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| Human features and<br>landmarks | <ul> <li>Human features are<br/>man-made and<br/>include houses,<br/>shops, buildings,<br/>offices, parks, streets<br/>and places of<br/>worship. Name and<br/>talk about man-<br/>made features in the<br/>local environment,<br/>including shops,<br/>houses, streets and<br/>parks.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Human features are man-<br/>made and include<br/>factories, farms, houses,<br/>offices, ports, harbours and<br/>shops. Landmarks and<br/>monuments are features of<br/>a landscape, city or town<br/>that are easily seen and<br/>recognised from a distance.<br/>They also help someone to<br/>establish and describe a<br/>location. Name and<br/>describe the purpose of<br/>human features and<br/>landmarks.</li> <li>Human features are man-<br/>made and include castles,<br/>towers, schools, hospitals,<br/>bridges, shops, tunnels,<br/>monuments, airports and<br/>roads. People use human<br/>features in different ways.<br/>For example, an airport can<br/>be used for work or leisure<br/>and a harbour can be used<br/>for industry or travel. Use<br/>geographical vocabulary<br/>to describe how and why<br/>people use a range of<br/>human features.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Services include banks, post offices, hospitals, public transport and garages. Land use types include leisure, housing, industry, transport and agriculture. Describe the type, purpose and use of different buildings, monuments, services and land, and identify reasons for their location.</li> <li>Human features can be interconnected by function, type and transport links. Describe a range of human features and their location and explain how they are interconnected.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Transport networks can be tangible, such as rails, roads or canals, or intangible, such as air and sea corridors. These networks link places together and allow for the movement of people and goods. Transport networks are usually built where there is a high demand for the movement of people or goods. They run between places where journeys start or finish, such as airports, bus stations, ferry terminals or railway stations. Describe and explain the location, purpose and use of transport networks across the UK and other parts of the world.</li> <li>The distribution of and access to natural resources, cultural influences and economic activity are significant factors in community life in a settlement. Explain how humans function in the place they live.</li> </ul> |
| Settlements and land<br>use     | <ul> <li>Describe a contrasting</li> </ul>  | • A settlement is a place<br>where people live and work<br>and can be big or small,<br>depending on how many<br>people live there. Towns  | <ul> <li>Different types of settlement<br/>include rural, urban, hamlet,<br/>town, village, city and suburban<br/>areas. A city is a large settlement<br/>where many people live and</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Agricultural land use in the UK can<br/>be divided into three main types,<br/>arable (growing crops), pastoral<br/>(livestock) and mixed (arable and<br/>pastoral). An allotment is a small</li> </ul>   |



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|                     | environment to their<br>own.  | <ul> <li>and cities are urban<br/>settlements. Features of<br/>towns and cities include<br/>homes, shops, roads and<br/>offices. Identify the<br/>characteristics of a<br/>settlement.</li> <li>Industries are businesses<br/>that make things, sell things<br/>and help people live their<br/>everyday lives. Land can<br/>be used for recreational,<br/>transport, agricultural,<br/>residential and commercial<br/>purposes, or a mixture of<br/>these. Describe the size,<br/>location and function of a<br/>local industry.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>work. Residential areas<br/>surrounding cities are called<br/>suburbs. Describe the type and<br/>characteristics of settlement or<br/>land use in an area or region.</li> <li>Land uses include agricultural,<br/>recreational, housing and<br/>industry. Water systems are used<br/>for transport, industry, leisure and<br/>power. Explain ways that<br/>settlements, land use or water<br/>systems are used in the UK and<br/>other parts of the world.</li> </ul>              | <ul> <li>piece of land used to grow fruit, vegetables and flowers. A wide variety of crops are farmed in the UK, such as wheat, barley, oats, potatoes, other vegetables, fruits and oilseed rape. A wide variety of livestock are reared on farms in the UK, such as sheep, dairy cattle, beef cattle, poultry and pigs. Describe in detail the different types of agricultural land use in the UK.</li> <li>Natural resources include food, minerals (aluminium, sandstone and oil) energy sources (water, coal and gas) and water. Describe the distribution of natural resources in an area or country.</li> </ul> |
| Climate and weather | • There are four<br>seasons in the United<br>Kingdom: spring,<br>summer, autumn and<br>winter. Each season<br>has typical weather<br>patterns. Record<br>observations about<br>the way the local<br>environment<br>changes throughout<br>each season. | <ul> <li>There are four seasons in<br/>the UK: spring, summer,<br/>autumn and winter. Each<br/>season has typical weather<br/>patterns. Types of weather<br/>include sun, rain, wind,<br/>snow, fog, hail and sleet. In<br/>the United Kingdom, the<br/>length of the day varies<br/>depending on the season.<br/>In winter, the days are<br/>shorter. In summer, the days<br/>are longer. Symbols are<br/>used to show different types<br/>of weather. Identify</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Excessive precipitation includes<br/>thunderstorms, downbursts,<br/>tornadoes, waterspouts, tropical<br/>cyclones, extratropical cyclones,<br/>blizzards and ice storms. Explain<br/>how the weather affects the use<br/>of urban and rural environments.</li> <li>Climatic variation describes the<br/>changes in weather patterns or<br/>the average weather conditions<br/>of a country or continent. Explain<br/>climatic variations of a country<br/>or continent.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>different countries adapt their farming practices to suit their local climate and landscape. Explain how the climate affects land use.</li> <li>Climate and extreme weather can affect the size and nature of</li> </ul>  |



