Geography Overview

	Cycle A Term 1	Cycle A Term 2	<u>Cycle A</u> Term 3	<u>Cycle B</u> Term 1	Cycle B Term 2	Cycle B Term 3
EYFS	Autumn term: Topic: Autumn Question: What is a season? What do you know about Autumn time? Focus: Understanding seasonal changes, looking for similarities and differences, recognizing signs of autumn. Abstract terms: Autumn, season, decay, harvest, crops Book: Various non-fiction books, Oliver's Vegetables. Autumn term: Topic: Local area Question: Where do we live? Focus: Library walk, local area visits Abstract terms: pointing out man made features e.g. cathedral Book: N/A		Spring term: Topic: Winter Question: How does Winter compare to autumn? What signs can you see? Focus: Understanding seasonal changes, looking for similarities and differences, recognizing signs of winter. Abstract terms: Seasonal changes, comparisons. Book: Various non-fiction books, one snowy night. Spring term: Topic: Antarctica Question: What do we know about the wider world? Focus: penguins, polar bears, south pole Abstract terms: Earth, poles, ice burg, igloo, temperature, freeze Book: Penguin small, various non-fiction, Penguins can't fly		Summer term: Topic: Spring Question: What happens in spring? What can you happening? Why is this happening? Focus: Understanding seasonal changes, looking for similarities and differences, recognizing signs of spring. Abstract terms: growth, seasonal changes and comparisons. Book: Various non-fiction books	
Key Stage 1	Topic: 'Explorers' Question: Can we explore the world with Captain Cook? Book: This is Captain Cook	Topic: London's burning' Question: What do we know about our capital city? Book: Haran Travels to London	Topic: 'Paddington's Travels' Question: How is life different for Paddington? Book: Paddington	Topic: 'Traditional Tales' Question: What seasonal changes are happening outside? Book: Spot's First Walk The Gingerbread Man	Topic: Wonderful World' Question: What seasonal changes are happening outside? Book: Meerkat Mail, Antarctic Antics	Topic: 'How does your garden grow' Question: What seasonal changes are happening outside? What does our area look like from above? Book: We are the Gardener
Lower Key Stage 2	Topic: Stone Age to Iron Age' Question: Where is Stonehenge? Book: Stone Age Boy	Topic: Greeks' Question: What is great about Greece? Book:	Topic: Local Area Question: What are the different counties that make up the UK? What are the human and physical features of Wakefield? Book:	Topic: Romans Question: Why did Rome develop as a major city? Book:	Topic: Window on the World Question: Starter Question: How is our local area changing? Book: David Hockney: Yorkshire Sketchbook	Topic: Anglo Saxons Question: Where did they come from and where did they settle? Book:
Upper Key Stage 2	Topic: Poppies Peace and Power	Topic: Natural Disasters	Topic: Space Question: What time is it around the world? Book: The Space Race	Topic: Viking Question: Where did the Viking come from? Book: Viking Boy	Topic: Egyptians Question: Why is the Nile precious? Book	Topic: Rainforest Question: What is life like in Brazil?

Question: Why is	Question: Why do we		What are the physical
there a shortage of	have natural		aspect of South
food?	disasters?		America compared to
Book: The Story of	Book: Flood		Britain?
World War 2	Fact Tracker -		Book: Journey to the
	Tsunamis		River Sea