



## Sylvester Primary Academy Geography Overview 2024-2025

Year	Geography Focus 1	Geography Focus 2	Geography Focus 3	Mapping opportunities	Fieldwork/Enrichment
<b>Y1</b> <span style="color: red;">2023-2024</span>	<u><b>All about me (Mapping and FW)</b></u> Local Environment Field Work, following and creating maps Directional language Collecting data - human and physical geography <b>Digimaps</b>  <span style="color: red;">Year 1 and Year 2 have a rolling curriculum.</span>	<u><b>Oceans and Continents</b></u> World Maps Climate and environment of different continents Scale - continent size comparisons Trade - What do we get from different continents?	<u><b>Non-European Locality</b></u> Sydney Compare and contrast human and physical Weather/Climate Human features/Tourism	Reading, following and creating simple maps that include basic picture or symbols to represent features.  <b>Digimaps</b> - using digital maps to locate places or plan a route	Walk around local environment: School Immediate local area Follow and create simple maps Collect data Directional language
<b>Geographical Concepts</b>	Place Scale Physical Human Environment Cartography	Place Locational Scale Environment Climate Trade (food?)	Place Locational Human Physical Climate Tourism		
<b>Year 2</b> <span style="color: red;">2024-2025</span>	<u><b>Huyton (Mapping and FW)</b></u> Mapping Exploring local area - other areas of Huyton Sketch maps Fieldwork 4 Compass points <b>Digimaps</b>	<u><b>Let's go to China</b></u> Continents Landmarks physical and human geography Climate Scale - Size of Asia/China, population Trade	<u><b>The UK</b></u> The UK Coastal regions Human and physical Land use Environment Weather Seas revisited	Follow a route on a map, Use simple compass points for direction, Draw or make a simple map with a basic key  <b>Digimaps</b> - editing a digital map, locating places in the local area	Visit to Crosby Beach: Create field sketches of human and physical features Use aerial photographs to locate landmarks or physical features
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Year 3	<p><b><u>Mighty Merseyside (Mapping and FW)</u></b></p> <p>Counties and cities of the UK (North West focus)</p> <p>Fieldwork -visit areas with contrasting physical geography</p> <p>Mapping, including OS maps, symbols and Keys</p> <p>4 and 8 point Compass directions and letter/number coordinates</p> <p>North West Counties</p> <p><b>Digimaps</b></p>	<p><b><u>Awesome Africa - Plan Bee</u></b></p> <p>The 5 regions of Africa</p> <p>The Equator and hemi-spheres</p> <p>The human and physical geography of the different regions of Africa</p> <p>Compare and contrast</p> <p>Climate</p>	<p><b><u>Active Planet</u></b></p> <p>Volcanoes and Earthquakes</p> <p>Fault lines</p> <p>Tectonic plates</p> <p>Countries that experience volcanoes or earthquakes</p> <p>Italy - Pompei case study</p> <p>- the impact of natural disaster</p>	<p>Reading, following and creating maps of areas of Merseyside</p> <p>Understand the significance of a key</p> <p>Lines of latitude - Volcanoes and Earthquakes</p> <p><b>Digimaps-</b> Begin to create maps of short routes and experiences</p>	<p>Visit area/s of Merseyside to observe and compare physical and human geography</p> <p>Use aerial photographs to locate landmarks</p> <p>Use OS maps to navigate parts of Merseyside</p> <p>Collecting OS data</p>
<b>Geographical Concepts</b>	Place Locational Human and Physical Environment Trade Cartography Tourism	Place Locational Human and Physical Climate Environment	Place Knowledge Locational Knowledge Human and Physical Geography Environment		
Year 4	<p><b><u>Incredible India</u></b></p> <p>Main lines of latitude</p> <p>Comparing climate zones and environmental regions of India</p> <p>Human and physical geography of different regions of India - focus on desert region</p> <p>Impact of pollution/humans</p> <p>Landmarks</p>	<p><b><u>Brilliant Britain (Mapping and FW)</u></b></p> <p>Countries of Great Britain, the UK and the British Isles (highlighting how they are different)</p> <p>Counties and Cities of the UK</p> <p>Human and physical geography</p> <p>Topographical mapping</p> <p>OS Maps</p> <p>4 figure grid reference</p> <p><b>Digimaps</b></p>	<p><b><u>Scandinavia</u></b></p> <p>Countries of Europe - Move to Scandinavian countries focus</p> <p>Human and Physical Geography</p> <p>Climate</p> <p>Scandinavia Vs UK</p> <p>Comparing and contrasting</p> <p>Tourism</p>	<p>Study varying maps and sources of different areas of the UK (OS, aerial, topographical, photographs)</p> <p>Use sources to find and identify counties and cities of UK</p> <p>4 figure grid reference</p>	<p>Visit to contrasting areas of England (urban and rural ...)</p> <p>Creating contrasting maps</p> <p>Collecting and comparing OS data</p>

Geographical Concepts	Place Locational Human and Physical Climate Human Impact Environment Trade Tourism	Place Locational Human and Physical Cartography Environment	Human and Physical Locational and place Climate Tourism	<b>Digimaps:</b> Create OS survey maps of a chosen area of each country of the UK	
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Year 5	<b><u>South America and Rainforests</u></b> Locating the world's rainforests and creating topographical map Human impact - deforestation and conservation Physical - elements of a rainforest Significant lines of longitude and latitude Biomes, vegetation belts Trade provided by natural resources.	<b><u>Spain - Contrasting localities (Europe)</u></b> Compare and contrast physical geography of Spain and area of the UK (Southport) Climate zones Geographical features across the country Tourism OS maps 6 figure grid reference <b>Digimaps</b>	<b><u>Polar Regions</u></b> Locating Polar regions on a map, comparing and contrasting Identifying biomes Physical and human geography  Time zones 6 figure grid reference Tundra	Creating OS maps <b>Digimaps - Comparing Spain and UK</b>  Finding places using 6 figure grid reference  Mapping biomes  Topographical map of rainforests	Visit to Southport compare with costal/holiday area of Spain  Use OS maps, aerial photographs and digital maps to collect data about given area of UK  Field sketches of area of UK
Geographical Concept	Place Location Human and physical Environment Pollution/Human impact Trade Cartography	Place Location Human and physical Environment Agriculture	Place Location Human and physical Environment Trade climate		
Year 6	<b><u>Rivers and Mountains</u></b> Rivers and Mountains - how they form and physical geography Mapping major rivers of the UK and the wider world Different types of mountains Different parts to a river <b>Digimaps</b>	<b><u>North America - Plan bee</u></b> Comparing two regions of north America - Alaska and Florida Climate and Weather Rural and Urban features (Human and Physical) Biomes of the country Time zones Country study		Mapping North America, states, capital cities Climate zones Time zones  <b>Digimaps - mapping Rivers</b>	Visit River Alt, River Mersey etc... Identify features Make field sketches Plat river course on maps

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