



## Key Stage 2 Geography St. John the Evangelist

Year	Unit of work & concepts			National curriculum coverage	Key knowledge				Assessment Statements & recommendations
					Locational knowledge (LK)	Place Knowledge (PK)	Human (H) and physical (P) geography	Skills (S) and fieldwork (F)	
Five	<b>Megacities</b>			*(LK) locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities *(LK) name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time	*Know, name and locate the capital cities of neighbouring European countries. *Know the countries that make up the European Union.		*Know the areas of origin in the main ethnic groups in the United Kingdom and in our school.		*Know the names of and locate at least 8 major capital cities across the world. (LK)  <i>Why do so many people in the world live in megacities?</i>
	place	space	scale						
	environment	Inter-connections	Physical and human processes						
	<b>North and South America (Mexico)</b>			* (PK) understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human		*Know the difference between the British Isles, Great Britain and the United Kingdom.		*Know the key differences between living in the UK and in a country in North/South America (PK)	
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	environment	Inter-connections	Physical and human processes	and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America					<p><b>*Know the names of, and locate, a number of South or North American countries. (LK)</b></p> <p><i>What's so special about Mexico?</i></p>	
	<b>Jungles and Deserts</b>			<p>*(P) describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle</p> <p>*use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied</p>					<p><b>*Name the largest deserts in the world and locate desert regions in an atlas. (P)</b></p>	<p><b>*Collect and accurately measure information (e.g. rainfall, temperature, wind speed, noise levels etc.)</b></p>
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