Year I- Geography

<mark>Our wonderful world (OWW)</mark>

Bright lights, big city (BLBC)

Locational knowledge	Place knowledge	Human and physical geography	Geographical skills and fieldwork
A continent is a large area of	Places can be compared by size,	Physical features are naturally-created features	A map is a picture or drawing of an area of land or
land. (OWW)	amenities, transport, location,	of the Earth (Both)	sea that can show human and physical features. A
	weather and climate. (BLBC)		key is used to show features on a map. A map has
The world's seven continents		Physical features include a beach, cliff, coastline,	symbols to show where things are located. (OWW)
are Africa, Antarctica, Asia,	Kuala Lumpur is the capital city	forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil,	
Australia, Europe, North	of Malaysia. (BLBC)	valley and lake. (Both)	Positional language includes behind, next to and in
America and South America.			front of. Directional language includes left, right,
(OWW)		Human features are made by people. They	straight ahead and turn. (Both)
		include a city, town, village, factory, farm,	
The five oceans are the Arctic		road, bridge, house, office, port, harbour and	A location is a place or the position of something.
Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Indian		shop. (Both)	(OWW)
Ocean, Pacific Ocean and			
Southern Ocean. (OWW)		Human features are man-made and include	Direction is the way you travel to get somewhere.
		buildings, roads and bridges. (BLBC)	(OWW)
The United Kingdom (UK) is a			
union of four countries:		A settlement is a place where people live and	The compass points north, south, east and west can be
England, Northern Ireland,		work and can be big or small, depending on how	used when giving directions. (OWW)
Scotland and Wales. (Both)		many people live there. Towns and cities are	
		urban settlements. Features of towns and cities	An aerial photograph or plan perspective shows an
A capital city is a city that is		include homes, shops, roads and offices.	area of land from above. (Both)
home to the government and		(Both)	
ruler of a country. (Both)			Google Earth is a computer program that accesses
			aerial images of the world via satellites. (OWW)
London is the capital city of		Natural environments can be affected by the	
England, Belfast is the capital		actions of humans, including cutting down trees	Data is information that can be collected and used to
city of Northern Ireland,		or dropping litter.	answer a geographical question. (OWW)



Edinburgh is the capital city of Scotland and Cardiff is the capital city of Wales. The countries of the United Kingdom are made up of cities, towns and villages. (Both)

Significant London landmarks include the Royal Albert Hall, Tower Bridge, Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, Big Ben, Buckingham Palace and Monument to the Great Fire of London. (BLBC)

Humans can protect the environment by choosing to preserve woodlands and hedgerows, recycling where possible and disposing of waste carefully. (OWW)

Warmer areas of the world are closer to the equator and colder areas of the world are further from the equator. The equator is an imaginary line that divides the Earth into two parts: the Northern and Southern Hemispheres. Continents have different climates depending on where they are in the world. The climate of a place can be identified by the types of weather, plants and animals found there. (OWW)

There are four seasons in the UK: spring, summer, autumn and winter. Each season has typical weather patterns. Types of weather include sun, rain, wind, snow, fog, hail and sleet. In the United Kingdom, the length of the day varies depending on the season. In winter, the days are shorter. In summer, the days are longer. Symbols are used to show different types of weather. (BLBC)

Fieldwork includes going out in the environment to look, ask questions, take photographs, take measurements and collect samples. (Both)

Skills- Year I

- Use basic geographical vocabulary to identify and describe physical features, such as beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley. (Both)
- Draw or read a simple picture map. (OWW)
- Use simple directional and positional language to give directions, describe the location of features and discuss where things are in relation to each other. (Both)
- Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans on a world man (OWW)
- Locate hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the equator. (OWW)