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|                    |  | <ul> <li>patterns in daily and<br/>seasonal weather.</li> <li>A weather pattern is a type<br/>of weather that is repeated.<br/>Describe simple weather<br/>patterns of hot and cold<br/>places.</li> </ul>   |   | Evaluate the extent to which<br>climate and extreme weather<br>affect how people live.  |
| Physical processes | All types of weather<br>can affect the<br>environment and<br>how we use it. For<br>example, on sunny<br>days, people might<br>go to the park or the<br>coastline. On cold,<br>icy days, roads and<br>rivers can be frozen.<br>Describe how<br>different types of<br>weather affect the<br>local environment. | <ul> <li>Weather is a physical process. Describe in simple terms how a physical process or human behaviour has affected an area, place or human activity.</li> <li>Erosion is a physical process that involves the weathering and movement of natural materials, such as rock, sand and soil. Erosion is caused by wind and water, including waves, floods, rivers and rainfall. Describe, in simple terms, the effects of erosion.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Volcanic eruptions and<br/>earthquakes happen when two<br/>tectonic plates push into each<br/>other, pull apart from one<br/>another or slide alongside each<br/>other. The centre of an<br/>earthquake is called the<br/>epicentre. Explain the physical<br/>processes that cause<br/>earthquakes and volcanic<br/>eruptions.</li> <li>Water cannot be made. It is<br/>constantly recycled through a<br/>process called the water cycle.<br/>The four stages of the water<br/>cycle are evaporation,<br/>condensation, precipitation and<br/>collection. During the water<br/>cycle, water changes state due<br/>to heating and cooling. Use<br/>specific geographical<br/>vocabulary and diagrams to<br/>explain the water cycle.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Soil fertility, drainage and climate influence the placement and success of agricultural land. Describe how soil fertility, drainage and climate affect agricultural land use.</li> <li>Physical processes that can affect a landscape include erosion by wind, water or ice; the deposition of stone and silt by water and ice; land movement, such as landslides and tectonic activity, such as earthquakes or volcanic eruptions. Describe the physical processes, including weather, that affect two different locations.</li> </ul> |



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| Geographical<br>resources | <ul> <li>Maps and<br/>photographs can be<br/>used to show key<br/>features of the local<br/>environment. Use<br/>photographs and<br/>maps to identify and<br/>describe human and<br/>physical features<br/>from their locality.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>An aerial photograph or<br/>plan perspective shows an<br/>area of land from above.<br/>Identify features and<br/>landmarks on an aerial<br/>photograph or plan<br/>perspective.</li> <li>An aerial photograph can<br/>be vertical (an image taken<br/>directly from above) or<br/>oblique (an image taken<br/>from above and to the<br/>side). Study aerial<br/>photographs to describe<br/>the features and<br/>characteristics of an area<br/>of land.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Maps, globes and digital<br/>mapping tools can help to<br/>locate and describe significant<br/>geographical features. Analyse<br/>maps, atlases and globes,<br/>including digital mapping, to<br/>locate countries and describe<br/>features studied.</li> <li>An atlas is a collection of maps<br/>and information that shows<br/>geographical features,<br/>topography, boundaries,<br/>climatic, social and economic<br/>statistics of an area. Study and<br/>draw conclusions about places<br/>and geographical features using<br/>a range of geographical<br/>resources, including maps,<br/>atlases, globes and digital<br/>mapping.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Aerial photography is used in cartography, land-use planning and environmental studies. It can be used alongside maps to find out detailed information about a place, or places. Analyse and compare a place, or places, using aerial photographs. atlases and maps.</li> <li>Satellite images are photographs of Earth taken by imaging satellites. Use satellite imaging and maps of different scales to find out geographical information about a place.</li> </ul>             |
| Data analysis             | • Geographical<br>information can be<br>collected by using<br>simple tally charts<br>and pictograms.<br>Begin to collect<br>simple geographical<br>data during fieldwork<br>activities.  | <ul> <li>Data is information that can<br/>be collected and used to<br/>answer a geographical<br/>question. Collect simple<br/>data during fieldwork<br/>activities.</li> <li>Data can be recorded in<br/>different ways, including<br/>tables, charts and<br/>pictograms. Collect and<br/>organise simple data in<br/>charts and tables from<br/>primary sources (fieldwork<br/>and observation) and</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Primary data includes<br/>information gathered by<br/>observation and investigation.<br/>Analyse primary data, identifying<br/>any patterns observed.</li> <li>Secondary data includes<br/>information gathered by<br/>geographical reports, surveys,<br/>maps, research, books and the<br/>internet. Collect and analyse<br/>primary and secondary data,<br/>identifying and analysing</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Geographical data, such as<br/>demographics or economic<br/>statistics, can be used as<br/>evidence to support conclusions.<br/>Summarise geographical data to<br/>draw conclusions.</li> <li>Data helps us to understand<br/>patterns and trends but<br/>sometimes there can be variations<br/>due to numerous factors (human<br/>error, incorrect equipment,<br/>different time frames, different<br/>sites, environmental conditions<br/>and unexplained anomalies).</li> </ul> |



