



Linked learning theme: Amazing Africa

Spring 2, Summer 1, Year 2

Geography – South Africa

Prior knowledge

In Y1, children have considered the polar regions as places in contrast to their own locality. In Y2, they have developed their knowledge of the local area and different settlements within the UK.

Core knowledge

- We live in Scarborough, a coastal town.
- Scarborough attracts many visitors and is a tourist destination.
- Name and locate the 7 continents
- Name and locate the 5 oceans
- Africa is one of the seven continents
- It a large continent with many countries.
- A difference is that South Africa is hotter than Scarborough.
- A similarity is that South Africa and Scarborough both have a coast that people visit on holiday.

Key skills

- Identify geographical similarities and differences, referring to physical and human features.
- Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features – weather, seasons, river, lake, mountain, valley, soil, vegetation.
- Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key human features – city, town, village, harbour, port, house.
- Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify Europe, the UK, England, Africa and South Africa.

Vocabulary

weather	soil	region	city
seasons	valley	tribe	town
river	vegetation		village
lake			harbour
mountain			coast
			farm
			port
			house

Learning outcomes

- I can locate and name the continents of Europe and Africa.
- I can use world maps, atlases and globes to identify Europe, the UK, England, Africa and South Africa.
- I understand geographical similarities and differences between North Yorkshire and South Africa.
- I can identify geographical similarities and differences, referring to physical and human features.
- I can use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features –

weather, seasons, river, lake, mountain, valley, soil, vegetation.

- I can use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key human features – city, town, village, harbour, port, house.