



Year 5 and 6 - Spring Term

Geography: What affects the needs of living things in different places?

Vocabulary

Subject Specific Vocabulary		
Tropic of Cancer		The imaginary line approximately 23.5 degrees north of the equator.
Tropic of Capricorn		The imaginary line approximately 23.5 degrees south of the equator.
Longitude		A measure of location east or west of the Prime Meridian, expressed in degrees.
Latitude		A measure of location north or south of the equator, expressed in degrees.
Topographic features		The natural and human-made characteristics of the land.
Biome		A large geographical area grouped by its plant and animal communities.
Aquatic biome		An aquatic biome is a water habitat where plants and animals live, such as oceans, rivers, lakes, and seas.
Rainforest biome		A rainforest biome is a warm, wet habitat with lots of rain where many different plants and animals live.
Tropical		A tropical climate is hot all year and usually has lots of rain.
Temperate		A temperate climate has mild weather with warm summers, cool winters, and some rain throughout the year.
Vegetation belts		Different zones or regions on the Earth's surface grouped by types of plant life.

Driver Key Knowledge - Geography
The Tropic of Cancer is north of the equator (Northern Hemisphere).
The Tropic of Capricorn is south of the equator (Southern Hemisphere).
Mexico is located in southern part of the North America. It borders with USA and Guatemala and Belize.
Temperature is usually shown on a line graph.
Precipitation is usually shown on a bar graph.
A topographic map shows the shape of the land surface.
The UK has a temperate climate; Mexico has a tropical climate.
The UK has a slightly bigger coastline than Mexico.
The UK is a developed country; Mexico is a developing country.
Biomes are regions of the world with similar climate, animals and plants.
A vegetation belt is grouped by the types of plants alone which grow there.
Coniferous forests are an example of a vegetation belt.

Significant Places

Mexico is a country in North America known for its rich culture, history, and traditions. It has a warm climate in many areas and is famous for its food, music, and colourful celebrations.



Americas
The continents of North America and South America, with a range of countries, cultures and geographic features.



Enhancer Key Knowledge - Learning for Life

Share concerns with a trusted adult

It is my responsibility to take care of the school environment
We have a collective responsibility to take care of the environment

We can recycle

We can reuse

We can reduce

Images can be shared on social media. Devices can be connected and information can be shared.

Groups of people can be targeted on the internet

Images on social media can be manipulated. Not all images shared online are reliable information can be misinterpreted.

I know strategies to respond to behaviour online. Report unkind messages to a grown up.

Keep harmful messages, don't delete them.

Trolling is a kind of online bullying.

If a friendship online makes me feel unsafe talk to a trusted adult, do not respond to messages, keep messages sent.

Families care for us, are committed to looking after us and can be there for us when we experience difficult times.

Relationships make us happy.

Remain calm in situations which are out of my control.

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Trust		Believing that someone will be honest and do the right thing.
Environment		The world around us, including land, water, air, plants, and animals.
Recycle		To reuse materials instead of throwing them away.
Targeted		Chosen for a specific purpose.
Concern		Something you worry about or care about.
Trolling		Being unkind or mean online to upset others on purpose.
Commitment		Keeping a promise and trying your best to finish something..

Exciting texts!