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|                                    |  | secondary sources (maps and books).   | patterns and suggesting reasons for them.   | Analyse and present increasingly<br>complex data, comparing data<br>from different sources and<br>suggesting why data may vary   |
| Fieldwork                          | <ul> <li>Fieldwork includes<br/>going on walks and<br/>visits to collect<br/>information about<br/>the environment.<br/>Take photographs,<br/>draw simple picture<br/>maps and collect<br/>simple data during<br/>fieldwork activities.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Fieldwork includes going<br/>out in the environment to<br/>look, ask questions, take<br/>photographs, take<br/>measurements and collect<br/>samples. Carry out fieldwork<br/>tasks to identify<br/>characteristics of the school<br/>grounds or locality.</li> <li>Fieldwork can help to<br/>answer questions about the<br/>local environment and can<br/>include observing or<br/>measuring, identifying or<br/>classifying and recording.<br/>Ask and answer simple<br/>geographical questions<br/>through observation or<br/>simple data collection<br/>during fieldwork activities.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>The term geographical<br/>evidence relates to facts,<br/>information and numerical data.<br/>Gather evidence to answer a<br/>geographical question or<br/>enquiry.</li> <li>Fieldwork techniques, such as<br/>sketch maps, data collection<br/>and digital technologies, can<br/>provide evidence to support<br/>and answer a geographical<br/>hypothesis. Investigate a<br/>geographical hypothesis using a<br/>range of fieldwork techniques.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>A geographical enquiry can help<br/>us to understand the physical<br/>geography (rivers, coasts,<br/>weather and rocks) or human<br/>geography (population changes,<br/>migration, land use, changes to<br/>inner city, urbanisation,<br/>developments and tourism) of an<br/>area and the impacts on the<br/>surrounding environment.<br/>Construct or carry out a<br/>geographical enquiry by<br/>gathering and analysing a range<br/>of sources.</li> <li>Representing, analysing,<br/>concluding, communicating,<br/>reflecting and responding are<br/>helpful strategies to answer<br/>geographical questions. Ask and<br/>answer geographical questions<br/>and hypotheses using a range of<br/>fieldwork and research<br/>techniques.</li> </ul> |
| Natural and man-<br>made materials | AOL: World     Natural materials     include wood, stone     and sand. Man-     made materials   | • A material is something<br>used to build or make<br>something else. Natural<br>materials are dug out of the<br>ground, grown or taken<br>from a living thing. Man-<br>made materials are often  | <ul> <li>There are three main types of<br/>rock found in the Earth's crust.<br/>They are sedimentary, igneous<br/>and metamorphic. Sedimentary<br/>rocks are made from sediment<br/>that settles in water and<br/>becomes squashed over a long</li> </ul>   | • The topography of an area<br>intended for agricultural purposes<br>is an important consideration. In<br>particular, the topographical<br>slope or gradient plays a large<br>part in controlling hydrology<br>(water) and potential soil erosion.   |



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|                   | include metal,<br>plastic, glass and<br>fabric. Materials can<br>be used to build and<br>make things. Name<br>some natural and<br>man-made materials<br>in the environment. | <ul> <li>made from natural<br/>materials but have been<br/>changed to have different<br/>properties. Identify natural<br/>and man-made materials in<br/>the environment.</li> <li>Materials found in the<br/>environment can be natural<br/>(rock, stone, water, sand,<br/>soil, water and clay) and<br/>man-made (brick, glass,<br/>plastic and concrete).<br/>Natural and man-made<br/>materials are used to make<br/>human features. Describe<br/>the properties of natural<br/>and man-made materials<br/>and where they are found<br/>in the environment.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>time to form rock. They are often soft, permeable, have layers and may contain fossils. Igneous rocks are made from cooled magma or lava. They are usually hard, shiny and contain visible crystals. Metamorphic rocks are formed when existing rocks are heated by the magma under the Earth's crust or squashed by the movement of the Earth's tectonic plates. They are usually very hard and often shiny. Name and describe the types, appearance and properties of rocks.</li> <li>Rivers transport materials in four ways. Solution is when minerals are dissolved and carried in the water. Suspension is when fine, light material is carried. Saltation is when small pebbles and stones are carried along the riverbed. Traction is when large boulders and rocks are rolled along the riverbed. Describe and explain the transportation of materials by rivers.</li> <li>Different types of soil include clay, sandy, silty and loamy. Describe the properties of different types of soil.</li> </ul> | Explain how the topography and<br>soil type affect the location of<br>different agricultural regions.<br>• The polar oceans are significantly<br>colder than other world oceans.<br>This influences the presence of<br>sea ice, glaciers and icebergs.<br>Explain how the presence of ice<br>makes the polar oceans different<br>to other oceans on Earth. |
| Physical features | 1   | Physical features are     naturally-created features  | A volcano is an opening in the<br>Earth's surface from which gas,   | <ul> <li>North America is broadly<br/>categorised into six major biomes:</li> </ul>  |



