

Progression in Vocabulary

	Place names	Geographical terms and processes	Locational terms
EYFS Vocabulary	Dishforth, Borough bridge, Ripon, Yorkshire Africa Antarctica	school, house, village, street, road, church, shop, library, playground, park, garden centre tree, grass, rain, sun, snow, hot, cold, windy, clouds map, atlas, globe photographs live	Prepositions and direction-finding terms such as, above, around, below, left, right, forward, near, inside, opposite, outside, across, next to
Key Stage 1 Vocabulary	<p>Local Area: Dishforth, North Yorkshire, Thirsk, Boroughbridge, Ripon, England, York</p> <p>River: Ouse, Ure</p> <p>The World: 7 continents: Oceania, North America, South America, Asia, Europe, Africa 5 oceans: Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Southern, Arctic</p> <p>Distant Place: Australia: Australian Cities: Darwin, Perth, Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide Great Barrier Reef, Daintree Rainforest, Sydney Opera House, Northern Territory: Ayers Rock/Uluru, Alice Springs, The Outback</p> <p>The Seaside: Yorkshire, North Yorkshire Scarborough, Whitby, Robin Hood's Bay North Yorkshire Moors</p> <p>Investigating the U.K: United Kingdom, Great Britain Countries: Northern Ireland, England, Scotland, Wales Capital Cities: Belfast, Cardiff, Edinburgh, London Mountains: Ben Nevis, Snowden Seas & Oceans: English Channel, Irish Sea, North Sea, Atlantic Ocean Rivers: River Thames</p>	<p>Human features: building, house city, village, town, school, street, road, shop, offices, garden centre, playground, bridge, Motorway, harbour, port, pier, lighthouse, factory, supermarket</p> <p>Physical features: cloud, weather (sunshine, rain, thunderstorms, wind, snow, cyclones), field, forest, river, hills, coral reef, valley, forest, rainforest, mountains, national park, bay, range, coastline, cliff, seasons (spring, summer, autumn, winter), oceans & seas, beach, desert</p> <p>map, atlas, globe, symbol, key, aerial view directions, route, address county, country Continent, Ocean Capital City, City, Town, Village, countryside Landmark island weather, temperature, climate, hot, cold tourist, holiday, travel indigenous</p>	North, South, East, West Equator North Pole, South Pole Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere Local, national Prepositions and direction-finding terms such as, above, around, below, left, right, forward, near, inside, opposite, outside, across, next to

Lower Key Stage 2 Vocabulary

Geography Units

- Polar Environments
- Water
- Asia: China
- THE U.K:
Investigating Who We Are/London
- Mountains and Volcanoes
- Enough for Everyone

Polar Environments

Arctic, Antarctic, Arctic circle, Antarctic circle
Countries which have land within the Arctic: Norway, Sweden, Finland, Russia, US, Canada, Greenland (Denmark), Iceland
Arctic Ocean

Asia: Exploring China

Continent: Asia, **Capital City:** Beijing, **Cities:** Shanghai
Landmarks: Great Wall of China, **Oceans & Seas:** South China Sea, East China Sea, Arctic, Pacific and Indian Oceans
Mountains: Himalayas, **Rivers:** Yangtze and the Yellow Rivers, Mekong River

THE U.K: Investigating Who We Are/London

United Kingdom, Great Britain
Countries: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales
Capital Cities: London, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Belfast
Landmarks: Snowdon, Ben Nevis, Giant's Causeway, Stonehenge
Rivers: Thames, Tay, Severn, Bann
High Ground: Pennines, Grampian Mountains, Cambrian Mountains, Sperrin Mountains
Seas & Oceans: North Sea, Irish Sea, Atlantic Ocean

Mountains and Volcanos

Highest mountains in the UK:
Ben Nevis in Scotland (also the highest in the UK), Scafell Pike in England, Slieve Donard in Northern Ireland, Snowdon in Wales
Mountain ranges: the Cairngorms in Scotland, the Pennines in England, the Mourne Mountains in Northern Ireland, Snowdonia in Wales
Mountain Ranges of the World: The Rockies, The Andes, The Himalayas, The Alps
Mount Everest
Volcanoes: Ring of Fire: Pacific Ocean, Mount Vesuvius (Europe, Italy), Mount St. Helens in Washington, USA, Mount Fuji, Japan, Mount Etna (Italy)

Water cycle, Dam, fertiliser, particles, pesticides, pollution chemicals, litter, reservoir, water vapour, evaporation, condensation, melting, freezing, clouds, sun, wind, precipitation (snow/rain), run off, ground water, river, stream, sea, air
Water Treating: Chemical, Chlorine, Bacteria
Flooding: Fluvial, Pluvial, Coastal, Plumbing

