

# St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary School

## Geography Topic Overview and Key Concepts



	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Reception	<p>Up In the Sky</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Change</p> <p>Environment</p> <p>Geographical Enquiry</p>	<p>Travel &amp; Transport</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Change</p> <p>Environment</p> <p>Geographical Enquiry</p>	<p>Pets are our Friends</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Environment</p> <p>Geographical Enquiry</p> <p>Interconnection</p>
Year 1	<p><b>Weather and Climate- How does the weather affect our lives?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Environment</p>	<p><b>The World and my School- What is the geography of where I live?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Change</p>	<p><b>Our School Grounds (Fieldwork unit) - Do our school grounds support plant life?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Geographical Enquiry</p>
Year 2	<p><b>Continents and Oceans - Where am I in the world?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p>	<p><b>Contrasting Locality: What are the differences and similarities between my town and Tulum Mexico?</b></p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Interconnection</p> <p>Environment</p>	
Year 3	<p><b>Climate Zones - How is Weather and Climate different?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p> <p>Geographical Enquiry</p> <p>Environment</p>	<p><i>History all term</i></p>	<p><b>South America - Why does South America have a different time zone compared to the UK?</b></p> <p><b>North America - Why does North America have different geographical features?</b></p> <p>Scale</p> <p>Place</p> <p>Space</p>

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Year 4	<b>Rainforests - How do rainforests keep the planet healthy?</b> Sustainability Interdependence Change Environment	<b>Rivers - What is a river?</b> Place Space Interconnection	
Year 5	<b>Mountains - Why are mountains so important?</b> Scale Place Space	<b>Volcanoes and Earthquakes - What makes the Earth erupt and rumble?</b> Scale Place Space Interdependence	<b>European Region - A comparison of London and Athens</b> Place Space Interdependence
Year 6	<i>History all term</i>	<b>United Kingdom - How has industry and land use affected the British landscape?</b> Change Scale Place Space Environment	<b>Locality Study- How does Mortlake meet the needs of its population and environment?</b> Geographical Enquiry Place