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|        | Large physical<br>features include<br>rivers, mountains,<br>oceans and the<br>coastline. Name<br>some common<br>physical features in<br>the locality and<br>beyond. | <ul> <li>of the Earth. Use basic<br/>geographical vocabulary<br/>to identify and describe<br/>physical features, such as<br/>beach, cliff, coast, forest,<br/>hill, mountain, sea, ocean,<br/>river, soil, valley and<br/>vegetation.</li> <li>A physical feature is one<br/>that forms naturally, and<br/>can change over time due<br/>to weather and other<br/>forces. Describe the size,<br/>location and position of a<br/>physical feature, such as<br/>beach, cliff, coast, forest,<br/>hill, mountain, sea, ocean,<br/>river, soil, valley and<br/>vegetation.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>hot magma and ash can<br/>escape. They are usually found<br/>at meeting points of the Earth's<br/>tectonic plates. When a volcano<br/>erupts, liquid magma collects in<br/>an underground magma<br/>chamber. The magma pushes<br/>through a crack called a vent<br/>and bursts out onto the Earth's<br/>surface. Lava, hot ash and<br/>mudslides from volcanic<br/>eruptions can cause severe<br/>damage. Describe the parts of a<br/>volcano or earthquake.</li> <li>The Earth is made of four<br/>different layers. The inner core is<br/>made mostly of hot, solid iron<br/>and nickel, and the outer core is<br/>made of liquid iron and nickel.<br/>The mantle is made of solid rock<br/>and molten rock called magma.<br/>The crust is a thin layer of solid<br/>rock that is broken into large<br/>pieces called tectonic plates.<br/>These pieces move very slowly<br/>across the mantle. Name and<br/>describe properties of the Earth's<br/>four layers.</li> <li>Mountains form over millions of<br/>years. They are made when the<br/>Earth's tectonic plates push<br/>together or move apart.<br/>Mountains are also formed when<br/>magma underneath the Earth's<br/>crust pushes large areas of land<br/>upwards. There are five types of<br/>mountain: fold, fault-block,</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>tundra, coniferous forest, grasslands (prairie), deciduous forest, desert and tropical rainforest. South America has a vast variety of biomes, including desert, alpine, rainforest and grasslands. Identify and describe some key physical features and environmental regions of North and South America and explain how these, along with the climate zones and soil types, can affect land use.</li> <li>The Arctic is a sea of ice surrounded by land and located at the highest latitudes of the Northern Hemisphere. It extends over the countries that border the Arctic Ocean, including Canada, the USA, Denmark, Russia, Norway and Iceland. Antarctica is a continent located in the Southern Hemisphere. Antarctica does not belong to any country. Physical features typical of the Arctic and Antarctic regions include glaciers, icebergs, ice caps, ice sheets, ice shelves and sea ice. Compare and describe physical features of polar landscapes.</li> </ul> |



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|             |   |   | volcanic, dome and plateau.<br>Identify, describe and explain<br>the formation of different<br>mountain types.   |   |
| Environment | <ul> <li>Litter has a harmful<br/>effect on the areas<br/>where we live, work<br/>and play. People<br/>need to put their<br/>rubbish into the bin<br/>and not throw it on<br/>the ground. Describe<br/>ways to look after the<br/>immediate<br/>environment.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Litter and pollution have a harmful effect on the areas where we live, work and play. Describe how pollution and litter affect the local environment and school grounds.</li> <li>The local environment can be improved by picking up litter, planting flowers and improving amenities. Describe ways to improve the local environment.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>The Earth has five climate zones:<br/>desert, Mediterranean, polar,<br/>temperate and tropical. Identify<br/>the five major climate zones on<br/>Earth.</li> <li>Altitudinal zonation describes the<br/>different climates and types of<br/>wildlife at different altitudes on<br/>mountains. Examples include<br/>forests that grow at low altitudes<br/>and support a wide variety of<br/>plants and animals, tundra that<br/>is found at higher altitudes and<br/>supports plants and animals that<br/>are adapted to harsher<br/>environments, and the summits<br/>of mountains, which are usually<br/>covered in ice and snow and<br/>don't support any life. Describe<br/>altitudinal zonation on<br/>mountains.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>The Earth has five climate zones:<br/>desert, Mediterranean, polar,<br/>temperate and tropical.<br/>Mountains have variable climates<br/>depending on altitude. A biome is<br/>a large ecological area on the<br/>Earth's surface, such as desert,<br/>forest, grassland, tundra and<br/>aquatic. Biomes are often defined<br/>by a range of factors, such as<br/>temperature, climate, relief,<br/>geology, soils and vegetation.<br/>Name and locate the world's<br/>biomes, climate zones and<br/>vegetation belts and explain their<br/>common characteristics.</li> <li>Climate change is the long-term<br/>change in expected patterns of<br/>weather that contributes to the<br/>melting of polar ice caps, rising<br/>sea levels and extreme weather.<br/>Climate change is caused by<br/>global warming. Human activity,<br/>such as burning fossil fuels,<br/>deforestation, habitat destruction,<br/>overpopulation and rearing<br/>livestock, all contribute to global<br/>warming. Explain how climate<br/>change affects climate zones and<br/>biomes across the world.</li> </ul> |



