

GEOGRAPHY

Geography Intent Statement

At St. Jude's, our aim in Geography is to ensure the progressive development of geographical knowledge and skills. We want our pupils to have a curiosity about the world and its people and to be global citizens who have a deep understanding of their local environment, as well as of their diverse surroundings in the wider world. We aspire to educate our children to be aware of the environmental issues that face our world and how they have a part to play in protecting it.

At St. Jude's it is our intent that children will:

- have a clear understanding of physical geography and processes
- understand the diversity of places, people and human environments
- be able to explain our place in the world utilising factual knowledge regarding continents, countries, cities and other physical features such as rivers and mountains
- develop their mapping skills
- understand how digital technology can support their learning about people and places
- have an understanding of the key concepts and vocabulary in relation to geographical enquiry, including the use of fieldwork skills where children will be given every possible opportunity to have first-hand experiences

YEAR	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
3				EG and beyond	The UK The Thames	The Thames
4	Europe	Europe	Volcanoes	Earthquakes		
5	The Americas	The Rainforest	The Rainforest			Fieldwork Water
6	Antarctica	Mountains				Mapping