Kingsfield First School



Subject Specific Vocabulary for Geography



EYFS	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
	Eyes, Nose Fingers & Toes Crazy creations & Marvellous music This is Me! Our Wonderful world	Once Upon a Time What is your super power? A World of Pure Imagination All creatures great and small	Down on The Farm How does your garden grow? Happily Ever After Little people, big adventures
	Route, road, house, home, school, shop, next to, under, over, on top, below, behind, in front, soft, hard, smooth, rough, sticky, natural, weather, sun, rain, thunder, lightning, fog, mist, moon, plants, trees.	Route, road, house, home, school, shop, next to, under, over, on top, below, behind, in front, special, church, places of worship, community, playground, hospital, beach, garden, woodland, park, countries, America, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, France, China, natural, plants, animals.	Similar, same, different, country, America, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, France, China, life, beach, town, city, buildings, food, seasons, Summer, Winter, Spring, Autumn, weather, rain, sun, cloudy, windy, cold, warm, hot, freezing, snow, map, shapes, playground, school, hall, classrooms, garden, plants, trees, flowers.
KS1	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Cycle A	My local area	Hot and Cold	Recycling
	Biddulph, Stoke-on-Trent, village, town, city, country, United Kingdom, address, post code, street, road signs, urban, rural, map, landmarks, features. Locate, follow (map work), observe, record, compare, similarities, differences.	Hot, cold, light, dark, extreme, temperature, climate, North Pole, South Pole, Equator, polar region, desert, glacier, adapt, camouflage. Locate, compare, identify, similarities, differences.	Environment, environmentally friendly, recycling, litter, bins, biodegradable, garbage, landfill, dumping, plastic. Encourage, debate, discuss.
KS1	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Cycle B	Seaside study	Airports and train stations	Kenya (Non-European contrast)
	Seaside, coast, sea, ocean, beach, cliff, tide, resort, rock pool, hotel, shops, souvenirs, lighthouse, RNLI, Wallasey, Fornby, Llandudno. Locate, identify, compare, contrast,		Africa, African, European, Kenya, Nairobi, continent, capital, ocean, country, climate, temperature, rainfall, drought, lakes, rivers, mud huts, village, school, diet. Locate, identify, compare, contrasting, weather patterns, impact, aerial photographs, Google Earth

KS2 Cycle	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
A	London	Rivers	Energy
	London, capital, town, city, features, landmarks, buildings, River Thames, Houses of Parliament, monarchy, Buckingham Palace, underground. Locate, compare, sample, collect data, sketch	River, estuary, source, tributary, erosion, deposition, rocks, sediment, meander, River Thames, River Severn, River Trent, city, flooding Locate, follow, survey, sketch	Energy, solar, nuclear, kinetic, heat, light, chemical, electrical, sound, nuclear, wind turbines, fossil fuels, renewable, non-renewable, natural, conservation Locate
KS2	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Cycle B	Mountains	Europe	Biomes
	Earth, crust, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes, aftershock, tectonic plates, magma, magma chamber, pressure, lava, eruption, summit, tsunami, fault lines, Richter scale, Everest, Alps, Fuji, Ben Nevis, Snowdon, Scafell Pike, relief, topography, contour Locate, sketch	Europe, UK, Mediterranean, border, sea, coast, climate, resort, holiday, Greece, Spain, Italy, France, islands, food, language, lifestyle, jobs. Locate, sketch, measure, record, compare	Biome, region, landscape, climate, tundra, desert, rainforest (tropical and temperate), grassland, savannah, woodland, marine, adaptation, forest floor, understory, canopy, emergent layer, biodiversity, vegetation, permafrost, animals, emigration, immigration ldentify, locate, research, record, use four-figure grid references