to each other's including borders - Human and physical features - In depth comparison of Scotland and the Amazon Basin Focus areas: Scotland and The Amazon Basin  <i>(Link to previous map work)</i> <i>(Geog link – mountains and volcanoes)</i>		Our changing world <i>(year 5 only)</i> - Climate change - Human and physical impact - Politics - Past and future changes	

