Geography Whole School Overview

Year Group	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3
EYFS	British Isles: Saints' Days our locality- school and classroom. Weather*-Daily/Seasonal weather Map Skills	Transport our locality, cities and towns All Around the World Chinese New Year (China) Class Bears holidays (Spain, Germany, London) Positional Language Zoo visit to Blackpool	All Around the World Jungle animals- Rainforests Seaside- coasts and beaches Pirates- coordinates and maps
Year 1	Geography of our school Basic compass directions Seasonal and daily weather patterns. (Naughty Bus)	Your Locality – Stretford Human geography changes over time in the locality.	Compare and contrast United kingdom and non-European country- North East Australia
Year 2	British Isles- name and location of 4 countries, capitals and seas. Basic map reading and compass skills	Seven continents and five oceans	North and south poles Hot and Cold Areas
Year 3	Map reading and compass skills fieldwork. Land use (UK)	Importance of Rivers and Settlements (UK) linked to Ancient cities.	Mountains Rocks
Year 4	Map skills European Topography European cities and countries – links to Greece	Volcanoes and Earthquakes (Europe) Regional Studies	Fieldwork- link River Mersey to River Tiber U.K. and Italy
Year 5	UK- Building on Previous Knowledge Longitude and latitude Time zones	South America (incorporating reference to Central America)	Map reading and Compass Skills Fieldwork- Physical and human features in local area.
Year 6	Coasts	Map reading and Compass skills (8-points) including: Grid references, Symbols and key (UK) North America (New York)	North America (New York)