

Upperwood Academy - Geography Concepts

Cultural understanding and Diversity



Geography is fundamentally concerned with the diversity of people and places on the planet. Our geography curriculum begins with the study of the local area, widening to national and global scales. The regions and countries of study selected are purposely chosen to widen children's geographical knowledge of culture and diversity.

EYFS

Local area:

- Children know the names of some other countries.
- Children know about an arctic environment.

LKS2

South America:

 Children know about life in a South American region.

Italy:

- Children know about the life in an Italian region.
- Children know the names of some European countries and know some of their human and physical features.

KSI

Contrasting locality - Mugurmeno:

 Children know about the culture in a contrasting non-European location.

7 continents/5 Oceans:

 Children know about the diverse nature of life across the different continents.

London:

• Children know that London is a culturally diverse city.

UKS2

South America:

• Children know about the Amazon rainforest.

Biomes:

 Children know the location of some of the world's biomes.

Natural resources:

• Children know about the natural resources available in Chile.

Globalisation:

- Children know about the effect of globalisation on their lives.
- Children build an appreciation of people's beliefs and attitudes and the influence that they might have on social, environmental, economic and political issues.