



Geography

Year group: 3/4 Cycle B

Term: Autumn

Topic Overview

Victorians - Children will be learning about the seven continents of the world and the countries that formed the British Empire during the Victorian era.

Prior knowledge

Children will be building on their prior knowledge of the United Kingdom, naming the countries and surrounding seas.

National Curriculum Objectives

- Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time
- Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied



By the end of this unit, I will be able to:

Physical Geography:

- Use maps and atlases appropriately by using contents and indexes

Geographical Knowledge:

- Name a number of countries in the Northern Hemisphere
- Name and locate well known European cities

Key vocabulary

Subject Vocabulary – eight-point compass, Europe, Equator, north east, north west, Northern Hemisphere, south east, Southern Hemisphere, south west, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn

Topic Vocabulary - Australia, Canada, India, Kenya, South Africa.