



St Benedict's C of E VA Junior School
Whole School Geography
Long Term Planning Units and National Curriculum Objectives

Year Group	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 3	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Earthquakes and Volcanoes</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn about what a volcanoes and earthquake is. They will learn from first-hand accounts and how and why natural disasters occur.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History - Stone Age Science- Rocks and Soil Art- Fossils and Ammonite</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Local Area Study</u></p> <p>Pupils will explore their local area through map work and exploring how our local area has changed over the years.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History – Iron Age</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Rivers</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn about rivers and how they are important to the way the land has formed over time. They will learn about the features of rivers and begin to understand erosion.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History – Ancient Egyptian</p>
Year 4	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Settlements and Land Use</u></p> <p>Alongside their History topic, pupils will learn about how land is used and how some of our earliest settlers lived and used the land to survive.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History- Anglo Saxons</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Climates and Biomes</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn about climate zones and biomes. They will learn about the wildlife and plants that occur in these diverse land.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History- Celts and Iron Age</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Scandinavia</u> Area Study</p> <p>Alongside their History topic, pupils will learn about Scandinavia and conduct some geographical enquiry.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History – Vikings</p>
Year 5	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Map Work</u> Area Study</p> <p>During their work on the Tudors, pupils will look at the human and physical features of Tudor Britain compared to today, maps of Tudor London in comparison to modern London and the journey of some of the most famous Tudor explorers across the world.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History - Tudors</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Brazil Rainforests</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn about the rainforests of the world. They will learn about the different layers of the rainforest and discuss issues about the threats that the rainforest faces.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Coasts</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn about coasts and how they are important to the way the land has formed over time. They will learn about the features of coasts and continue to explore how erosion has changed the physical features of the coastline.</p>
Year 6	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Trade</u></p> <p>During their study of the Victorians, pupils will explore how trading has changed and developed into the modern age. Pupils will learn about how the Victorians imported ice and explore why.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: History The Victorians</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Mountains</u></p> <p>Pupils will learn how mountains are made and how they are shaped and subsequently changed over time.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>London</u> Area Study</p> <p>Pupils will continue to explore London and develop their geographical skills.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cross Curricular Links: Geography- Brazil</p>



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**KEY SUBJECT SKILLS TO BE DELIVERED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR BY ALL KS2 YEAR GROUPS:	Location Knowledge Place Knowledge Human and Physical Geography Geographical Skills and Fieldwork
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