Curriculum Intent and Breadth Map - Geography

Geography Intent

We aim to cultivate an environment within which children can become critical geographers, building their knowledge of people, places and resources. We want to inspire our pupil's curiosity and fascination of the world in which they live and to develop their local geographical identity. Children will become competent in the knowledge and skills needed to have an awareness of the environment they live in and their responsibilities in reducing the impact of their carbon footprint.

As geographers, the children will develop their knowledge and skills in the areas of **investigating patterns**, **investigating places and communicating geographically**. In each phase the children will explore their locality, European and non-European countries and carryout field study map work.

		Autumn	Spring	Summer
Key Stage 1	Year 1	The United Kingdom	Our School and its locality	Weather Patterns
	Year 2	Hot and Cold Places – a study of Australia and Antarctica	Weather Patterns	Comparing Stourbridge and Serrekunda A comparative study of a small area of The Gambia
Lower Key Stage 2	Year 3	What's the weather like? (Grenada)	Counties and Cities in the UK	Earthquakes and Volcanoes
	Year 4	Mountains and the Lake District	A study of a region in Europe – The Alps	Rivers and Coasts
Upper Key Stage 2	Year 5	Climate zones - North America	Weather study	Locational Knowledge and Climate Zones
	Year 6	Locational knowledge - Around the World	Biomes - South America	How the local area has changed