



Vocabulary

Knowledge I already have

In Year 1:

- I learned about the diversity of London and the physical and human features of cities;
- I identified landmarks along the River Thames;
- I recognised various locations using aerial photographs.

In Year 2 :

- I learned about the location of the equator and the North and South Poles,
- I learned about hot and cold countries and what it is like to live there;
- I identified Jamaica's location and located its human and physical features;
- I compared Jamaica to Greater London.

Future Knowledge

In Year 4:

- I will learn about how mountain ranges and volcanoes are formed;
- I will identify and locate mountain ranges and volcanoes;
- I will explore how earthquakes occur and identify the lasting effects of earthquakes.

In Year 5:

- I will learn about the importance of water conservation;
- To explore and assess the significance of New River;
- To explore and compare world biomes.

New Knowledge

This half term:

- I am learning about the positions of the five major lines of latitude;
- I am investigating the four main climate zones of the European region;
- I am locating major countries and capital cities in Europe;
- I am exploring the largest mountain range in Europe and the settlements that exist there;
- I am comparing mountain ranges and capital cities across Europe;
- I am exploring the largest rivers in Europe and the settlements that exist there.

Fieldwork

This half term:

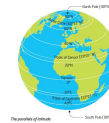
- I will use atlases and maps to locate various countries and cities across Europe.
- I will consider the different climate zones through the use of images and videos.
- I will conduct virtual tours of major cities in Europe using Google maps and Digimaps.
- I will explore settlements along European rivers and the Alps mountain range through virtual tours.



Digimap for Schools
Learning. Mapping. Exploring.



Lines of Latitude



Lines of latitude are parallel, imaginary lines that circle Earth parallel to the Equator. The Equator lies halfway between the North Pole and the South Pole. It runs east-west all the way around Earth. Lines of latitude describe positions north and south of the Equator.

The Alps



A mountain range is a group or chain of mountains located close together. The Alps are the highest and most extensive mountain range system that lies entirely in Europe

Climate Zones



A climate zone is an area that has its own distinct climate, with their own type of vegetation and wildlife. It determines what kinds of plants can grow and what kinds of animals can survive there.

Settlements



Settlements are places where people live including temporary as well as permanent shelters. Today, settlements are often located near facilities, such as schools, shops, and places of worship.

Landmarks



A building or place that is easily recognized, especially one that you can use to judge where you are.