Reception	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Explain		Cold Places: What is it like at	Climate zones: what are they	Climate zones: what are they		
some		the North and South Poles?	and why do they matter?	and why do they matter?		
similarities						
and		Identify the location of hot and	Identify the position and	Identify the position and		
differences		cold areas of the world in	significance of latitude,	significance of latitude,		
between life		relation to the Equator and	longitude, Equator,	longitude, Equator,		
in this		North and South Poles.	Northern Hemisphere,	Northern Hemisphere,		
country and			Southern Hemisphere, the	Southern Hemisphere, the		
life in other			Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and	Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and		
countries,			Antarctic Circle	Antarctic Circle		
drawing on			Physical geography:	Physical geography:		
knowledge			climate zones.	climate zones.		
from stories,						
non-fiction						
texts and						
when						
appropriate						
– maps.						
maps.						
Talk about						
their						
immediate						
community/						
locality. E.g.						
village,						
street, town						
etc						
Talk about		The UK – What kind of place is	The UK: Who are we?	The UK: Who are we?		
how some		it?				
environmen			Name and locate counties of	Name and locate counties of		
ts are		Name, locate and identify	the United Kingdom,	the United Kingdom,		
different to		characteristics of the four	geographical regions and	geographical regions and		
the one in		countries and capital cities of	their identifying human and	their identifying human and		
which they		the United Kingdom and its	physical characteristics, key	physical characteristics, key		
live.		surrounding seas Place	topographical features	topographical features		
		knowledge	(including hills, mountains,	(including hills, mountains,		
Understand		To use basic geographical	coasts and rivers), and land- use patterns; and understand	coasts and rivers), and land- use patterns; and understand		
Understand		vocabulary to refer to key	how some of these aspects	how some of these aspects		
the effect		physical features – beach, cliff,	have changed over time	have changed over time		
of changing		coast, mountain, hill, sea, valley				
seasons on			Human geography, including:	Human geography, including:		
the natural			types of settlement and land	types of settlement and land		

world		use, economic activity	use, economic activity		
		including trade links, and the	including trade links, and the		
around		distribution of natural	distribution of natural		
them.		resources including energy,	resources including energy,		
		food, minerals and water.	food, minerals and water.		
Describe	Hot Places: Where are they and	Mountains and Volcanoes –	Mountains and Volcanoes –		
their	what are they like?	what, where and why?	what, where and why?		
immediate					
environmen	Identify the location of hot and	Describe and understand key	Describe and understand key		
tusing	cold areas of the world in	aspects of:	aspects of:		
knowledge	relation to the Equator and	mountains, volcanoes and	mountains, volcanoes and		
	North and South Poles.	earthquakes	earthquakes		
from		Use maps, atlases, globes	Use maps, atlases, globes		
observation,		and digital/computer	and digital/computer		
discussion,		mapping to locate countries and describe features	mapping to locate countries and describe features		
stories, non-		studied	studied		
fiction texts		studied	siudied		
and maps.					
Describe	Local area: Why is Longnor	Local area: how is it	Local area: how is it		
and	Special?	changing?	changing?		
compare	Use simple compass directions	Use fieldwork to observe,	Use fieldwork to observe,		
different	(North, South, East and West)	measure, record and present	measure, record and present		
settings and	and locational and directional	the human and physical	the human and physical		
environmen	language [for example, near	features in the local area	features in the local area		
ts based on	and far; left and right], to	using a range of methods,	using a range of methods,		
personal	describe the location of	including sketch maps, plans	including sketch maps, plans		
experiences	features and routes on a map	and graphs, and digital	and graphs, and digital		
and		technologies.	technologies.		
information	Use aerial photographs and				
gathered	plan perspectives to recognise				
from stories	landmarks and basic human				
and texts.	and physical features; devise a				
	simple map; and use and				
Know that	construct basic symbols in a				
there are	key.				
different	Use simple fieldwork and				
countries in	observational skills to study the				
the world	geography of their school and				
and talk	its grounds and the key human				
about the	and physical features of its				
difference	surrounding environment.				
they have					

experience or seen in				
photos.				
Can talk about some		The Water Cycle – why is it important?	The Water Cycle – why is it important?	
similarities		Describe and understand key	Describe and understand key	
and		aspects of the water cycle.	aspects of the water cycle.	
differences				
between				
life in this				
country and				
life in other				
countries.				
Draw				
information				
on a simple				
map.				
Talk about the	What is it like to live in Tanzania?			
similarities	Understand geographical			
and	similarities and differences			
differences	through studying the human			
of two	and physical geography of a small area of the United			
different	Kingdom, and of a small area			
environmen	in a contrasting non-European			
ts/	country Human and physical			
locations.	geography.			
Understand				
the effect				
of changing				
seasons in a				
contrasting				
environmen +				
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·	Local area:		Europe: What is it like to	Europe: What is it like to		
	Where do		live in Northern Italy?	live in Northern Italy?		
	we go to					
	school?					
	Local area:		Land use: How diverse are	Land use: How diverse are		
	Where do		local and UK landscapes?	local and UK landscapes?		
	we live?					
	Continents		Rivers: What's special	Rivers: What's special		
	and		about them?	about them?		
	oceans:					
	what can					
	we find out					
	about the					
	world?		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	Seasons:		Local area – what needs	Local area – what needs		
	How does		changing?	changing?		
	the weather					
	change					
	through the					
	year? Local area:				South America – why	
	How do we				does the Amazon	
					matter?	
	use maps and plan					
	routes?					
	Local to					
	global: How					
	can we					
	identify					
	special					
	places?					