

Geographical Substantive Concepts

Substantive concepts are covered in the units identified in the table below.

	Place	Space	Interdependence	Scale	Environmental impact	Sustainable development	Physical / human processes	Cultural awareness and diversity
EYFS N	Land of Make believe Autumn festivals Blue planet	On the farm Blue planet	Blue planet		Blue planet		Blue planet	Autumn festivals
EYFS R	Once upon a time Celebrations	Dinosaurs Animals and nature	Animals and nature	Outer space Under the Sea	Once upon a time Outer space Animals and nature	Animals and nature	Once upon a time	Once upon a time Celebrations
Year 1	How is our local area changing and why? What makes the United Kingdom united? Why is the weather important?		What makes the United Kingdom united?		How is our local area changing and why?		How is our local area changing and why? Why is the weather important?	What makes the United Kingdom united?
Year 2	Why are some parts of the world hot and some parts of the world cold? Would it be different living in Alice Springs than living in Telford? How is our world organised?	Would it be different living in Alice Springs than living in Telford? How is our world organised?	Why are some parts of the world hot and some parts of the world cold?	Would it be different living in Alice Springs than living in Telford? How is our world organised?	Why are some parts of the world hot and some parts of the world cold?	Why are some parts of the world hot and some parts of the world cold?	Why are some parts of the world hot and some parts of the world cold?	Would it be different living in Alice Springs than living in Telford? How is our world organised?
Year 3	How much of an impact do volcanoes and earthquakes have on our world? What makes the UK special? Who are our European neighbours?	How much of an impact do volcanoes and earthquakes have on our world? What makes the UK special? Who are our European neighbours?		What makes the UK special? Who are our European neighbours?	How much of an impact do volcanoes and earthquakes have on our world?	What makes the UK special?	How much of an impact do volcanoes and earthquakes have on our world? What makes the UK special?	Who are our European neighbours?
Year 4	Why is the climate different in different locations on Earth? How sustainable is the UK? What is France famous for?	Why is the climate different in different locations on Earth? What is France famous for?	Why is the climate different in different locations on Earth?	How sustainable is the UK? What is France famous for?	How sustainable is the UK?	How sustainable is the UK?	Why is the climate different in different locations on Earth?	How sustainable is the UK? What is France famous for?
Year 5	How do rivers shape settlements and the physical landscape of the UK? Are mountains all the same?	How do rivers shape settlements and the physical landscape of the UK?	How do rivers shape settlements and the physical landscape of the UK?	Are mountains all the same? Why is North America so extreme?	How do rivers shape settlements and the physical landscape of the UK? Are mountains all the same?	Are mountains all the same?	How do rivers shape settlements and the physical landscape of the UK? Are mountains all the same?	Why is North America so extreme?

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Year 6	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p> <p>What do we know and understand about South America?</p> <p>Will the UK ever disappear into the sea?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p> <p>What do we know and understand about South America?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p> <p>What do we know and understand about South America?</p> <p>Will the UK ever disappear into the sea?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p> <p>What do we know and understand about South America?</p> <p>Will the UK ever disappear into the sea?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p>	<p>What can I do to protect the world's biomes?</p>	<p>What do we know and understand about South America?</p> <p>Will the UK ever disappear into the sea?</p>