

Geography

Year group: 5/6 Cycle A

Term: Autumn

Prior knowledge

Children will build on their knowledge of map work. They will learn more about the United Kingdom and build on their knowledge of the countries that make up the UK by naming the counties and major cities.

National Curriculum Objectives

- Locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities
- 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 landuse patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time

Topic overview

WWI and WWII - The children will be developing their understanding of important locations in the war.

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

- Locate world countries, using maps to focus on Europe including location of Russia countries that evacuees were sent to.
- Locate counties and major cities of the United Kingdom
- Explain scales on maps.



Key vocabulary

Subject Vocabulary – biodiversity, climate zone, Fair Trade, four or six figure grid reference, Greenwich Meridian, latitude, longitude, Ordinance Survey (OS) Map

Topic Vocabulary - allied, axis, Berlin, evacuation, Europe, Germany, invade, Russia, scales.