Geography Long Term Overview

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	Autumn Term						
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
Autumn 1 – All about me Autumn 2 – Once upon a time	Where in the world do I live?	What are the similarities and differences between my town and Tulum, Mexico?	What are the key geographical features of the UK, and my region?	How can we record and measure weather phenomena? (fieldwork)	History focus	History focus	
Autumn 1 Where do I live? What is my address? What is a map? What does it look like? What is our school environment like? Where is Nine Acres Primary School? How do I get to school? Autumn 2 What is a map? What is a journey? What journeys do the characters take in the story? Where do the characters live?	What is my classroom like? What can you see in your classroom? What is a bird's eye view? Where is my school on the street? What are the physical features in your local area? What are the human features in your local area? Where is my town in the country? What is a; village, town, city? What kind of settlement do you live in? What human and physical features are in your settlement? What are the seasons	Can I use atlases and globes to discover the continents and oceans of the world? Where are the oceans and continents of the world? What is the effect of the equator and the poles on the climate across the world? What is the climate along the equator? What is the climate at the North Pole? What is the climate at the South Pole? What are the countries, capital	What are the countries of the UK and the regions in England? Where is the United Kingdom? What are the four countries that make up the UK? What is a region and where is mine? What are the settlements of the UK and counties of England? What are the major settlements in the UK? What is a human landmark?				

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like in t		What are some of		
United	Kingdom? surrounding seas	the key human		
What h	nappens in of the UK?	landmarks in the		
each so	eason?	United Kingdom?		
Where	is my country Where is my local	What are the		
in the v	vorld? area and what	physical features		
Which	continent is are the key	of the UK?		
the Uni	ted Kingdom human and	What and where		
in?	physical	are the main		
How is	the weather features?	physical features		
differer	nt around	in England, Wales,		
the wor	rld? Can I create a	Scotland &		
What is	map of my	Northern Ireland?		
hemisp	here? school using key	What are the key		
How co	an you tell if a map features?	physical features		
place h	has a hot What different	found in the South		
or cold	I climate? rooms/areas are	East of England?		
	the climate there in our	How can I use		
like in t		compasses,		
	Can I create a	keys and		
	map of my local	symbols to read		
	area using aerial	a map?		
	photographs?	-		
	(include human	What features		
	and physical	can I see on a		
	features)	map?		
		What are map		
	Where is Mexico?	symbols?		
	What continent is	What is a map		
	Mexico in?	key?		
	What are the	•		
	surrounding seas?			
	How do the	four- figure grid		
	physical features	references to		
	of Tulum	read a map?		
	compare to my	What are four-		
	local area?	figure grid		
	What are the	references?		
	physical features	What are		
	of Tulum?	eastlings?		

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What are the	What are		
similarities and	northlings?		
differences	How can I use		
between our	four-figure grid		
local area and	references to		
Tulum (physical)?	locate a feature		
How do the	on a map?		
human features	What are the		
of Tulum	key		
compare to my	topographical		
local area?	features found		
What are the	in the UK?		
human features	What is a		
of Tulum?			
What are the	topographical		
similarities and	mab;		
differences	How is elevation		
between our	represented on		
local area and	a map?		
Tulum (human)? How can we	How have land		
present the	use patterns		
information we	changed over		
have gathered to	time in the UK?		
answer the			
question 'What	Why might land		
are the	use change over		
similarities and	time?		
	What effect can		
differences	land use		
between my	changes have		
local area and	on wildlife?		
Tulum, Mexico?'			
What are the	What are the key		
similarities and	human and		
differences	physical		
between our	features of the		
local area and	South East		
Tulum?	region?		
	Which region do		

Spring 1 – Around the World Spring 2 - Superheroes	My Local Park (fieldwork) Our School Environment (fieldwork)	How can we record and measure different weather phenomena?	What facilities are in my local area and how do people travel there?	What are the similarities and differences between my region and Campania, Italy?	Rivers (fieldwork) Biomes (fieldwork)	Sustainability - Plastic Waste (fieldwork)
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			Spring Term			
			I live in? Which county do I live in? What are the key physical features of my region? What are the key human features of my region? Can I create a sketch map of my local area? What is a sketch map? How can human and physical features be represented on a sketch map?			

Spring 1 Are all countries the same? What is a landmark? What are the similarities and differences between the Isle of	Where is our local park? How do people get there? What is a route? Why do people plan routes? How can we collect data about the key features of our local	What is the difference between weather and climate? Why do different parts of the world have different climates and weather? How does the	What are the types of land use? What is a settlement? What types of houses would you expect to find in these areas? What are the important features	How is the world represented on maps and globes? What do maps represent? What features would you expect to see on a map?	What is a river? How are they formed? What is the course of a river? What are their features? How can we collect information about	What is plastic waste? What are the problems with plastic in our ocean? What are the problems with plastic on a global scale?
Wight and other places around the world? How are some animals best suited to where they live?	park? What is the fieldwork you will carry out? Where and how will you carry it out? How can we present	weather affect us? How can we read a weather map? What is the weather like	of a settlement? Why do settlers choose specific places? What do settlers consider? What is	What are the key features of the UK and my region? What are the key physical features of the UK?	a river using maps? What major features can you identify? What do the	What can our school do to reduce plastic waste? How is plastic recycled? How is recycled
Spring 2 What does recycle mean? Why is recycling important? How can litter impact the	data about our local park's facilities? What facilities were at our local park? How many human features were at the park? How many physical features were at the	today? What is the weather typically like in temperate climate zones? What is the weather like in the UK? How can we	essential? What is desirable? How can I record the facilities that are available in my local area? Which other places do you have links to?	What are the key human features of the UK? What are Euroope's human and physical features, including countries and	symbols, pictures and abbreviations mean on a map? How can we present data about our local river? What rivers are	plastic reusable? How can we plan and carry out effective ways to reduce plastic waste in school? Where do you expect to find the most plastic waste?
environment? How can we improve our school environment?	Which features in our school grounds encourage plant life?	show the weather over time? How can we collect weather data? How do	Do you travel to another town, village or city to go shopping or to a club or activity?	capital cities? Where is Europe? What are human and physical features? What are the countries and	near our school? Where is our local river? What is the River Medina used for? How will I analyse my data	What kind of plastic waste do you expect to find the most of? How can we record and evaluate the effectiveness of
	Are there any green spaces in your school? Where might you find plant life in your school? Does your school have any special	meteorologists measure precipitation, wind direction, cloud cover and temperature? How can we collect and	How can I present and analyse information about local facilities? What can we do with the data collected? How can we	capital cities in Europe? What are the key geographical features of Italy? Where is Italy? What are the regions in Italy?	collected from my fieldwork? What is the best way to present our data and why? How will I evaluate my	reducing plastic waste in school? How can we present the data collected? What went well in your fieldwork?

