Geography Curriculum -

Stourfield Junior School

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year Three	Where do people live in the UK?	What is life like in the alps?	How do rivers shape landscapes and communities?
Year Four	How do humans impact the earth's ecosystems?	What is life like in the rainforest?	How varied is the North American continent?
Year Five	How does your life compare to life in a slum?	How does life compare across Africa?	Why does everyone come to our area for their holiday?
Year Six	How is our planet hazardous to life?	How sustainable is our world's growing population?	How do we look after our world?

Year 3		
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Key Lesson Questions		
What are the key counties and counties of the UK?		

What are the key cities of the UK? **What are the key physical features of the UK?** **What are the key human features of the UK?** **How can settlements differ?**		

Year 4		
How do humans impact the earth's ecosystems? 	**What is life like in the Rainforest?** 	**How varied is the North American continent?** 
Key Lesson Questions		
What are humans doing to our planet? **What is the difference between renewable and non-renewable energy?** **How do different energy sources impact on our local area?** **What is the impact of water pollution?** **How is climate change damaging our oceans?**		

Year 5

How does your life compare to life in the slum? 	How does life compare across Africa? 	Why does everyone come to our area for their holiday? 
Key Lesson Questions		
What is meant by the term slum? Why do slums form? What are the human and physical features of different slums around the world? What are the challenges people face living in slums? How can life in slums be improved? Why is it difficult to tackle crime within slums?		

Year 6		
How is our planet hazardous to life?	How sustainable is our world's growing population?	How do we look after our world? 

		
Key Lesson Questions		
Why does the earth shake and explode? **How is a volcano structured?** **Where are the world's famous volcanoes? What are tectonic plates? How are the two linked?** **What causes earthquakes?** **What makes a volcanic eruption so deadly? What makes an earthquake so deadly?**		