



## St James' CE Primary School – Geography Long Term Plan

|             | Autumn 1                                                                | Autumn 2                                                                              | Spring 1                                                                                              | Spring 2                                                                  | Summer 1                                                                          | Summer 2                                                                      |
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| 2-3 Nursery | Exploring immediate environment through walk and play                   | Experiencing environmental changes – light and dark                                   | Experience different cultures and traditions                                                          | Exploring different environments and noticing differences                 | Exploring movement, following directions and learning about the local environment | Talking about places we have been                                             |
| 3-4 Nursery | Where we live and familiar places                                       | Understanding environmental differences and collect autumn leaves and seeds           | Talking about how people live in different places and exploring traditions. The natural world-bridges | Creating simple maps and following routes                                 | Describing environments and habitats and beginning to compare                     | Exploring environments beyond school and comparing them                       |
| Reception   | Describing local environment in detail comparing homes and environments | Exploring the wider world and identifying similarities and differences between places | Comparing life in different countries and communities                                                 | Using maps, giving directions and exploring routes with programmable toys | Comparing local and global environments and explaining features                   | Comparing two places and explaining differences using geographical vocabulary |
| Year 1      | What is in our Local Area?                                              |                                                                                       | Life in the United Kingdom                                                                            |                                                                           | Our Wider World                                                                   |                                                                               |
| Year 2      | Understanding our Local Area                                            |                                                                                       | Exploring the diverse country we live in                                                              |                                                                           | Life Around the World – Kenya focus                                               |                                                                               |
| Year 3      | Rivers                                                                  | Mountains                                                                             | Settlements                                                                                           | Agriculture                                                               | Volcanoes                                                                         | Climate and biomes                                                            |
| Year 4      | The Rhine and the Mediterranean                                         | Population                                                                            | Coastal processes and landforms                                                                       | Tourism                                                                   | Earthquakes                                                                       | Deserts                                                                       |
| Year 5      | Why is California so thirsty?                                           | Oceans                                                                                | Migration                                                                                             | North and South America                                                   | The Amazon                                                                        | Interconnected Amazon                                                         |
| Year 6      | Why is California so thirsty?                                           | Oceans                                                                                | Migration                                                                                             | North and South America                                                   | The Amazon                                                                        | Interconnected Amazon                                                         |