



BRW Geography Curriculum Overview

	Advent	Lent	Pentecost
EYFS	Marvellous Me Natural world exploration through play, stories and forest school	Celebrations	People who help us
YEAR 1	Seasonal Changes identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom Reflectiveness – pupils observe and reflect on how and why weather patterns change.	Oceans and Continents name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans Resourcefulness – pupils use maps, globes and atlases to locate continents and oceans independently.	UK name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
YEAR 2	Local Geography use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment. Relationships – pupils work together during fieldwork to observe and record features of their school environment.	UK and comparison with non-European country understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom, and of a small area in a contrasting non-European country	Coasts use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key Resilience – pupils interpret aerial photographs and attempt map-making, developing perseverance with unfamiliar methods.
YEAR 3	Settlements in UK name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom	Volcanoes and Earthquakes. name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom	Greece: European Case Study understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography
YEAR 4	Mountains describe and understand key aspects of physical geography	Italy: European Case Study understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography	Settlements describe and understand key aspects of human geography
YEAR 5	Climate identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere	Rivers describe and understand key aspects of physical geography	Global Trade economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Responsibility – pupils learn about sustainable energy choices and their responsibility toward the environment.
YEAR 6	The impact of humans on the environment describe and understand key aspects of human geography	Geography of the British Empire use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied	North and South America identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere