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| **Geography: Key Stage 1- Year 1** |
| **Learning Challenges**  |
| **Where do the wheels on the bus go?** | **Why can’t penguins live near the equator?**  | **Why is it always cold in winter?** |
| **National Curriculum content**  |
| **Locational Knowledge** | **Human and Physical Geography** | **Human and Physical Geography** |
| *Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas*  | *Identify the location of hot and cold area of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles**Identify physical features, including, cliff, sea, beach* | *Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom* |
| **Place Knowledge**  | **Locational Knowledge** | **Skills and fieldwork** |
| *Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the UK.*  | *Locate and name the world’s seven continents and five oceans*  | *Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds.* |
| **Skills and fieldwork** | **Skills and fieldwork** |  |
| * *Use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK*
* *Use simple compass directions (N, S, E, W) and locational and directional language to describe location and features on a route of a map*
* *Use aerial photos and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks, human and physical features, devise a simple map and use and construct symbols in a key*
* *Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds.*
 | *Use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK, countries, continents and oceans*  |  |
| **Key Knowledge**  |
| * Know the names of the four countries that make up the UK and name the three main seas that surround the UK.
* Know the main differences between city, town and village.
* Know their address including postcode
 | * Know features of hot and cold places in the world.
* Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe.
* Know which is N, E, S and W, on a compass.
 | * Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK.
* Know and recognise main weather symbols.

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**Geography knowledge mats for Year 1**

* Hot and cold places
* The Local Area