

## Curriculum Intent:

To equip children with knowledge about places, people, resources and both natural and human environments, together with a deep understanding of

Subject	Term	Unit	Year
Year 2 Geography	Autumn 1	Continents	Year 2
Prior knowledge Building on knowledge and skills		National Curriculum Focus	
Year 1- Great Britain		Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans.	

<b>What?</b>	A continent is a large solid area of land. Earth has seven continents which are made up of countries.
<b>Why?</b>	To understand about the different continents and oceans helps children build a better understanding about the world around them.
<b>How?</b>	This unit introduces pupils to places and cultures beyond their everyday experiences and teaches them their role as responsible global citizens.

Key Vocabulary			
Atlas	A book containing maps of the Earth, either in parts or altogether.	Ocean	Pictures that show features of the Earth. Maps are presented flat pieces of paper on a screen.
Continent	Large area of land on the surface of the Earth.	Submerged	Pictures that show features of the Earth. Maps are presented on flat pieces of paper on a screen.
Globe	A sphere which shows the true shape of the Earth.	Surface	The outside of something that you can see.
Map	Pictures that show features of the Earth as well as its surface.	Sea	A part o the ocean which is closes by land.

End of Unit  
Key Questions

1. Which ways can the Earth be represented?
2. What is a continent?
3. What are the world's seven continents and where are they located?
4. Where are the world's oceans and what creatures inhabit them?
5. What are the world's five oceans and where are they located?
6. How are oceans different from seas?
7. How do the continents of the world differ?

**Key learning: (Specific link to the NC here)**

<b>Objective</b>	<b>Learning</b>
Can I explore how the Earth can be represented?	Know there are different ways of representing the Earth. Globes, atlases and maps can show us the Earth in parts or altogether.
Can I name the world's seven continents and where are they located?	Continents are very large areas of land usually made up of lots of different countries. Any land submerged by water is known as the sea or the ocean. The surface of the Earth is divided up into different continents, seas and oceans. There are 7 continents: Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australia, Europe, North America and South America. The UK is in the continent of Europe. Each continent is a different size and is made up of different physical features.
Can I name the world's oceans and what creatures inhabit them?	Oceans are made of salt water and cover about three quarters of the Earth's surface. They have thousands of different creatures living in them.
Can I locate the world's five oceans?	There are 5 oceans: Arctic Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Indian Ocean, Pacific Ocean and Southern Ocean.
Can I explain how oceans are different from seas?	The difference between an ocean and a sea is that a sea is surrounded by land which closes it in.
Can I explore how the continents of the world differ?	Australia is a country as well as a continent, whilst Antarctica has no countries or people living there because of its extreme temperature.

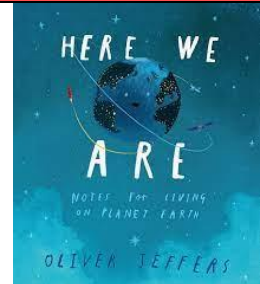
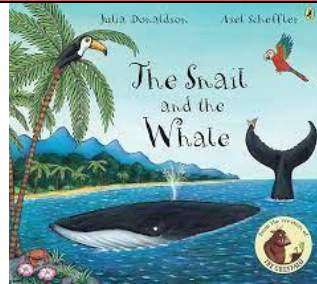
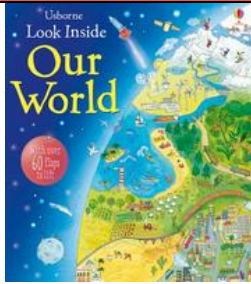
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**Recommended Reads**



**Golden Thread**

**Concept**

Locational Knowledge

**Experience Day (Trip / visitor )**