

GEOGRAPHY – Key Vocabulary CYCLE A



	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
EYFS	<p>My World and Me (Outdoor Adventures)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • natural objects names (e.g. leaf, flower, twig, bark, feather, seed, etc.) • senses words (e.g. smell, touch, feel, sound, look, colour, soft, hard, spiky, tickly, rough, etc.) • look • notice • observe • see • weather adjectives (e.g. soft, hard, wet, bright, dark, freezing, etc.) • weather words (e.g. sun, rain, snow, hot, dry, cold, wet, etc.) • natural object names (e.g. acorn, leaf, twig, feather, etc.) • Senses words (e.g. look, feel, soft, hard, sour, sweet, lour, gentle, etc.) • autumn • spring • summer • winter • natural object names (e.g. acorn, leaf, twig, feather, etc.) • words related to the senses and the seasons (e.g. cold, frosty, hot, sunny, wet, etc.) 		<p>Once Upon a Time (Exploring Maps)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • feature • feature names (e.g. hill, hut, island, lake, land, ocean, palm tree, river) • find • identify • look • map • Search • above • aerial • bird's eye view • feature names (e.g. bench, building, field, gate, hall, hill, house, playground, pond, road, steps, tree, woodland) • photograph • building • car park • church • city • field • lake • mosque • post office • town • village • direction 		<p>Little Explorers (Around the World)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beach • building • church • desert • forest • hill • mountain • playground • river • roundabout • city • countryside • farm • field • village • weather • bus stop • church • city • cottage • countryside • flats • lamp post • pond • post box • tractor 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • words related to the senses and the seasons (e.g. cold, frosty, hot, sunny, wet, etc.) • Alive • home • non-living • sort 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • journey • object • path • route • feature names (e.g. bench, building, field, gate, hall, hill, house, playground, pond, road, steps, tree, woodland etc.) • directional language (e.g. across, around, behind, beneath, next to, under, etc.) • place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • desert • land • map • postcard • rainforest • travel • waterfall • weather • cactus • camel • desert • explorer • palm tree • sand dune • storm • blizzard • explorer • ice • polar • scientists • snow • snowstorm 			
<p>YEAR 1 / 2</p>		<p>What is it like here?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • aerial photograph • aerial view • atlas • city • country • directional language • distance • features • globe 		<p>What is the weather like here in the UK?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • atlas • autumn • direction • east • England • Europe • map • north • Northern Ireland 		<p>What can you see at the coast?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • aerial photograph • capital city • city • cliff • coast • coastline • continent • country

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • improve • key • land • locate • location • map • north • place • questionnaire • sea • survey • symbol • town • village 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • place • Scotland • season • south • spring • summer • United Kingdom • Wales • weather • west • winter 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • data collection • fieldwork • island • harbour • human feature • lake • landmark • location • locate • ocean • physical feature • pictogram • pier • river • sand dunes • sea • tally chart • tourist • town • village
YEAR 3 / 4		Why do people live near volcanoes? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • active volcano • climate change • composite volcano • crust • dormant volcano 		Why are rainforests important? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analyse • biome • buttress roots • canopy layer • community • data • deforestation 		Where does our food come from? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • air freight • carbon footprint • consume • distribution • export • fertiliser

- earthquake
- epicentre
- extinct volcano
- fault line
- fault-block mountain
- fertile soil
- fold mountain
- geothermal energy
- igneous rock
- index
- inner core
- outer core
- magma
- magma chamber
- man-made rock
- mantle
- metamorphic rock
- minerals
- natural rock
- negative effects
- plate boundary
- positive effects
- pyroclastic flow
- sedimentary rock
- seismic waves
- shield volcano
- tectonic plate

- drought
- emergent layer
- enquiry
- equator
- forest floor
- global warming
- greenhouse gas
- indigenous peoples
- interpret
- lianas
- lines of latitude
- logging
- method
- mining
- present
- questionnaire
- quote
- risk
- route
- summarise
- Tropic of Capricorn
- Tropic of Cancer
- understorey layer
- vegetation
- vegetation belts

