

Beckfoot Priestthorpe Primary School Geography Overview

	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Early Years	To know that many different animals live in the woods. To name features of woodland.	To know that there are many kinds of journeys and that they take you from one place to another. To know that there are different festivals celebrated around the world.	To name and identify some animal tracks and where they are found.	To know and name animals that live on a farm. To know that many wild animals live around the world and that some are endangered.	To know that we have four seasons. To know that farmers harvest crops for us to eat.	To know that there are similarities and differences between different places.
Year 1	Spatial Sense/Bingley Aerial Views Maps Location Compass Points Drawing maps 			 London Capital city/Europe Landmarks Compass/ directional language Geographical features Plan a trip 		The UK . 1. The four countries in the United Kingdom 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Northern Ireland 5. England
Year 2	Seven Continents Europe Antarctica Africa Asia North and South America Australia 				The British Isles 1. The British Isles and England 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Ireland 5. Comparison with Indonesia	Northern Europe 1.Countries in Northern Europe. 2. Human and physical features of Northern Europe. 3. Climate in Northern Europe. 4. Animals found in Northern Europe. 5. Roald Amundsen

Year 3	Settlements		Western Europe			Mountains
	 Settlements Types of Settlements Urban, Rural and Suburban areas Population Density Sites and Situations of Local Settlements 		 Countries and Settlements in Western Europe Climate of Western Europe Trade in Western Europe France A comparison of London and Paris 			 Mountains The Alps The High Peaks of the Himalayas American Mountains 5. African Mountains
Year 4	Rivers 1. What is a river? 2. Rivers of England 3. River Aire 4. Courses and features 5. Settlements			Mediterranean Europe 1. Key Places in Europe 2. Climate of Mediterranean Europe 3. Food and Farming 4. Landscape 5. Settlements		Africa 1. The Continent of Africa 2. Past civilisations and empires – Mansa Musa 3. African Biomes 4. The Sahara Desert and Desertification 5. Food and Farming
Year 5		New Zealand and the South Pacific 1. New Zealand and the South Pacific- location and physical geography 2. The history of New Zealand- The Maori 3. Earthquakes 4. Climate 5. South Pacific Islands		UK Geography: Northern Ireland 1. An Introduction to Northern Ireland 2. Visiting Northern Ireland 3. Northern Ireland, the Republic of Ireland and the partition 4. Finn MacCool and the Giant's Causeway 5. The Marble Arch Caves	Eastern Europe 1. Key Places in Eastern Europe 2. Climate of Eastern Europe 3. Russia 4. Compare and contrast physical features with UK 5. Compare and contrast human features with UK	

Year 6	North America	British Geographical Issues	Australia
	 The Countries of North America Environmental Regions of North America Rivers in North America Cities in North America Comparison of The UK and a region of North America 	 Air Pollution Climate Change Waste Litter Local context 	 Australia- location and physical geography 2. The history of Australia Settlements Climate Biodiversity