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features or	record weather	present our data?	What are some	data?	
areas to grow	data?	What does the	of the key	How will I present	
plants?	How will we	data show us?	physical features	this data?	
	measure the		of Italy?		
Where on our school			What is plate		
grounds could we	How will we carry		tectonics?		
encourage plant	out our fieldwork?		What is		
life?	How will we		continental drift?		
How are places	record our data?		Are the plates still		
represented on	How can we		moving?		
maps?	present our data?		How do the		
What symbols are	Rainfall,				
			tectonic plates		
used on maps?	temperature,		move?		
Communication than the	cloud cover,		What are		
Can we share the	wind direction.		earthquakes and		
locations on our	How can we		how do they		
school grounds	analyse our		occur?		
which would	weather data		Where do		
encourage plant	and evaluate our		earthquakes		
life?	fieldwork?		happen?		
What is directional	How can we		What is the ring		
language? What	evaluate our		of fire?		
directional	fieldwork?		What types of		
language do we	What went well		earthquakes are		
know?	when you carried		there?		
What is a compass?	out your		How are		
What is it used for?	fieldwork?		earthquakes		
	Did you use the		measured?		
	right instruments		Where do you		
	and recording		think most '		
	sheets?		earthquakes		
	What would you		happen in Italy?		
	do differently if		Which two		
	you could do it		tectonic plates		
	again?		meet over Italy?		
	agaii i		What types of		
			earthquakes		
			might happen in		
			Campania? What are		
			what are		

				volcanoes and how do they occur? How do volcanoes erupt? What is an active / dormant / extinct volcano? What are the types of volcanoes? Where do volcanoes happen? Where is Mount Vesuvius? Where is Pompeii?		
			Summer term			
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Summer 1 – Growing Summer 2 – Island Life	History focus	History focus	History focus	Locality unit - Erosion on the Isle of Wight	The United States - What are the similarities and differences between my region and the Western United States?	What is the economic activity of the UK, and how sustainable is it?

Summer 1 How do different environments affect growth? Where does our food come from? Why does that grow there? Is it a hot or a cold country? Why can't we grow that on the Isle of Wight? What food is grown on the Isle of Wight? Summer 2 What are the differences between forests, beaches and towns on the Isle of Wight? What places on the Isle of Wight have you visited? What did you see? Why do people		What are coasts? How are they formed? What are the physical features of coasts? What are the different erosion types? What coastal management is in place around the Isle of Wight? What different beaches can be found on the Isle of Wight? How are the beaches being protected from erosion? How does coastal erosion affect people?	What are the key features of the UK and my region? What is the highest point in the UK? What is the longest river in the UK? What capital cities are in the UK? What key landmarks can be found in the UK? What is the geography of the North American continent? Where is North America? What are the landscapes of North America? What are the main physical geographical	What are the key geographical features of the UK? What are the main sectors of the UK economy? What jobs do you think people would do in the primary sector? What jobs do you think people would do in the secondary sector? What jobs do you think people would do in the secondary sector? What jobs do you think people would do in the tertiary sector? How sustainable is the primary sector of the UK economy? How sustainable is agriculture in the UK? How sustainable is energy generation in the UK?
Isle of Wight have you visited? What did you see?		affect people?	North America? What are the main physical	UK? How sustainable is energy generation
			What is the USA? What are the four regions of the USA?	How sustainable is the use of rare earth elements? How does automation affect the economic

		What is the human / physical geography of the West / Midwest / Northeast / South? What is the main economic activity of states in the Western United States? What is the water cycle? Where is Earth's water? What are the stages of the water cycle? How does the water cycle affect us? How is climate change affecting the water cycle? What are rivers? How are rivers formed? What rivers can be found in the USA? What is similar / different between the Colorado River and the River Medina? What are	activity of the UK? How sustainable is waste management in the UK? How sustainable is the economic activity in the UK?
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		mountains? How are mountains formed? How were the Rocky Mountains formed? What is the name of the closest mountain or mountain range near you? What is the highest peak, and how tall is it? What are the climate zones and biomes of the the Western United States? What are the	
		vegetation belts of the the Western United States? What are the volcanoes and earthquake zones of the the Western United States? Why are there so many active volcanoes? Why are there often	

	†	earthquakes in this region? How do
	6	volcanoes and earthquakes occur? Case study;
	l h	Mount Saint Helens
	s V S	What are the key settlements in the Western United States and how
		do they compare to my region? Which states have the smallest
	r t	oopulation? Why do you think there is such an extensive
	r F ii	range of copulation sizes n these states?
	, c	How do the coopulation densities of the Western United
		States and the UK compare? What are the
	C	similarities and differences between my region and the
		Western United States?