

	Steps	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
UK Maps	Please see Geography steps document	Locate the Wirral and London on a map of the UK. Begin to locate the four countries that make up the UK. Use simple locational/directional language (e.g. near, far, up, down, moving towards North, South, East and West) to describe the location of features on a local map and to move around school.	Locate the four countries of the UK, beginning to name some capital cities. Use simple locational/directional language and the four main compass directions (North, South, East and West) to describe the location of features on a local map.	Use aerial images and age appropriate graphs to acquire and discuss geographical information about the local area. Use a four point compass to locate and describe basic human and geographical features such as roads and parks.	Use aerial images and age appropriate graphs to acquire and discuss geographical information about the local area. Use a four point compass to locate and describe human and geographical features including rivers, towns and cities.	Use the eight points of a compass, six figure grid references, maps, Google Maps/Earth, symbols and keys (inc the use of OS maps) to locate/describe geographical features studied including coastlines.	Use the eight points of a compass, six figure grid references, maps, Google Maps/Earth, symbols and keys (inc the use of OS maps) to locate/describe geographical features of a region of the UK when comparing with regions of North and South America.
World Maps		Begin to locate the locations of continents and oceans on a globe and world map/atlas.	Locate the locations of continents and oceans and some countries on a globe and world map/atlas.	Use maps, atlases, globes, Google Maps and Google Earth to locate mountains, rainforests, mountain ranges, volcanoes and different settlements of the world.	Use maps, atlases, globes, Google Maps and Google Earth to locate and describe European countries and their human/physical features, climate zones of Europe and the wider world.	Use physical maps, atlases, globes, Google Maps and Google Earth to locate and describe studied human and physical features, including rivers and their corresponding countries and cities.	Use physical maps, atlases, globes, Google Maps and Google Earth to locate and describe studied human and physical features, including countries, land use, settlements, mountains etc.
Dimensions links	Explorers A & B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Exploring maps jigsaws and puzzles - Paint a picture of the world No place like home <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Recognising pictures of their home - Painting houses - Posting letters home 	Pathfinders A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Locate continents Come Fly with Me! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Locate continents and oceans Unity in the community <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Local area maps and naming parts of the UK 	Pathfinders B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Compasses - Beebots directions on a map - Locate continents and oceans Light Up the World <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Locate continents and some countries on globes/world maps 	Adventurers B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Aerial spotting (identify local features) - Weather graphing (local vs. rainforest) - Canopy mapping (local tree cover) - Green-space tally (school grounds survey) 	Adventurers A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Weather survey tally chart and graphs - Aerial analysis (local land use) - Feature graphing (human vs. physical) - Map comparison (photo vs. map) 	Navigator A & B Global Warning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Weather study - Pollution study - Present data in graphs and charts, including the use of technology 	

	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Locate UK with support - Locate Wirral with support 	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Locate UK - Locate Wirral and London 	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Compass (Find north and draw what you see) - Sketches of local area including likes and dislikes - Draw own maps 	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Compass (Find north, look South and draw what you see) - Take digital photographs - Draw a map with a basic symbols key - Conduct an investigation e.g. number of cars - Present data 	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Compass (Find four points on a compass and record through annotated sketches) - Building survey, tally, graphs, photographs. - Photographs and sketches, to show how it has changed over time. 	<p>Wonders of Wirral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Photographs, detailed map sketching, aerial view sketching, comparison to old maps, how it has changed over time. - Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps)
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