

Alfriston School – Geography & History Key Vocabulary

Pearl Class – EYFS					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
In EYFS the activities are designed to lay the foundations for children’s further geography/history learning. The class teacher may deliver activities in a different order to suit the needs and knowledge of the cohort. The class teacher also adapts the vocabulary used based on the children's prior knowledge and interests.					
<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Peek into the Past</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • baby • change • child • I remember • photograph • when I was little • a long time ago <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • history • new • now • old • past • present • then • after • before • order • toddler 	<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Adventure Through Time</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dad • family • mum • older • grandad • grandma 	<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Adventure Through Time</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • achievement • courageous • medal • proud • sticky tape • trophy • aeroplane • bicycle • car • horse-drawn cart • motorbike • steam train • train 	<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Peek into the Past & Adventure Through Time</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a long time ago <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • baby • child • old • new • now • past • present • then • toddler • when I was little <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • similar • different • fairytale 	<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Adventure Through Time</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cart • fan • hoop • new • old • past • present 	<p>HISTORY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - Past & Present)</p> <p><u>Adventure Through Time</u></p> <p>Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cart • fan • hoop • new • old • past • present

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<p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p> <p>Exploring Maps & Around the World</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • above • aerial • bird's eye view • feature • feature names (e.g. bench, building, field, gate, hall, hill, house, playground, pond, road, steps, tree, woodland) • find • identify • look • map • photograph • beach • building 	<p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • building • car park • church • city • field • lake • mosque • post office • town • village 	<p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • direction • find • identify • journey • map • object • path • route • feature names (e.g. bench, building, field, gate, house, pond, playground, road, steps, tree, etc.) • directional language (e.g. across, around, behind, beneath, next to, under, etc.) • above • aerial 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • king • power • queen • royalty • rule <p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • blizzard • explorer • ice • polar • scientists • snow • snowstorm 	<p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">GEOGRAPHY (Early learning goal: Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key vocabulary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • feature • feature names (e.g. hill, hut, island, lake, land, ocean, palm tree, river) • find • identify • look • map • search
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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• church• desert• forest<ul style="list-style-type: none">• hill• mountain• playground<ul style="list-style-type: none">• river• roundabout<ul style="list-style-type: none">• city• countryside<ul style="list-style-type: none">• farm• field• village• weather		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• bird's eye view<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feature<ul style="list-style-type: none">• look• search<ul style="list-style-type: none">• place• desert<ul style="list-style-type: none">• land• map• postcard• rainforest<ul style="list-style-type: none">• travel• weather• waterfall			
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Ruby Class (Year 1 & 2) – Cycle A

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY
<u>What is it like here?</u>	<u>How am I making history?</u>	<u>What is the weather like in the UK?</u>	<u>How have toys changed?</u>	<u>What can you see at the coast?</u>	<u>How did we learn to fly?</u>
Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Village • Town • City • Land • Sea • Place • Country • Aerial photograph • Distance • Improve • Locate • North • Ariel view • Features • Key • Location • Survey • Atlas • Directional language • Globe • Map • Questionnaire • Symbol 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrate • Childhood • Family • Lifetime • Now • Remember • Time capsule • Celebration • Different • Future • Living memory • Present • Significant • Timeline • Change • Event • Grandparent • Memory • Past • Similar 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlas • Compass • Direction • Location • Season • Weather • Capital city • Continent • Land • Map • Temperature • Weather vane • Climate • Country • Locate • Rain gauge • Thermometer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Artefact • Different • Memory • Past • Similar • Century • Evidence • Modern • Present • Source • Decade • Living memory • Now • Remember • Special 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aerial photograph • Cliff • Continent • Fieldwork • Human feature • Location • Physical feature • River • Tally chart • Village • Country • Island • Lake • Locate • Pictogram • Sand dunes • Tourist • Data collection • Harbour • Landmark • Ocean • Pier • Sea • Town 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beyond living memory • Timeline • Inventor • Living memory • Past • Present • Lifetime

