Our medium term planning for Geography across each year group:

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Term 1	Where we live- the area of Jennett's	Locate London, link to capitals in GB.	Name and locate counties and cities of	Maps	European maps	Leaflets about the residential
	Park, houses around		the United Kingdom,	Word Geography	Time Zones	
	here, similarities	Compare London	geographical regions			
	between our houses	then/now. Look at	and their identifying		The UK cities and	
	and others. Jennett's	landmarks including	human and physical		counties	
	Park is in Bracknell,	river. Human impact	characteristics			
	which is in					
	Englandetc.	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.				
Term 2	Locality		Locational	Water	European maps	(depending
			Knowledge			
	Here vs other UK				Time Zones	on the sporting
	area		Locate the world's			competition –
			countries, Using		The UK cities and	Olympics, World
	Compare Jennett's		maps to focus on		counties	Cup, Euros, Rugby
	Park to another UK		Europe (including the			World cup)
	area (countryside or		location of Russia)			
	town)		and North and South			Advent project
			America,			
			concentrating on their			
			environmental			
			regions, key physical			

			and human characteristics, countries, and major cities.			
Term 3	Around the world games – locate on a map. Look at how games and toys vary around the world and name and locate those countries on a map/globe.	Castles of the UK Physical - Where were castles usually built? Why? Different physical features of the land.		All around the world	North and South Americas	Impact of a world competition on the country and community
Term 4	How transport varies around the world. Look at the similarities and differences between transport in other countries. Name and locate these areas on a map.		DAY/NIGHT _Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night)	Volcanoes	Ordnance Survey Maps Local area mapping	
Term 5	Maps – compass points, direction.		Human geography including: types of settlement and land use, economic		North and South Americas	

	Look at old style maps and new style maps. Discuss compass in relation to sailing the seas (pirates) and directions.		activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.			
Term 6	Comparison of the artic to the UK. Features of the Arctic and Antarctic and compare this climate to our own. Features of desert and rainforest and compare this to our own.	of a British location.	understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Water	Environments	International Schools project Compare and contrast

Reception- long term overview				
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills	
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Year 1- long term overview			
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills
Name, locate, identify:	Understand and compare:	Describe and understand:	Use and learn:
4 countries and capital cities of the UK and surrounding seas.	differences between local area (JP) and small non- EU country		Use maps/globe/atlases to locate UK Fieldwork of local area surrounding school- outdoor learning
		How we can help our environment-traffic survey. Walk to school week.	

Year 2- long term overview			
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills
Name, locate, identify:	Understand and compare:	Describe and understand:	Use and learn:
	0 1	around the world	Use maps/globe/atlases to locate UK as well as 7 continents.

similar)	hill, beach, forest, mountain, sea,	Fieldwork of local area surrounding school- outdoor learning
III		Use aerial photos to recognise
II .		landmarks and basic Geographical features. Make own map.
III	recycle, reuse.	Use main 4 compass points and directional language

Year 3- long term overview			
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills
Name, locate, identify:	Understand and compare:	Describe and understand:	Use and learn:
Continents, main countries, capital cities of Europe, rivers, deserts and mountains.	Geographical similarities and differences between local area, a region in an EU country.	1 -	Use maps/globe/atlases to locate continents and countries.
Significance of the Equator		Physical Geography including River and water cycle and volcanoes and earthquakes	Use 8 point compass and basic key and symbols of maps.
		II I	Fieldwork of local area surrounding school
			Including sketches, maps, plans and graphs.

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Year 4- long term overview					
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills		
Name, locate, identify:	Understand and compare :	Describe and understand:	Use and learn:		
Continents, main countries and capital cities of Europe. Rivers, deserts and mountains. Areas of similar climate e.g. rainforests, arctic, desert.	Geographical similarities and differences between local area, a region in an EU country.	vegetation belts. Understand how humans affect the Earth over time. Plastic pollution in our rivers and oceans.	Use maps/globe/atlases to locate continents and countries. Use 8 point compass and basic key and symbols of maps. Fieldwork of local area surrounding school Including sketches, maps, plans, graphs and digital technology.		

Year 5- long term overview	Year 5- long term overview				
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills		
Name, locate, identify:	Understand and compare:	Describe and understand:	Use and learn:		
Continents, main countries including N and S America, some key states of America and their features.	differences between local area	vegetation belts, coasts, erosion and	Use maps/globe/atlases to locate continents and countries.		
	A AMOCACU.		Use 8 point compass, 4 figure grid references, symbols and keys.		

Main cities in England and the UK.	people seek to sustain their environment?	
		Fieldwork of local area surrounding school
Significance of GMT		Including sketches, maps, plans, graphs and digital technology.

Year 6- long term overview				
Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Fieldwork skills	
		Describe and understand:	Use and learn:	
Name, locate, identify:		-		
	Understand and compare:	Climates zones, biomes and vegetation belts, coasts, erosion,	Use maps/globe/atlases to locate continents and countries.	
Main countries and cities in all 7 continents.		deposition, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes and water cycle.		
Main Geographical features of these.	Geographical similarities and differences between local area, a region in an EU country and a region in North or South	Understand how humans affect the	Use 8 point compass, 6 figure grid references, symbols and keys, latitude and longitude.	
Key topographical features including coast, erosion, hills, mountains and rivers.	America.	Earth over time. Include settlement, economic activity, trade links, distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.	Fieldwork of local area surrounding school	
			Including sketches, maps, plans, graphs and digital technology.	