



<b>Subject</b>	Geography
<b>Year Group</b>	Year 2
<b>Knowledge</b> <b>Essential facts (Directly correlating to NC document)</b> <b>Key vocabulary / technical terms</b>	
<b><u>Children will know:</u></b>	
<b><u>Locational knowledge</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The seven continents of the world; North America, South America, Europe, Africa, Asia, Australia and Antarctica.</li> <li>• The five oceans of the world; Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Arctic and Southern.</li> <li>• The Southern Ocean is near Antarctica.</li> <li>• The Indian Ocean is near Africa, Asia and Australia.</li> <li>• The Atlantic Ocean separates Europe and Africa from North and South America.</li> <li>• The Pacific Ocean separates North and South America from Australia and Asia.</li> <li>• The Arctic Ocean is located to the north of Europe, Asia and North America.</li> </ul>	
<b><u>Place knowledge</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brazil is the largest country in South America.</li> <li>• Know where Brazil is on the map.</li> <li>• Know what continent Brazil is on.</li> <li>• The Amazon River is a key natural feature of Brazil.</li> <li>• Over half the Amazon Rainforest is in Brazil.</li> <li>• Some of the nature and manmade features of Brazil.</li> </ul>	
<b><u>Human and physical geography</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Know where the Equator is on a map.</li> <li>• The Equator is a line around the middle of Earth.</li> <li>• Day and night are the same length at the Equator.</li> <li>• The weather is hot close to the Equator.</li> <li>• The Arctic is an ocean surrounded by land.</li> <li>• Antarctica is a continent surrounded by lots of large areas of floating ice.</li> <li>• Name some of the key natural features of a place in the UK using the vocabulary – coast, mountain, ocean, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather.</li> <li>• Name some of the key manmade features of a place in the UK using the vocabulary – factory, village, office, port and harbour.</li> </ul>	
<b><u>Geographical skills and fieldwork</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Find the seven continents on a map.</li> <li>• Identify the oceans on a map or in an atlas.</li> <li>• Know where the Arctic and Antarctica are on a map.</li> <li>• Use North, South, East, West, left, right, near and far correctly to show direction.</li> <li>• Know the symbols to show the following on a map – parking, telephone, place of worship, bus station, Police Station and School.</li> </ul>	