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Ruby Class (Year 1 & 2) – Cycle B					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY
<u>Where am I?</u>	<u>What is history?</u>	<u>Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?</u>	<u>How was school different in the past?</u>	<u>What is it like to live in Shanghai?</u>	<u>What is a monarch?</u>
Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aerial photograph <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beach • Country • Feature • Forest • Lake • Location • Museum • Photograph <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Position • Present • Route • Shop • Village • Ariel view <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Car park • Directional language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feelings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hill • Land • Map • North • Place • Post office <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • River • School grounds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event • Grandparent • Living memory <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Past • Scrapbook • Childhood <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family • History • Memory • Present • Similar • Different <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Future • Holiday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now • Remember • Timeline 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban • Rural • Arid • Vegetation • Grasslands • Rainforest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polar • Mild • Continent <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equator • Human feature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locate • Ocean • Temperature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compass • Desert • Land • Physical feature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sea • Thermometer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Past • Different • Living memory <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timeline • Similar • Beyond living memory <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present • Period 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continent • Country • Different • Directional language near, far, behind etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key • Human feature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Similar • Symbol 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • King • Monarchy • Power • Queen • Ruler

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Symbol• Atlas• City• Farm• Fieldwork• House• Locate• Mountain• Ocean• Pond• Postcard• Roundabout• Sea• Town					
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Sapphire Class (Year 3 & 4) - Cycle A					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY
Would you prefer to live in the Stone Age, Bronze Age or Iron Age?	Who lives in Antarctica?	Are all settlements the same?	Why did the Romans invade and settle in Britain?	How hard was it to invade & settle in Britain?	What are rivers and how are they used?
Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AD (Anno Domini) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age • Barter • BC (Before Christ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date • Evidence • Export • Historian • Import • Prehistory • Primary source • Reconstruction • Secondary source <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settlement • Trade 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate • Climate zone • Compass points • Direction • Drifting ice • Hemisphere • Ice sheet • Ice shelf • Iceberg • Lines of latitude • Lines of longitude <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treaty 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agricultural land <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare • Dispersed • Legend • Memorial • Nucleated • Region • Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capital city • Country border <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilities • Linear • Metro • Place of worship • Residential land • Commercial land <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County • Land use • Local • Monument • Recreational land <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Settlement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archaeology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Border • Chronology • Civilisation • Conquer • Emperor • Empire • Expand • Government <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hygiene • Impact • Invasion • Legacy • Leisure • Myth • Primary source • Secondary source <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sequence • Settlement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence • Continuity • Consequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change • Cause • Settlement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invasion • Secondary source • Primary source 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Condensation • Evaporation • Groundwater <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meander • Precipitation • Transpiration • Water cycle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delta • Flooding • Irrigation • Oxbow lake • River mouth <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tributary • Waterfall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estuary • Floodplain <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leisure • Percolation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Source • Valley

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Sapphire Class (Year 3 & 4) - Cycle B					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
GEOGRAPHY Why do people live near volcanoes? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active volcano <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crust • Epicentre • Fault-block mountain • Geothermal energy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inner core • Magma chamber • Metamorphic rock • Plate boundary • Sedimentary rock <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tectonic plate • Volcanic mountain <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate change • Dormant volcano • Extinct volcano <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fertile soil • Igneous rock • Outer core • Man-made rock <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural rock • Positive effects • Seismic waves <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tsunami 	HISTORY How have children's lives changed? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Childhood <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class • Apprentice • Deduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Law • Master • Modern • Poorer • Poverty • Servant • Significance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuity • Wealthier • Working conditions 	GEOGRAPHY Why are rainforests important to us? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyse • Canopy layer • Deforestation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enquiry • Global Warming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpret • Logging • Present • Risk • Tropic of Capricorn <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vegetation • Biome • Community <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drought • Equator • Greenhouse gas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lianas • Method • Questionnaire <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Route • Tropic of Cancer • Vegetation belts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Buttress roots • Data 	HISTORY What was important to ancient Egyptians? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Afterlife • Achievement • Beliefs • Chronological • Book of the Dead • Civilisation • Continuity • Creation • Source • Trade 	HISTORY How did the achievements of the ancient Maya impact their society and beyond? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achievement • Afterlife • Ancient • Civilisation • Creation story • Currency • Decline • Gods/goddesses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ritual 	GEOGRAPHY Where does our food come from? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air freight • Distribution • Food bank • Import • Qualitative • Responsible trade • Seasonal food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade • Carbon footprint <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Export • Food miles • Pesticides • Quantitative • Sample size <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Source • Trend • Consume • Fertiliser • Grant • Produce • Reliability • Scale bar • Sustainability