Polar, Antarctic Treaty, Glacier, Iceberg, Fjords, Plateaus, Mountains, Islands, Valleys, Seas, Blizzards, Storms, Adaptation

Land use: agriculture, recreation, retail, housing, farming

Mountain ranges, avalanche, cliff face, dome mountains, fault-block mountains, fire mountains (volcanoes), fold mountains, peak, ridge, scree, slope, summit, altitude

Volcanoes, Tsunami, Tornados, Earthquakes

Erupt, Fossils, Magma, Tectonic plates, tectonic Richter Scale, lava, tremor, vent, crust mantle inner core outer core, dormant, eruption, fault line, disaster, core, crater, crust, aftershock, ash cloud, epicentre

conserve, consume, fertile land, food miles, import, non-renewable energy, produced, renewable energy, solar energy, turbine, power station

Map, globe, atlas, key, scale, Ordnance survey, Topographical map

Climate, Population, culture, immigration
Monsoons, Dry Seasons, counties, regions
rural, urban

North, South, East, West

Northeast, Northwest, Southeast, Southwest

Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere

Eastern Hemisphere, Western Hemisphere

Latitude, longitude

Time zones

Tropic of Cancer

Tropic of Capricorn

Equator

International Date Line

Prime Meridian

Height above Sea Level

Upper Key Stage 2

Geography Units

- Europe (Eastern Europe)
- Americas
- Coastal Environments
- Investigating Rivers
- Climate and Biomes
- World Trade

Europe

Countries: Russia, Ukraine, Turkey, Poland, United Kingdom, Belarus, Finland, Estonia
Cities: Moscow, Kiev, Ankara, Warsaw, London, Minsk, Helsinki, Tallinn, St Petersburg, Odessa, Istanbul, Volgograd
Seas: North Sea, Baltic Sea, Black Sea

Americas

Canada/Ottawa, USA/Washington DC, Mexico/Mexico City
 Peru/Lima, Brazil/Brazilia, Arhgentina/Buenos Aires
Wonders of the World: Christ the Redeemer, Brazil, Machu Picchu, Peru, Chichen Itza, Mexico
Natural Wonders of the Americas: Grand Canyon, Arizona, Niagara Falls, Ontario/New York, Angel Falls, Venezuela, Yosemite Valley, California, Kilauea, Hawaii, Great Blue Hole, Belize, Amazon Rainforest, Brazil

Coastal Environments

Case study of the Yorkshire Coast: Whitby, Scarborough, Robin Hood's Bay, Flamborough

Rivers (+ Waterfalls)

U.K's Longest Rivers: The River Thames, Great Ouse, Trent, Severn, Wye
 The River Ouse (Flooding)
World Rivers: The longest rivers in each continent are:
 Africa Nile 6695km, South America Amazon 6400km, Asia Yangtze 6380km, North America Mississippi 3766km, Europe Volga 3570km, Australasia Darling 1472km
 Antarctica Onyx 40km,
Waterfalls: Niagara Falls (North America) and Angel Falls (South America), Gaping Gill (North Yorkshire)

World Trade

Europe, Caribbean, China, New Zealand, South East Asia/Peru, South America

Rainforest, Emergent Layer, Canopy Layer Understory Layer, Forest Floor, Native Tribes Biomes, Flora/fauna, Vegetation, Ecosystems, Deforestation, Species

Biomes: **climate, landscape,** Tropical Rainforests, deserts, Woodlands, grasslands, Tundra

[Map, globe, atlas, key, scale, Ordnance survey](#)

Rivers: Source, Upper course, Middle course, Lower course, Channel, V-shaped valley, Tributaries, Erosion, Transportation, deposit, Undercutting, Meander, Oxbow lake, Mouth, Estuary, Delta, Precipitation, Surface Runoff, Throughflow,

Coastal Environment: Weathering, physical weathering, chemical weathering, acid, dissolve, minerals, biological weathering, erosion, coast, coastline, bay, headland, beach, dune, cave, cliff, arch, stack, stump, spit, erosion, deposition, development, regeneration
 Protection, physical changes, human changes

Trade: Global trade, Global companies, International, Trade, Local scale, Global scale, Communities, Food, Goods, Buying, Selling, Exchanging, Globalisation, Import, Export, Land mass, Climate, Global supply chain, Raw materials, supplier, Manufacturing, Distribution, Customer, Consumer, Fairtrade, Economy

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 Climate zones
 Vegetation belts
 6 figure grid reference