



St Mary's CE (VA) Primary School		Geography Assessment Points					
Year Group	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Locational Knowledge	<p><b><u>Where shall we go today ?</u></b></p> <p>Find India, UK and North Pole on a globe</p> <p>Know that St. Mary's school is in Oldham.</p> <p>Know the town where I live.</p>	<p><b><u>Why can't a Meerkat live in the North Pole ?</u></b></p> <p>Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe.</p> <p><b><u>Can I be a weather presenter?</u></b></p> <p>Name and locate the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom.</p> <p>Name and locate the seas surrounding the UK.</p> <p>Locate Northern England (High Crompton) on a UK map.</p>	<p><b><u>Where in the world?</u></b></p> <p>Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans on a globe and world map.</p> <p>Know that the UK is in the continent of Europe.</p> <p>Locate the UK on map and globe.</p> <p>Name and locate continents and oceans.</p> <p><b><u>What adventures can we have by the sea ?</u></b></p> <p>Locate Scotland, the Isle of Coll and High Crompton on a map.</p>	<p><b><u>Are all rivers raging?</u></b></p> <p>Name and locate major World and UK rivers on a map and atlas.</p> <p>Name and locate the main rivers in the UK and local area.</p> <p>Identify the position of the Equator, Northern and Southern Hemisphere</p>	<p><b><u>¿Dónde en España y Reino Unido?</u></b></p> <p><i>Locate some countries of Europe</i></p> <p>Know that Europe is in the Northern hemisphere.</p> <p>Locate some key physical features in Europe.</p> <p>Identify some major cities of Europe.</p>	<p><b><u>What makes the Earth angry?</u></b></p> <p>Locate the main earthquake and volcano zones.</p> <p>Name and locate the UK and world's main mountain ranges</p> <p><b><u>How can I survive in an extreme environment?</u></b></p> <p>Locate the world's desert, alpine and tundra biomes.</p> <p>/Identify the position of the Equator, Northern and Southern Hemisphere, Arctic and Antarctic circle</p> <p><b><u>What makes an island an island?</u></b></p> <p>Locate and name some counties and cities of the UK</p> <p>Identify some hills, mountains, coasts</p>	<p><b><u>Could you survive in a rainforest?</u></b></p> <p>Name and locate countries with equatorial rain forests.</p> <p>/Identify the position and significance of the Equator</p> <p><b><u>Where in the world?</u></b></p> <p>Name and locate some countries in North and South America</p> <p>Name and locate some major cities of N and S America</p> <p>Know key human and physical features of North and South America.</p> <p>Know key environmental regions of North and South America.</p>



						and rivers of the UK and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time.	Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn,  Identify the position the Prime/ Greenwich Meridian and how it relates to time zones
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<b>Place Knowledge</b>	<p><b><u>All Aboard?</u></b> Talk about the immediate environment.</p> <p>Talk about different environments: village, town, seaside, city</p> <p>Talk about my own home.</p> <p>Talk about children around the world</p> <p><b><u>What and why do people celebrate?</u></b> Know London is a city and how this is different to where they live</p>	<p><b><u>What is special about living in High Crompton?</u></b></p> <p>Pupils have knowledge about their locality.</p> <p>Talk about and find their way around school showing an awareness of where things belong and the people within the school</p> <p><b><u>Why can't a Meerkat live in the North Pole?</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>What adventures can we have by the sea ?</u></b></p> <p>Know physical and human features of Isle of Coll.</p> <p>Compare life on a Scottish island to life in a town on the mainland.</p> <p><b><u>Is Mexico Marvellous?</u></b> Know the physical and human features of the village of Tocuaro, Mexico. Compare with Oldham</p>	<p><b><u>Are all rivers raging?</u></b></p> <p>Understand some geographical similarities and differences associated with rivers. e.g settlements on a river, physical features</p>	<p><b><u>¿Dónde en España y Reino Unido?</u></b></p> <p>Name, describe and compare human characteristics of Catalonia and NW England.</p> <p>Describe and compare physical characteristics of Catalonia and NW England</p>	<p><b><u>What makes an island an island?</u></b></p> <p>Describe some geographical similarities and differences between places in UK</p> <p>Describe features of Crosby</p>	<p><b><u>Could you survive in a rainforest?</u></b></p> <p>Describe the human and physical features of the Amazon rainforest.</p> <p>Make comparisons between the Amazon and UK.</p> <p>Describe land use in the Amazon Rainforest.</p>