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Volcanic springs• Composite volcano<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Earthquake• Fault line• Fold mountain<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Index• Magma• Mantle• Negative effects• Pyroclastic flow• Shield volcano<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vent		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Emergent layer<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Forest floor• Indigenous peoples<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lines of latitude• Mining• Quote• Summerise• Understorey layer			
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Emerald Class (Year 5 & 6) - Cycle A					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
HISTORY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	GEOGRAPHY
Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?	What was life like in Tudor England?	Would you like to live in the desert?	What was the impact of World War 2 on the people of Britain?	Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?	Why do oceans matter?
Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary	Key vocabulary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exchange • Trade route 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Democracy • Enslaved • Enslaver • Heir • Merchant • Parliament • Perspective • Propaganda • Sovereign • State • Tyrant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agriculture • Barren • Desert • Flash flood • Mushroom rock • Nature reserve • Renewable energy • Sparse • Vegetation • Airstrip • Biome • Desertification • Mesa • National park • Rainfall • Salt flat • Time zone • Weather • Arid • Climate • Drought • Mining • Natural arch • Ranching • Sand dune 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accuracy • Air raid • Battle of Britain • Bias • The Blitz • Evacuation • Evacuee • Impact • Propaganda • Purpose • Reliability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyse • Data • Evidence • Issue • Presenting • Region • Subjective • Audience • Data collection methods • Impact • Justify • Process • Risk • Viewpoint • City • Enquiry • Improvement • Plot • Recommendation • Route 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atmosphere • Coral bleaching • Digital map • Ecosystem • Habitat • Microplastics • Policy • Species • Biodegradable • Coral reef • Disposable • Erosion • Homan footprint • Natural disaster • Renewable energy • Water cycle • Buffer • Decompose • Ecology • Geology • Marine • Ocean current • Single use plastic

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tourist attraction<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Henry VII• Tyrant• Monarch• Primary source<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Historical investigation• Jane Seymour• Katherine Parr• Royal Progress<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Litter• Audience• Creator• Valuation• John Blanke<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enslaved			
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Emerald Class (Year 5 & 6) – Cycle B					
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
GEOGRAPHY Where does our energy come from? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biofuel • Contour line • Emissions • Natural gas • Prime Meridian • Renewable • Solar power • Windpower <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coal • Crude oil • Energy source • Non-renewable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Producer • Replenish • Time zone • Six-figure grid reference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consumption <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dam • Hydropower • Nuclear power <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regenerate • Sea level • Urban planner 	HISTORY What does the census tell us about local areas? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decade • Historical enquiry • Occupation • Politics • Reliable • Suffrage 	GEOGRAPHY What is life like in the Alps? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlas • Coniferous trees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enquiry • Hemisphere • Latitude • Method • OS map • Questionnaire <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Risk • Temperate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tourist • Climate • Data • Fold mountain • Human feature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leisure • Mountain climate • Physical feature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sea level • Route • Temperate forest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vegetation • Glacier • Deciduous trees • Climate change 	HISTORY What is the legacy of the ancient Greek civilisation? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizen • Democracy • Legacy 	HISTORY Unheard histories: Who should go on the £10.00 banknote? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alliance • Legacy • Politics • Society 	GEOGRAPHY Why does population change? Key vocabulary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air pollution • Climate • Death rate • Digital technologies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impact • Likert scale • Natural increase • Population density <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Push factors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refugee • Voluntary • Birth rate • Climate change • Deforestation • Fossil fuels • Improvements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Migrants • Noise pollution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population distribution • Qualitative <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Region • Cartogram • Conclusions • Densely populated

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Land height• Longitude• Mountain range• Population• Recreational land use<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Scale• Tourism			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Greenhouse gases• Involuntary• Migration• Population• Pull factors• Quantitative• Sparsely populated
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