Start Date:

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Year

Class/Year:

Nation

Title:

5th September 2022

Finish Date: 21st October 2022

Hook:

As a class, children will reinforce previous learning about the countries of the UK through Google Earth and investigate the position of the UK in relation to Europe and the rest of the world.

Rationale:

Pupils will be given opportunities to use a range of sources to learn about the United Kingdom. They will be able to identify the countries within the UK and identify the location of counties and major cities. Using the internet and atlases children will also be able to identify key topographical features of the UK including main rivers, seas, hills mountains and land use patterns and be able to identify how these have changed over time.

SMSC

Social - Collaborative working.

Moral - Being respectful of each other's differences and similarities.

Spiritual - Diversity of nature / Awe and wonder. Introduction to the Hindu faith. Cultural - Different cultures & places of interest from around the world.

Key Skills:

**Information Technology** - use internet to research information.

Working with Others – consult with Learning Partners during planning & evaluation of practical tasks, work as a team to carry out investigations.

Improving Own Learning - trial and improvement during investigations and practical tasks

**Communication** - produce accurately sequenced work.

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Focus Area: Literacy - Narrative Text

The children will explore the features of narrative text, particularly the development of a character, their features, behaviours and actions. They will look at the literary techniques used by the author and create an alternative version of the story, using a similar style, focusing on the behavior and actions of their characters.

Discrete Teaching Programmes (DTPs):

Daily maths lessons, Spelling and Handwriting, Guided Reading

Supporting Focus Area: Computing -

Children will investigate how to be safe on the internet. They will use the internet to help support their understanding of geographical features of the UK. Children will also have discreet Computing lessons to learn coding through SCRATCH.

Supporting Focus Area: PSHE -

Children will explore families, friendships and the roles that different people have within these. They will also investigate what 'feeling cared for' means to them and explore safe relationships including recognizing privacy, staying safe including whist on line and seeking permission.

Linked Teaching Programmes (LTPs):

MFL- French - Numbers

Art - Character portraits

Family Homework Tasks: To create an internet safety poster to demonstrate their understanding of the importance of staying safe online.