

## A Year 1 geographer

- I know the names of the four countries in the United Kingdom and locate them on a map.
- I keep a weather chart and answer questions about the weather.
- I know about some of the main things that are in hot and cold places.
- I know which clothes I would wear in hot and cold places.
- I know how the weather changes throughout the year and name the seasons.
- I point to the equator, North and South Pole on an atlas and globe.
- I know about some of the features of an island.
- I know where I live and tell someone my address.
- I know the four main directions on a compass are North; East, South and West.
- I know what I like and do not like about the place I live.

## A Year 2 geographer

- I name the continents of the world and locate them on a map.
- I name the world's oceans and locate them on a map.
- I name the capital cities of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.
- I know what I like and do not like about a place that is different to the one I live in.
- I describe a place outside Europe using geographical words.
- I know how jobs may be different in other locations.
- I know the key features of a place from a picture using words like beach, coast, forest, hill, mountain, ocean, valley.
- I know about the facilities that a village, town and city may need and give reasons.
- I use the directional vocabulary: near; far; left; right to explain where a location is.

## A Year 3 geographer

- I know the name of a number of countries in the northern hemisphere.
- I know the capital city of at least six European countries.
- I locate the Tropic of Cancer, the Tropic of Capricorn and the Greenwich meridian on a map.
- I know whether a country is located in the Southern or Northern hemisphere
- I know why people may be attracted to live in cities.
- I know why people may choose to live in one place rather than another.
- I know about, locate and name some of the world's most famous volcanoes.
- I know about and describe the key aspects of earthquakes.
- I know about and describe the key aspects of volcanoes.

### **A Year 4 geographer**

- I know how to plan a journey from my town/ city to another place in England.
- I know how to find at least six cities in the UK on a map.
- I research to discover features of villages, towns and cities and appreciate the differences.
- I know about, name and locate some of the main islands that surround the United Kingdom.
- I know the areas of origin of the main ethnic groups in the United Kingdom and in our school.
- I know the difference between the British Isles, Great Britain and the United Kingdom.

### **A Year 5 geographer**

- I know, name and locate the capital cities of neighbouring European countries.
- I know the countries that make up the European Union.
- I know about, name and locate many of the world's most famous mountainous regions.
- I know why most cities are situated by rivers.
- I know about the course of a river.
- I name and locate many of the world's most famous rivers.
- I know why ports are important and the role they play in distributing goods around the world.

### **A Year 6 geographer**

- I know how to use an atlas by using the index to find places.
- I know how to use some basic Ordnance Survey map symbols.
- I know how to use Ordnance Survey symbols and six-figure grid references.
- I collect and accurately measure information (e.g. rainfall, temperature, wind speed, noise levels etc).
- I know why some places are similar and dissimilar in relation to their human and physical features.
- I know how time zones work and calculate time differences around the world.
- I name the largest deserts in the world and locate desert regions in an atlas.