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| Sustainability |      | <ul> <li>Natural environments can<br/>be affected by the actions<br/>of humans, including<br/>cutting down trees or<br/>dropping litter. Humans can<br/>protect the environment by<br/>choosing to preserve<br/>woodlands and hedgerows,<br/>recycling where possible<br/>and disposing of waste<br/>carefully. Describe ways to<br/>protect natural<br/>environments, such as<br/>woodlands, hedgerows and<br/>meadows.</li> <li>Conservation is the<br/>protection of living things<br/>and the environment from<br/>damage caused by human<br/>activity. Conservation<br/>activities include reducing,<br/>reusing and recycling,<br/>composting, saving water<br/>and saving energy.<br/>Conservation activities<br/>protect the environment for<br/>people in the future.<br/>Describe how human<br/>behaviour can be<br/>beneficial to local and<br/>global environments, now<br/>and in the longer term.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>A person's carbon footprint is the amount of carbon dioxide released into the atmosphere from their activities. People can reduce their carbon footprint by driving less, eating less meat, flying less and wasting less food and products. Describe the meaning of the term 'carbon footprint' and explain some of the ways this can be reduced to protect the environment.</li> <li>The environment produces natural resources. Humans use some natural resources to make energy. Some natural resources cannot be replaced, like coal or oil. They are non-renewable. Some, like wind or flowing water, are renewable sources of energy. Describe how natural resources to create sustainable energy.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Industries can make their<br/>manufacturing processes more<br/>sustainable and better for the<br/>environment by using renewable<br/>energy sources, reducing, reusing<br/>and recycling and sharing<br/>resources. Identify and explain<br/>ways that people can improve<br/>the production of products<br/>without compromising the needs<br/>of future generations.</li> <li>Natural resource management<br/>(NRM) manages natural<br/>resources, including water, land,<br/>soil, plants and animals. It<br/>recognises that people rely on<br/>healthy landscapes to live and<br/>aims to create sustainable ways of<br/>using land now and in the future.<br/>Explain the significance of human-<br/>environment relationships and<br/>how natural resource<br/>management can protect natural<br/>resources to support life on Earth.</li> </ul> |
| World          | UW   | <ul> <li>A continent is a large area<br/>of land. The world's seven<br/>continents are Africa,</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Countries in Europe include the<br/>United Kingdom, France, Spain,<br/>Germany, Italy and Belgium.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Major cities around the world<br/>include London in the UK, New<br/>York in the USA, Shanghai in</li> </ul>   |



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|        | <ul> <li>Globes and maps<br/>can show us the<br/>location of different<br/>places around the<br/>world. Begin to<br/>notice and talk<br/>about the different<br/>places around the<br/>world, including<br/>oceans and seas.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Antarctica, Asia, Australia,<br/>Europe, North America and<br/>South America. The five<br/>oceans are the Arctic<br/>Ocean, Atlantic Ocean,<br/>Indian Ocean, Pacific<br/>Ocean and Southern<br/>Ocean. Name and locate<br/>the world's seven continents<br/>and five oceans on a world<br/>map.</li> <li>An ocean is a large sea.<br/>There are five oceans on<br/>our planet called the Arctic,<br/>Atlantic, Indian, Pacific and<br/>Southern Oceans. Seas<br/>include the Black, Red and<br/>Caspian Seas. The United<br/>Kingdom is an island<br/>surrounded by the Atlantic<br/>Ocean, English Channel,<br/>Irish Sea and North Sea. The<br/>world's seven continents are<br/>Africa, Antarctica, Asia,<br/>Australia, Europe, North<br/>America and South<br/>America. Name and locate<br/>seas surrounding the UK, as<br/>well as seas, the five<br/>oceans and seven<br/>continents around the<br/>world on a world map or<br/>globe/</li> </ul> | Russia is part of both Europe and<br>Asia. Locate countries and major<br>cities in Europe (including Russia)<br>on a world map.<br>• The North American continent<br>includes the countries of the<br>USA, Canada and Mexico as<br>well as the Central American<br>countries of Guatemala,<br>Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa<br>Rica and Panama. The South<br>American continent includes the<br>countries of Brazil, Argentina,<br>Chile, Colombia, Peru,<br>Venezuela, Uruguay, Ecuador,<br>Bolivia and Paraguay. Locate<br>the countries and major cities of<br>North, Central and South<br>America on a world map, atlas<br>or globe. | China, Istanbul in Turkey, Moscow<br>in Russia, Manila in the Philippines,<br>Lagos in Nigeria, Nairobi in Kenya,<br>Baghdad in Iraq, Damascus in<br>Syria and Mecca in Saudi Arabia.<br>Name, locate and describe major<br>world cities.<br>• Geographical interconnections<br>are the ways in which people and<br>things are connected. Explain<br>interconnections between two or<br>more areas of the world. |
| UK     | UW  | <ul> <li>The United Kingdom (UK) is<br/>a union of four countries:</li> </ul>  | Counties of the United Kingdom include Derbyshire, Sussex and   | <ul> <li>Relative location is where<br/>something is found in comparison</li> </ul>  |



