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Our School's Skills - Working Collaboratively, Independence, Community Values, Reflectiveness, Stickability, Risk-Taking, Inquisitiveness, Communication

Year 3 Geography Autumn Term

This term in Geography, we are exploring East of England region; types of settlements and land use

Our Key Learning Objectives			
I can use maps, atlases, globes and digital computing mapping to locate **countries** and **cities** in the UK, learn about and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features			
I can name and locate **regions** in England, then focus on **East of England** region **(including Stevenage and Saint Albans)**			
I can name and locate **counties** and **cities** in **East of England** region			
I can describe an area as Urban or Rural when using aerial photographs and maps of different parts of **East of England** region			
I can revise **key physical features studied in KS1** including **key vocabulary:** beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather when learning about **East of England** region			
I can identify **human characteristics** and **land use** patterns of **East of England** region			
I can use the eight points of a compass, four-figure grid references, symbols and key to build knowledge of the **East of England** region			

Tick the **green** box if you fully understand and can explain your knowledge to someone else. Tick the **orange** box if you understand a bit but would need some help to explain it to someone else. Tick the **red** box if you are still learning to understand.

Key Words

Physical features
Physical features like seas, mountains and rivers are natural. They would be here even if there were no people around.

Human features
Human features like houses, roads and bridges are things that have been built by people.

Hertfordshire is a county in East of England region

Agriculture
Another word for farming. The growing and harvesting of crops and/or breeding animals.

Rural
Countryside of farmland

Urban
Towns and cities

East of England Region is one of the nine official regions of England.

England regions
England is **divided into 9 geographical regions**. These are London, the North East, North West, Yorkshire, East Midlands, West Midlands, South East, East of England and the South West.

Write down any questions you would like to explore further.

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Beacon 2

- Name and locate **counties** and **cities** of the United Kingdom on maps, globes and atlases

- Name and locate **regions** of England on maps, globes and atlases

- Name and locate **counties** and **cities** of the region(s) studied on maps, globes and atlases

- Identify **human** and **physical characteristics**, **key topographical features**(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers) and land use patterns of the region(s) studied

- Use the eight points of a compass, four figure grid references and identify key symbols from Ordnance Survey Maps to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world
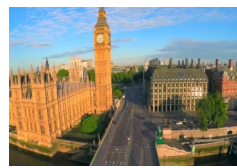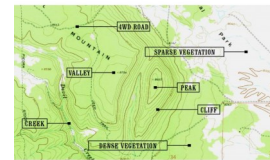
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Year 3 Geography Spring Term

This term in Geography, we are learning to locate counties and cities in Wales; Italy; Lazio region (including Rome)

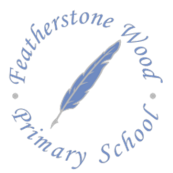| Our Key Learning Objectives	red	orange	green
I can use maps, atlases and digital/computer mapping to name and locate counties and cities in **Wales**			
I can identify human and physical characteristics, key topographical features(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers) and land use patterns of **Wales**			
I can understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of **Lazio region** (including **Rome**) in Italy			
I can use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate **Italy** and describe its features			
I can use the eight points of a compass, four-figure grid references, symbols and key to build knowledge of **Italy**'s regions and major cities			
I can identify human and physical characteristics, key topographical features(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers) and land use patterns of **Lazio region** including Rome			

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Key Words

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Human features

Human features like houses, roads and bridges are things that have been built by people.

Topographical features typically include natural formations such as mountains, rivers, lakes, and valleys. Manmade features such as roads, dams, and cities may also be included

Lazio Region is a central Italian region bordering the Tyrrhenian Sea. Its principal city, Rome, is Italy's capital and was at the heart of the ancient Roman Empire.

Rural

Countryside of farmland

Urban

Towns and cities

Italy's regions There are 20 regions, of which five have greater autonomy than the other fifteen.

Wales' Counties-
may refer to Principal areas of Wales; Preserved counties of Wales, used for ceremonial purposes; Former administrative counties of Wales ; Historic counties of Wales

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Beacon 2

- Name and locate **counties** and **cities** of the United Kingdom on maps, globes and atlases

- Name and locate **countries** and **cities** of Europe and the world on maps, globes and atlases

- Name and locate **counties** and **cities** of the region(s) studied on maps, globes and atlases

- Identify **human** and **physical characteristics**, **key topographical features**(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers) and land use patterns of the country studied

- Use the eight points of a compass, four figure grid references and identify key symbols from Ordnance Survey Maps to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world

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Year 3 Geography Summer Term

This term in Geography, we are exploring the Equator, Northern and Southern Hemisphere, Arctic and Antarctic Circle; Central Mexico Region

Our Key Learning Objectives			
I can understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the **human** geography of the **Central Mexico region including Mexico City** compared with **East of England region (including Stevenage and Saint Albans)**			
I can understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the **physical** geography of the **Central Mexico region including Mexico City** compared with **East of England region (including Stevenage and Saint Albans)**			
I can use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate **Central Mexico Region and Mexico City in Mexico** and describe its features			
I can use the eight points of a compass, four-figure grid references, symbols and key to build knowledge of **Mexico's** regions and major cities			
I can identify the position and significance of **Equator, Northern and Southern Hemisphere, Arctic and Antarctic Circle**			

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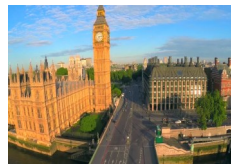
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Central Mexico

Region it's in the region of Central Mexico where the country's sprawling capital of Mexico City is located.

Equator is **a circle of latitude** that divides Earth into the Northern and Southern hemispheres. It is an imaginary line located at 0 degrees latitude, halfway between the North and South poles.

The **North Pole** is at the northernmost point of the Earth, while the **South Pole** is at the southernmost point on the Earth. The area around the North and South Poles

England regions

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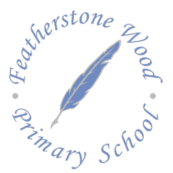

Mexico's Regions

Mexico can be divided into nine major physiographic regions.

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Beacon 2

- Name and locate **countries** and **cities** of North and South America and the world on maps, globes and atlases

- Identify **human** and **physical characteristics**, **key topographical features**(including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers) and land use patterns of the country studied

- Use the eight points of a compass, four figure grid references and identify key symbols from Ordnance Survey Maps to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world