Green Class EYFS/Key Stage 1 Geography Key Questions

A.2024-2025		
Locational Knowledge: **Our Local Area** **What can I find in my school and street?** • What is a map? Why do we use them? • What is an aerial view? • Where is my school? • What are the key features of my school on an aerial photograph and a map? *eg. playground, car park, forest school, school field.* • What are the key features on my street on an aerial photograph and map? *eg. Claverley CE Primary School, The Plough car park, All Saints Church Claverley, Aston Lane,* • What are map symbols? • What are compass directions? How are they used on a map? *Kapow: KS1 What is it like here?*	**Human and Physical Geography:** **Weather and Seasons** **How does the weather change in Claverley?** • What is weather? What are the different types of weather? • What is the climate? • What are the seasons? Why do we have seasons? • What is the weather like during the different seasons? • What season are we (Claverley) in now? How do we know? What signs are there? • What is the weather like in Claverley? How do we record it? • Is the weather forecast accurate for my area (Claverley?) • What impact does the weather have on our activities and what we wear? *Oddizzi: KS1 Weather and Seasons* *Kapow: EYFS Outdoor Adventures*	**Place Knowledge:** **A Contrasting Non-European Country** **How is Kenya different to the Claverley?** • Where is Africa and the Country of Kenya? • What is the climate and weather like in Kenya? • What are the seasons like in Kenya compared with the seasons in the UK (Claverley)? • What are the differences between the main land features of Kenya and Claverley? • How is life different for the Maasai tribe and life of local people in Claverley? • In what ways is Kenya similar/different to Claverley? *Plan Bee: Let's go on Safari!* *Kapow: EYFS Home or Away?* *Odizzi: Kenya Resources*
Key Vocabulary: search above find feature	**Key Vocabulary:** rain season/s snow sunshine	**Key Vocabulary:** Africa Kenya landscape Maasai Tribe

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identify map aerial bird's eye view building car park direction field map playground classroom photograph road route search village Claverley road path church school school ground compass symbol direction North South East West navigate	temperature wind Spring Summer Autumn Winter frosty hot cold mild sunny wet rainfall measure forecast January February March April May June July August September October November December change weather patterns diary foggy	Claverley local similarities differences land features climate weather temperature country continent savannahs valleys mountains compare rural city Kenyan people villages immediate environment contrast
B. 2023-2024		
Locational knowledge: **The United Kingdom** **Which countries make up the UK and how are they different?** • Where do we live? • Which four countries make up the United Kingdom? Where are they on a map? What seas surround the United Kingdom?	**Human and Physical Geography:** **Hot and Cold Places** **How is Antarctica different to The Sahara Desert?** • Where in the world am I? • What are the seven continents? • What is a desert?	**Place Knowledge:** **Coasts** **What can I find at the Seaside?** • How do I know I am at the seaside? What are the key features? • Which of the features of the seaside are human and physical? • Where are my seasides?

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• What are the four capital cities? • What is it like to live in Scotland? • What is it like to live in Wales? • What is it like to live in Ireland? *Odizzi: KS1 The United Kingdom* *Kapow: EYFS Around the World (UK)*	• Where is Antarctica? Where is the Sahara Desert? • What animals live in Antarctica? What animals live in the Sahara Desert? • What are the key physical features of Antarctica? • What are the key physical features of the Sahara desert? • Human Features: What is life like in the Sahara desert? How do humans live, travel, eat and work? • Human Features: What is life like in Antarctica? How do humans live, travel, eat and work? *Kapow: EYFS Around the World* *Odizzi: KS1 Hot and Cold Places*	• What seaside towns are in the four countries of the United Kingdom? • Compare two seaside towns in the United Kingdom: What are the similarities and differences between them? (St Ives, Cornwall and Barmouth, Wales) Hamilton Brookes: KS1 We are Britain
Key Vocabulary: country countries capital city surrounding name locate characteristics human physical United Kingdom England Ireland Scotland Wales Map Atlas globe, human, physical (features) city urban rural	**Key Vocabulary:** hot cold equator location adapt atlas globe continent, desert Sahara Antarctica human, physical (features) sand dunes oasis weather climate ice berg glacier ice cave ice mountain equator	**Key Vocabulary:** human, physical (features) tourist caves promenade attractions

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