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|          | <ul> <li>Identify the United<br/>Kingdom on a world<br/>map or globe.</li> </ul>             | <ul> <li>England, Northern Ireland,<br/>Scotland and Wales. A<br/>capital city is a city that is<br/>home to the government<br/>and ruler of a country.<br/>London is the capital city of<br/>England, Belfast is the<br/>capital city of Northern<br/>Ireland, Edinburgh is the<br/>capital city of Scotland and<br/>Cardiff is the capital city of<br/>Wales. The countries of the<br/>United Kingdom are made<br/>up of cities, towns and<br/>villages. Name and locate<br/>the four countries of the UK<br/>and their capital cities on a<br/>map, atlas or globe.</li> <li>The characteristics of<br/>countries include their size,<br/>landscape, capital city,<br/>language, currency and<br/>key landmarks. England is<br/>the biggest country in the<br/>United Kingdom. Identify<br/>characteristics of the four<br/>countries and major cities of<br/>the UK.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Warwickshire. Major cities of the<br/>United Kingdom include London,<br/>Birmingham, Edinburgh, Cardiff,<br/>Manchester and Newcastle.<br/>Name, locate and describe<br/>some major counties and cities<br/>in the UK.</li> <li>Significant rivers of the UK<br/>include the Thames, Severn,<br/>Trent, Dee, Tyne, Ouse and<br/>Lagan. Significant mountains<br/>and mountain ranges include<br/>Ben Nevis, Snowdon, Helvellyn,<br/>Pen y Fan, the Scottish Highlands<br/>and the Pennines. Create a<br/>detailed study of geographical<br/>features including hills,<br/>mountains, coasts and rivers of<br/>the UK.</li> <li>Topography is the arrangement<br/>of the natural and artificial<br/>physical features of an area.<br/>Identify the topography of an<br/>area of the UK using contour<br/>lines on a map.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>with other features. Describe the relative location of cities, counties or geographical features in the UK in relation to other places or geographical features.</li> <li>A geographical pattern is the arrangement of objects on the Earth's surface in relation to one another. Describe patterns of human population growth and movement, economic activities, space, land use and human settlement patterns of an area of the UK or the wider world.</li> </ul> |
| Location | • Describe how the<br>weather, plants and<br>animals of one place<br>is different to another | • Warmer areas of the world<br>are closer to the equator<br>and colder areas of the<br>world are further from the<br>equator. The equator is an<br>imaginary line that divides  | • Latitude is the distance north or<br>south of the equator and<br>longitude is the distance east or<br>west of the Prime Meridian.   | • The Prime (or Greenwich)<br>Meridian is an imaginary line that<br>divides the Earth into eastern and<br>western hemispheres. The time at<br>Greenwich is called Greenwich<br>Mean Time (GMT). Each time zone   |



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|          | using simple<br>geographical terms.   | <ul> <li>the Earth into two parts: the Northern and Southern Hemispheres. Continents have different climates depending on where they are in the world. The climate of a place can be identified by the types of weather, plants and animals found there. Locate hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the equator.</li> <li>The equator is an imaginary line that divides the world into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres. The North Pole is the most northern point on Earth. Locate the equator and the North and South Poles on a world map or globe.</li> </ul> | Locate significant places using<br>latitude and longitude.<br>• The Tropic of Cancer is 23<br>degrees north of the equator<br>and Tropic of Capricorn is 23<br>degrees south of the equator.<br>Identify the location of the<br>Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn<br>on a world map. | <ul> <li>that is 15 degrees to the west of Greenwich is another hour earlier than GMT. Each time zone 15 degrees to the east is another hour later. Identify the location and explain the function of the Prime (or Greenwich) Meridian and different time zones (including day and night).</li> <li>The Northern Hemisphere is the part of Earth that is to the north of the equator. The Southern Hemisphere is the part of Earth that is to the south of the equator. The Prime Meridian is the imaginary line from the North Pole to the South Pole that passes through Greenwich in England and marks 0° longitude, from which all other longitudes are measured. Identify the position and explain the significance of latitude, longitude, equator, Northern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, the Arctic and Antarctic Circles, the Prime (or Greenwich) Meridian and time zones (including day and night).</li> </ul> |
| Position | Maths <ul> <li>Positional language is         used to describe         where things are in</li> </ul> | Positional language<br>includes behind, next to<br>and in front of. Directional<br>language includes left,<br>right, straight ahead and   | • The eight points of a compass<br>are north, south, east, west,<br>north-east, north-west, south-<br>east and south-west. Use the<br>eight points of a compass to   | Compass points can be used to<br>describe the relationship of<br>features to each other, or to<br>describe the direction of travel.<br>Accurate grid references identify  |



