

KS2 Geography
Curriculum Content - Long term plan

Two year rolling programme		Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 1	Topic	Celebrations	On Safari	Treasure Island
Key Focus		Pupils will look at celebrations from around the world e.g. Diwali in India. Pupils will develop their map and atlas skills to locate different countries and discuss different artefacts used or created in times of celebration.	Pupils will locate different habitats found around the school. They will create maps to show where the habitats have been found. Pupils will also look at where invertebrates' habitats are found and where invertebrates can be found around the world. Pupils will look at the biggest and smallest country/island and what animals live there.	Pupils will locate islands on a globe or in an atlas as well as exploring different kinds of islands around the world focusing on their features. Pupils will begin to explore direction by looking at compasses and maps as well as being introduced to the vocabulary north, south, east and west.
Year 2	Topic	Who am I? & Healthy Me	Material Monsters	Holidays
Key focus		Pupils will be encouraged to use a simple atlas to locate the town in which they live as well as comparing towns that surround them. Pupils will create a simple map and undertake a journey following simple directions and a pictorial map.	Pupils will have the opportunity to learn the origins of different materials e.g. paper from trees, clay from quarries. Pupils will also look at different kinds of transport and the different ways we can travel to school.	Pupils will look at different maps to locate holiday destinations as well as local airports. Pupils will compare landmarks within the UK to landmarks in different countries e.g. the Eiffel Tower. Pupils will furthermore find polar regions on a globe and research different expeditions that have occurred.