

Year 3 Geography Autumn

OS map skills and fieldwork

In this unit, the children will be taught the following lessons:

- What is an Ordnance Survey map?
- How does scale change the way we describe a place?
- What's the area like just beyond the school?
- What's the area like beyond our region?

Geographical skills and fieldwork

- The children will use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

Spring

UK Study

Geographical skills and fieldwork

In this unit, the children will be taught the following lessons:

United Kingdom

- Remember countries and capital letters. What are the regions of England?
- What are the cities and counties of the UK?

Human and physical features of countries in the United Kingdom

- What are the physical and human landmarks of England and Scotland?
- What are the physical and human landmarks of Wales and Northern Ireland?

Geographical patterns and explanations

- What are the topological patterns of the UK? What can I see here?
- Summarise, present and explain regions, counties, cities and landmarks of the UK.

In this unit, the children will be taught the following lessons:

- What are the 8 points on the compass?
- Where are the physical and human features located in this place?
- What physical features can you identify in the UK?

- The children will use the eight points of a compass (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.
- The children will use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.

Summer

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