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|        | relation to one<br>another. Positional<br>language includes in,<br>on, next to, behind,<br>in front of, in<br>between, above,<br>below and<br>underneath. Use<br>simple positional<br>language to<br>describe where<br>things are in relation<br>to each other and<br>give directions. | <ul> <li>turn. Use simple directional<br/>and positional language to<br/>give directions, describe<br/>the location of features and<br/>discuss where things are in<br/>relation to each other.</li> <li>The four cardinal points on<br/>a compass are north, south,<br/>east and west. A route is a<br/>set of directions that can be<br/>used to get from one place<br/>to another. Use simple<br/>compass directions to<br/>describe the location of<br/>features or a route on a<br/>map.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>locate a geographical feature or place on a map.</li> <li>The four cardinal directions are north (N), east (E), south (S) and west (W), which are at 90° angles on the compass rose. The four intercardinal (or ordinal) directions are halfway between the cardinal directions: northeast (NE), south-east (SE), southwest (SW) and north-west (NW). Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and a key to locate and plot geographical places and features on a map.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>the position of key physical and human features. Use compass points, grid references and scale to interpret maps, including Ordnance Survey maps, with accuracy.</li> <li>Invisible lines of latitude run horizontally around the Earth and show the northerly or southerly position of a geographical area. Invisible lines of longitude run vertically from the North to the South Pole and show the westerly or easterly position of a geographical area. Use lines of longitude and latitude or grid references to find the position of different geographical areas and features.</li> </ul> |
| Maps   | <ul> <li>A map is a picture or<br/>drawing of an area<br/>of land or sea. Make<br/>and use simple maps<br/>in their play to<br/>represent places and<br/>journeys, real and<br/>imagined.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>A map is a picture or<br/>drawing of an area of land<br/>or sea that can show<br/>human and physical<br/>features. A key is used to<br/>show features on a map. A<br/>map has symbols to show<br/>where things are located.<br/>Draw or read a simple<br/>picture map.</li> <li>A map is a picture or<br/>drawing of an area of land<br/>or sea that can show<br/>human and physical</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>A four-figure grid reference<br/>contains four numbers. The first<br/>two numbers are called the<br/>easting and are found along the<br/>top and bottom of a map. The<br/>second two numbers are called<br/>the northing and are found up<br/>both sides of a map. Four-figure<br/>grid references give specific<br/>information about locations on a<br/>map. Use four-figure grid<br/>references to describe the<br/>location of objects and places<br/>on a simple map.</li> </ul>                                    | The geographical term 'relief'<br>describes the difference between<br>the highest and lowest elevations<br>of an area. Relief maps show the<br>contours of land based on shape<br>and height. Contour lines show<br>the elevation of the land, joining<br>places of the same height above<br>sea level. They are usually an<br>orange or brown colour. Contour<br>lines that are close together<br>represent ground that is steep.<br>Contour lines that are far apart<br>show ground that is gently sloping<br>or flat. Identify elevated areas,  |

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|                         |  | features. Maps use symbols<br>and a key. A key is the<br>information needed to read<br>a map and a symbol is a<br>picture or icon used to<br>show a geographical<br>feature. Draw or read a<br>range of simple maps that<br>use symbols and a key.   | • A six-figure grid reference<br>contains six numbers and is more<br>precise than a four-figure grid<br>reference. The first three figures<br>are called the easting and are<br>found along the top and bottom<br>of a map. The second three<br>figures are called the northing<br>and are found up both sides of a<br>map. Six-figure grid references<br>give detailed information about<br>locations on a map. Use four or<br>six-figure grid references and<br>keys to describe the location of<br>objects and places on a map.   | <ul> <li>A geographical area can be<br/>understood by using grid<br/>references and lines of latitude<br/>and longitude to identify position,<br/>contour lines to identify height</li> </ul>  |
| Compare and<br>contrast | <ul> <li>Places can have<br/>different climates,<br/>weather, food,<br/>religions, culture,<br/>wildlife, transport and<br/>amenities. Describe<br/>how two places are<br/>the same or different<br/>using simple picture<br/>maps, photographs,<br/>data and other<br/>geographical<br/>resources.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Places can be compared<br/>by size, amenities, transport,<br/>location, weather and<br/>climate. Identify the<br/>similarities and differences<br/>between two places.</li> <li>A non-European country is<br/>a country outside the<br/>continent of Europe. For<br/>example, the USA, Australia,<br/>China and Egypt are non-<br/>European countries.<br/>European countries.<br/>European countries include<br/>the United Kingdom,<br/>Germany, France and<br/>Spain. Describe and<br/>compare the human and<br/>physical similarities and<br/>differences between an</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Geographical features created<br/>by nature are called physical<br/>features. Physical features<br/>include beaches, cliffs and<br/>mountains. Geographical<br/>features created by humans are<br/>called human features. Human<br/>features include houses,<br/>factories and train stations.<br/>Classify, compare and contrast<br/>different types of geographical<br/>feature.</li> <li>A physical feature is one that<br/>forms naturally and can change<br/>over time due to physical<br/>processes, such as erosion and<br/>weathering. Physical features<br/>include rivers, forests, hills,<br/>mountains and cliffs. An aspect</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>The seven continents (Africa,<br/>Antarctica, Asia, Australia, Europe,<br/>North America and South<br/>America) vary in size, shape,<br/>location, population and climate.<br/>Identify and describe the<br/>similarities and differences in<br/>physical and human geography<br/>between continents.</li> <li>Climate is the long-term pattern of<br/>weather conditions found in a<br/>particular place. Climates can be<br/>compared by looking at factors<br/>including maximum and minimum<br/>levels of precipitation and<br/>average monthly temperatures.<br/>Describe the climatic similarities</li> </ul> |



