

Geography and History Curriculum for Year 3 and Year 4 children

Year 3 - 2020	Term 1	Term 2	Term3
Week 1 (Geography)	Physical processes that affect the lithosphere: Erosion and deposition Example 1: Rivers (main features and processes)	6th January Human processes: Trade Example1: Food - main foods in UK supermarkets and where they are sourced	20th April Physical processes that affect the atmosphere: The water cycle Evaporation, condensation, precipitation, run-off
Week 2 (History)	Changes from Stone Age to the Iron Age	13th January Changes from Stone Age to the Iron Age	27th April Changes from Stone Age to the Iron Age
Week 3 (Geography)	Continued from week 1	20th January Continued from week 1	4th May Example 1: Types of precipitation
Week 4 (History)	Changes from Stone Age to the Iron Age	27th January Ancient Greece	11th May Changes from Stone Age to the Iron Age
Week 5 (Geography)	Rivers of the UK	3rd February Example 2: Fossil fuels - oil and its trade between countries	18th May Example 2: Types of clouds
Week 6 (History)	Ancient Greece	10th February Ancient Greece	1st June Ancient Greece
Week 7 (Geography)	Example 2: Coasts (main formations - caves, arches, stacks, loss of land)	24th February Human processes: Settlements Example 1: Settlements in urban areas (patterns and features)	8th June Example 3: Extreme precipitation - monsoon, hurricane (cyclone)
Week 8 (History)	Ancient Greece	2nd March Local history - mining	15th June Local history - mining
Week 9 (Geography)	Coastal erosion problems in the UK	9th March Example 2: Settlements in rural	22nd June The human effects of monsoon and hurricane (case

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		areas (patterns and features)	studies of Bangladesh and Haiti).
Week 10 (History)	Local history - mining	16th March Local history - mining	6th July Local history - mining

Year 4 - 2020	Term 1	Term 2	Term3
Week 1 (Geography)	Human processes: Transportation Example 1: Movement within cities (walking, cycling, buses, trams, cars)	6th January Physical processes that affect the lithosphere: Earthquakes and volcanoes Example 1: Plate tectonics introduction	20th April Physical processes that affect the atmosphere: Climate change Example 1: An introduction to the difference between weather and climate. The theory and evidence of climate change caused by human behaviour
Week 2 (History)	The Roman Empire's impact on Britain	13th January The Roman Empire's impact on Britain	27th April The Roman Empire's impact on Britain
Week 3 (Geography)	Example 2: Movement within a country (cars, trains, coaches, aeroplanes, canal boats, plus examples from around the world - e.g. rickshaw).	20th January Example 2: Location of the majority of the world's volcanoes	4th May Examples of the effects of climate change: Glaciers, sea levels and temperatures
Week 4 (History)	The Roman Empire's impact on Britain	27th January The Tudors and Stuarts	11th May The Roman Empire's impact on Britain
Week 5 (Geography)	Continued from week 3	3rd February	18th May Continued from week 3

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		The human effects of volcanic eruptions	
Week 6 (History)	The Tudors and Stuarts	10th February The Tudors and Stuarts	1st June The Tudors and Stuarts
Week 7 (Geography)	Example 3: Movement between countries (trains for continental; aeroplanes and ships for island to island or inter-continental)	24th February Example 2: Location of the majority of the world's earthquakes	8th June Physical processes that affect the hydrosphere: Ocean circulation. Example 1 - Ocean currents Example 2 - Plastic pollution
Week 8 (History)	The Tudors and Stuarts	2nd March The Ancient Egyptians	15th June The Ancient Egyptians
Week 9 (Geography)	Continued from week 5	9th March The human effects of earthquakes.	22nd June Human attempts to slow climate change and to reduce plastic pollution.
Week 10 (History)	The Ancient Egyptians	16th March The Ancient Egyptians	6th July The Ancient Egyptians

In Year 4 - pupils will study a short topic where they will compare a non-European society with British history chosen from:

- Early Islamic Civilisation
- Mayan Civilisation
- Benin