Ladysmith Federation

EYFS and Key Stage 1 Geography Overview								
	Autumn	Spring	Summer					
EYFS Early Learning Goals	 People, Culture and Communities Children at the expected level of development will: Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps; Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and – when appropriate – maps. 							
Nursery	During the children's time in Nursery they will be learning to (from Development Matters): Continue developing positive attitudes about the differences between people Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences they have experienced or seen in photos.							
Reception	During Reception children will be learning to (from Development Matters): Draw information from a simple map. Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries. Recognise some environments that are different from the one in which they live.							
Year 1	What is the geography of where I live?	How does the weather affect our lives?	Why does it matter where our food comes from?					
Year 2	How does Kampong Ayer compare with where I live?	Why don't penguins need to fly?	Why do we love being beside the seaside so much?					

Key Stage 2 Geography Overview							
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Year 3	How and why my local environment is changing?			Who are Britain's National Parks for?	How can we live more sustainably?		
Year 4	How does volcanoes affect the lives of people on Hiemaey?	Why are mountains so important?	Why do some earthquakes cause more damage than others?				
Year 5	Beyond the magic Kingdom: What is the sunshine state really like?	Why are jungles so wet and deserts so dry?		Why do so many people live in megacities?			
Year 6		How is climate change affecting the world?	What is a river?	Why is fair trade fair?			