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|                    |  | area of the UK and a<br>contrasting non-European<br>country.  | of a physical feature might be<br>the type of mountain, such as<br>dome or volcanic, or the type of<br>forest, such as coniferous or<br>broad-leaved. Describe and<br>compare aspects of physical   | and differences between two regions.  |
| Significant places | AOL: World     A place can be     important because     of its location, use     buildings or     landscape. Discuss     and describe places     that are important to     them. | <ul> <li>A place can be important because of its location, buildings, landscape, community, culture and history. Important buildings can include schools, places of worship and buildings that provide a service to the community, such as shops and libraries. Some buildings are important because they tell us something about the past. Name important buildings and places and explain their importance.</li> <li>A significant place is a location that is important to a community or society. Places can also be significant because of religious or historic events that may have happened in the past near the location. Significant places can also include monuments, such as the Eiffel Tower, or natural landscapes, such as the</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Significant volcanoes include<br/>Mount Vesuvius in Italy, Laki in<br/>Iceland and Krakatoa in<br/>Indonesia. Significant<br/>earthquake-prone areas include<br/>the San Andreas Fault in North<br/>America and the Ring of Fire,<br/>which runs around the edge of<br/>the Pacific Ocean and is where<br/>many plate boundaries in the<br/>Earth's crust converge. Over<br/>three-quarters of the world's<br/>earthquakes and volcanic<br/>eruptions happen along the Ring<br/>of Fire. Name and locate<br/>significant volcanoes and plate<br/>boundaries and explain why<br/>they are important.</li> <li>Significant mountain ranges<br/>include the Himalayas, Urals,<br/>Andes, Alps, Atlas, Pyrenees,<br/>Apennines, Balkans and Sierra<br/>Nevada. Significant rivers<br/>include the Mississippi, Nile,<br/>Thames, Amazon, Volga,<br/>Zambezi, Mekong, Ganges,<br/>Danube and Yangtze. Name,<br/>locate and explain the</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Farming challenges for<br/>developing countries include poor<br/>soil, disease, drought and lack of<br/>markets. Education, fair trade and<br/>technology are ways in which<br/>these challenges can be<br/>reduced. Identify some of the<br/>problems of farming in a<br/>developing country and report on<br/>ways in which these can be<br/>supported.</li> <li>North America, Europe and East<br/>Asia are the main industrial<br/>regions of the world due to a<br/>range of factors (access to raw<br/>materials, transportation, fresh<br/>water, power and labour supply).<br/>Name, locate and explain the<br/>distribution of significant industrial,<br/>farming and exporting regions<br/>around the world.</li> </ul> |



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|                        |   | Great Barrier Reef. Name,<br>locate and explain the<br>significance of a place.   | importance of significant mountains or rivers.   |  |
| Geographical<br>change | <ul> <li>Discuss how the local<br/>environment has<br/>changed over time<br/>using photographs<br/>and first-hand<br/>experiences.</li> </ul> | Geographical features can<br>change over time. Describe<br>how a place or<br>geographical feature has<br>changed over An<br>environment or place can<br>change over time due to a<br>geographical process, such<br>as erosion, or human<br>activity, such as<br>housebuilding. Describe<br>how an environment has or<br>might change over time. | <ul> <li>Significant geographical activity includes earthquakes and volcanic eruptions. These are known as natural disasters because they are created by nature, affect many people and cause widespread damage. Describe how a significant geographical activity has changed a landscape in the short or</li> <li>The crust of the Earth is divided into tectonic plates that move. The place where plates meet is called a plate boundary. Plates can push into each other, pull apart or slide against each other. These movements can create mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes. Describe the activity of plate tectonics and how this has changed the Earth's surface over time (continental drift).</li> <li>Rivers, seas and oceans can transform a landscape through erosion, deposition and transportation. Explain how the physical processes of a river, sea</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Settlements come in many<br/>different sizes and these can be<br/>ranked according to their<br/>population and the level of<br/>services available. A settlement<br/>hierarchy includes hamlet, village,<br/>town, city and large city. Describe<br/>how the characteristic of a<br/>settlement changes as it gets<br/>bigger (settlement hierarchy).</li> <li>Tourism is an industry that involves<br/>people travelling for recreation<br/>and leisure. It has had an<br/>environmental, social and<br/>economic impact on many<br/>regions and countries. Present a<br/>detailed account of how an<br/>industry, including tourism, has<br/>changed a place or landscape<br/>over time.</li> </ul> |

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|        |      |             | or ocean have changed a<br>landscape over time. |                   |