- food bank
- food miles
- grant
- import
- pesticides
- produce
- qualitative
- quantitative
- reliability
- responsible trade
- sample size
- scale bar
- seasonal food
- source
- sustainability
- trade
- trend

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tsunami • vent • volcanic mountain • volcanic springs 				
YEAR 5 /6		<p>What is life like in the Alps?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • atlas • climate • climate change • coniferous trees • data • deciduous trees • enquiry • fold mountain • glacier • hemisphere • human feature • land height • latitude • leisure • longitude • method • mountain climate • mountain range • OS map • physical feature 		<p>Would you like to live in the desert?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • agriculture • airstrip • arid • barren • biome • climate • desert • desertification • drought • flash flood • mesa • mining • mushroom rock • national park • natural arch • nature reserve • rainfall • ranching • renewable energy • salt flat • sand dune • sparse 		<p>Where does our energy come from?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • biofuel • coal • consumption • contour line • crude oil • dam • emissions • energy source • hydropower • natural gas • non-renewable • nuclear power • Prime Meridian • producer • regenerate • renewable • replenish • sea level • solar power • time zone • urban planner • windpower

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• population• questionnaire• sea level• recreational land use• risk• route• scale• temperate• temperate forest• tourism• tourist• vegetation		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• time zone• tourist attraction• vegetation• weather		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• six-figure grid reference
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GEOGRAPHY – Key Vocabulary CYCLE B

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<p>YEAR 1 / 2</p>		<p>Where Am I?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • aerial photograph • aerial view • atlas • beach • car park • city • country • directional language 		<p>Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • arid • climate • compass • continent • country • desert • Equator • globe 		<p>What is it like to live in Shanghai?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • continent • country • different • directional language e.g. near, far, next to, behind, etc. • key • human feature

- farm
- feature
- feelings
- fieldwork
- forest
- hill
- house
- lake
- land
- locate
- location
- map
- mountain
- museum
- north
- ocean
- photograph
- place
- pond
- position
- post office
- postcard
- present
- river
- roundabout
- route
- school grounds
- sea
- shop
- symbol
- town
- village

- grasslands
- human feature
- ice sheet
- land
- locate
- map
- mild
- ocean
- pack ice
- physical feature
- polar
- rain gauge
- rainforest
- rural
- savannah
- sea
- temperate
- temperature
- thermometer
- tropical
- urban
- vegetation
- weather

- map
- physical feature
- similar
- symbol

<p>YEAR 3 / 4</p>		<p>Who lives in Antarctica?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • climate • climate zone • compass points • direction • drifting ice • hemisphere • ice sheet • ice shelf • iceberg • lines of latitude • lines of longitude • treaty 		<p>Are all settlements the same?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • agricultural land • capital city • commercial land • compare • country border • county • dispersed • facilities • land use • legend • linear • local • memorial • metro • monument • nucleated • place of worship • recreational land • region • residential land • settlement • transportation 		<p>What are rivers and how are they used?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • condensation • delta • estuary • evaporation • flooding • floodplain • groundwater • irrigation • leisure • meander • oxbow lake • percolation • precipitation • river mouth • source • transpiration • tributary • valley • water cycle • waterfall
<p>YEAR 5/6</p>		<p>Why does population change?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • air pollution • birth rate • cartogram 		<p>Why do oceans matter?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • atmosphere • biodegradable • buffer 		<p>Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analyse • audience

- climate
- climate change
- conclusions
- death rate
- deforestation
- densely populated
- digital technologies
- fossil fuels
- greenhouse gases
- impact
- improvements
- involuntary
- Likert scale
- migrants
- migration
- natural increase
- noise pollution
- population
- population density
- population distribution
- pull factors
- push factors
 - qualitative
 - quantitative
 - refugee
 - region
 - sparsely populated

- coral bleaching
- coral reef
- decompose
- digital map
- disposable
- ecology
- ecosystem
- erosion
- geology
- habitat
- human footprint
- marine
- microplastics
- natural disaster
- ocean current
- policy
- renewable energy
- single use plastic
- species
- water cycle

- city
- data
- data collection methods
- enquiry
- evidence
- impact
- improvement
- issue
- justify
- plot
- presenting
- process
- recommendation
- region
- risk
- route
- subjective
- viewpoint

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