	<p><b><u>Where shall we go today?</u></b></p> <p>Describe their immediate environment</p>	Talk about their homes and families and compare them to those in other countries.					
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<b>Human and Physical Geography</b>	<p><b><u>What and why do people celebrate?</u></b> Know what happens in the season of Autumn?</p> <p><b><u>Who's afraid of the Big Bad Scarecrow</u></b> Know what happens in the season of Spring?</p> <p><b><u>Where shall we go today ?</u></b> Compare hot and cold places: India, North Pole, South Pole</p> <p>Name and compare features of Oldham, London and Blackpool</p> <p><b><u>Who goes to the ugly bug ball?</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>What is special about living in High Crompton?</u></b> Name some physical features of High Crompton: hill, field,soil vegetation, weather, season,ocean, weather</p> <p>Name some human features of High Crompton: street,house,farm, school, church, shop,office, factory</p> <p><b><u>Can I be a weather presenter?</u></b> Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom with a focus on High Crompton.</p>	<p><b><u>What adventures can we have by the sea?</u></b> Can name some physical features e.g beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather</p> <p>Can name some human features e.g city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop</p> <p>Compare physical and human features of the local area with the Isle of Coll</p> <p><b><u>Is Mexico Marvellous?</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Are all rivers raging?</u></b> Know how a river changes from its source to the sea.</p> <p>Identify the physical features related to rivers.</p> <p>Describe the water cycle</p> <p>Know why people settled near rivers and why rivers are important.</p> <p>Identify human features linked to the course of a river -village, town, port,bridge.</p>	<p><b><u>¿Dónde en España y Reino Unido?</u></b> Can name types of settlement in Catalonia and NW England (local area)</p> <p>Knows how land is used in parts of Catalonia</p> <p>Name and describe some important physical features of Europe</p>	<p><b><u>What makes the Earth angry?</u></b> Know what a mountain is and describe some key features</p> <p>Know what an earthquake is and what causes one.</p> <p>Know what happens when a volcano erupts</p> <p><b><u>How can I survive in an extreme environment?</u></b> Know what a biome is. Can compare biomes Describe some features of the <b>tundra, desert</b> and <b>alpine</b> biomes</p>	<p><b><u>Could you survive in a rainforest?</u></b> Describe the features of a rainforest biome</p> <p>Describe and understand the climate zones of the world and know that the climate is changing</p> <p>Describe economic activity including trade links in rainforest regions</p> <p>Describe rainforest settlements</p> <p><b><u>Where in the world?</u></b> Describe the distribution of some natural resources</p>



	<p>Compare different types of houses.</p> <p>Know what happens in the season of Summer.</p>	<p>Know weather symbols and types of weather</p> <p><b><u>Why can't a Meerkat live in the North Pole?</u></b></p> <p>Locate hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles</p> <p>Compare life in hot and cold countries with life in UK</p>	<p>Compare the weather in Tocuaro to that in Oldham.</p> <p>Compare physical and human features of the local area with Tocuaro, Mexico</p>			<p>e.g climate, vegetation</p> <p><b><u>What makes an island an island?</u></b></p> <p>Describe some economic activity in UK (trade, tourism, transport links)</p> <p>Compare different settlements around the UK.</p> <p>Describe the distribution of some natural resources (energy, food, minerals, water) in UK</p>	<p>including food, minerals and water. <b>(worldwide)</b></p> <p>Describe some economic activity including trade links <b>(worldwide)</b></p>
<p><b>Geographical Skills and Fieldwork</b></p>	<p><b><u>All Aboard</u></b></p> <p>Draw and follow simple routes on a map.</p> <p><b><u>What and why do people celebrate?</u></b></p> <p>Locate school, church and where they live on aerial photos</p> <p><b><u>Who's afraid of the Big Bad Scarecrow?</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>What is special about living in High Crompton?</u></b></p> <p>Describe features of the local environment based on observations made in local area walk</p> <p>Follow directions up/ down, left/ right, forwards/ backwards.</p>	<p><b><u>Where in the World?</u></b></p> <p>Use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) to locate features on a map</p> <p>Use locational and directional language to locate features on a map</p> <p><b><u>What adventures can we have by the sea?</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Are all rivers raging?</u></b></p> <p>Use maps to identify land use around rivers</p> <p>Use aerial photos to identify features of rivers</p> <p>Use 4 compass points to follow and give directions</p> <p>Use map symbols and key (including the use of simplified OS maps).</p>	<p><b><u>¿Dónde en España y Reino Unido?</u></b></p> <p>Begin to use the eight points of a compass,</p> <p>Use a key</p> <p>Recognise some symbols on an OS map.</p> <p>Use letter/ number coordinates to locate features on a map.</p>	<p><b><u>What makes the Earth angry?</u></b></p> <p>Use the eight points of a compass</p> <p>Locate volcanoes and major world mountain ranges on a map</p> <p><b><u>How can I survive in an extreme environment?</u></b></p> <p>Use map symbols and key e.g. altitude</p>	<p><b><u>Where in the world?</u></b></p> <p>Use maps, atlases, globes and digital mapping to locate countries in N and S America</p> <p>Use map key to locate physical features e.g land height, climate zones</p> <p>Use scale to measure distances.</p>



	<p>Follow directions.g up/down, forwards/backwards</p> <p><b><u>Who goes to the ugly bug ball?</u></b></p> <p>Draw a picture map</p>	<p>Draw a simple map linked to local area walk</p> <p><b><u>Can I be a weather presenter?</u></b></p> <p>Collect and record information about daily weather.</p>	<p>Devise a simple map.</p> <p>Use and construct basic symbols in a key.</p> <p>Locate seaside locations on a map.</p> <p><b><u>Is Mexico Marvellous?</u></b></p> <p>Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise human and physical features.</p>	<p>Use fieldwork (Castleshaw focus on rivers) to observe and record the human and physical features in the local area</p> <p>Draw a map of a short route experienced.</p>		<p>Locate world tundra and desert biomes on a map</p> <p><b><u>What makes an island an island?</u></b></p> <p>Use four-figure grid references</p> <p>Recognise and use OS symbols and keys</p> <p>Collect and record information about physical and human features of a place <b>(Crosby visit)</b></p>	<p>Draw/ use maps and plans at a range of scales.</p> <p><b><u>Could you survive in a rainforest?</u></b></p> <p>Use the eight points of a compass Use six-figure grid references</p> <p>Use map symbols and key</p> <p>Interpret thematic maps (Climate zones Rainforests)</p>
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