

# Development matters across Kapow Primary's units - EYFS: Reception

| <b>Development matters statements: Understanding the world</b><br>Children in reception will be learning to: | Exploring maps  | Outdoor adventures   |
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| Talk about members of their immediate family and community.  |   |  |
| Name and describe people who are familiar to them.   |   |  |
| Explore the natural world around them.   | ✓ Activity 4: Creating journey sticks   | ✓ Activity 1: Nature catchers<br>✓ Activity 2: Observational painting<br>✓ Activity 3: Exploring the weather<br>✓ Activity 4: Senses in nature<br>✓ Activity 5: Exploring the seasons<br>✓ Activity 6: Dress the teddy |
| Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside.  | ✓ Activity 4: Creating journey sticks   | ✓ Activity 1: Nature catchers<br>✓ Activity 2: Observational painting<br>✓ Activity 3: Exploring the weather<br>✓ Activity 4: Senses in nature<br>✓ Activity 5: Exploring the seasons<br>✓ Activity 6: Dress the teddy |
| Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past.                               |   |  |
| Comment on images of familiar situations in the past.  |   |  |
| Understand that some places are special to members of their community.                                       | ✓ Activity 3: Let's build a map   |  |
| Recognise some environments that are different from the one in which they live.                              | ✓ Activity 1: Pirate map bingo  |  |
| Draw information from a simple map.  | ✓ Activity 1: Pirate map bingo<br>✓ Activity 2: Our school from above<br>✓ Activity 3: Let's build a map<br>✓ Activity 4: Creating journey sticks<br>✓ Activity 5: Investigating maps |  |
| Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.        |   |  |
| Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.                                  |   | <ul> <li>Activity 3: Exploring the weather</li> <li>Activity 4: Senses in nature</li> <li>Activity 5: Exploring the seasons</li> <li>Activity 6: Dress the teddy</li> </ul>  |

# Early learning goals across Kapow Primary's units - EYFS: Reception

| Early learning goals<br>Understanding the World: People, Culture and Communities<br>Children at the expected level of development will:   | Exploring maps   | Outdoor adventures  |
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| Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts, and maps;  | ✓ Activity 2: Our school from above<br>✓ Activity 4: Creating journey sticks | <ul> <li>✓ Activity 1: Nature catchers</li> <li>✓ Activity 2: Observational painting</li> <li>✓ Activity 3: Exploring the weather</li> <li>✓ Activity 4: Senses in nature</li> <li>✓ Activity 5: Exploring the seasons</li> </ul> |
| 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. |  |   |
| Early learning goals<br>Understanding the World: The Natural World<br>Children at the expected level of development will:   | Exploring maps   | Outdoor adventures  |
| Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants;  | ✓ Activity 4: Creating journey sticks  | <ul> <li>✓ Activity 1: Nature catchers</li> <li>✓ Activity 2: Observational painting</li> <li>✓ Activity 3: Exploring the weather</li> <li>✓ Activity 4: Senses in nature</li> <li>✓ Activity 5: Exploring the seasons</li> </ul> |
| Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class;                |  |   |
| Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.  |  | ✓ Activity 3: Exploring the weather<br>✓ Activity 4: Senses in nature<br>✓ Activity 5: Exploring the seasons<br>✓ Activity 6: Dress the teddy   |

| Key Stage 1 - National curriculum Geography content   | Kapow Primary's         | Ка                    | Key stage 1 - Year 1                   |  |  |  |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Pupils should be taught to:   | Geography strands       | What is it like here? | What is the weather<br>like in the UK? | <u>What is it like to live</u><br>in Shanghai? - |  |  |
| name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans  | Locational<br>knowledge |                       |  | V  |  |  |
| name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of<br>the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas  | Locational<br>knowledge |                       | ~                                      |  |  |  |
| understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human<br>and physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom, and of a small area in<br>a contrasting non-European country | Place<br>knowledge      |                       |  | ~  |  |  |
| identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom and the<br>location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North<br>and South Poles                         | Human and<br>physical   |                       | V                                      |  |  |  |
| use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:<br>key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean,<br>river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather           | Human and<br>physical   | ~                     |  | ~  |  |  |
| use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:key human features, including: city,<br>town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop   | Human and<br>physical   | ~                     |  | ~  |  |  |

| Key Stage 1 - National curriculum Geography content   | Kapow Primary's         | Ка  | apow Primary top<br>Key stage 1 - Year 2     | ics  |
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| Pupils should be taught to:   | Geography strands       | <u>Would you prefer to</u><br>live in a hot or cold<br>place? | <u>Why is our world</u><br><u>wonderful?</u> | <u>What is it like to live</u><br><u>by the coast?</u> |
| name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans  | Locational<br>knowledge | ✓   | <b>v</b>                                     | ~  |
| name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of<br>the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas  | Locational<br>knowledge |   | V  | ~  |
| understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human<br>and physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom, and of a small area in<br>a contrasting non-European country | Place<br>knowledge      | ~   |  |  |
| identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom and the<br>location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North<br>and South Poles                         | Human and<br>physical   | ~   |  |  |
| use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:<br>key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean,<br>river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather           | Human and<br>physical   | ~   | V  | ~  |
| use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:key human features, including: city,<br>town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop   | Human and<br>physical   | ~   | V  | ~  |

| Key Stage 1 - National curriculum Geography content   | Kapow Primary's                    | Kapow Primary topics<br>Key stage 1 - Year 1 |  |   |  |  |
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| Pupils should be taught to:   | Geography strands                  | What is it like here?                        | What is the weather<br>like in the UK? | <u>What is it like to live</u><br><u>in Shanghai? -</u> |  |  |
| use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage  | Geographical<br>skills & fieldwork | ~  | ~                                      | ~   |  |  |
| use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and<br>directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the<br>location of features and routes on a map | Geographical<br>skills & fieldwork | ~  | ~                                      | ~   |  |  |
| use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic<br>human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic<br>symbols in a key                              | Geographical<br>skills & fieldwork | ~  |  | ~   |  |  |
| use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school<br>and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding<br>environment.                              | Geographical<br>skills & fieldwork | V  | ~                                      | v   |  |  |

| Key Stage 1 - National curriculum Geography content   | Kapow Primary's                    | Kapow Primary topics<br>Key stage 1 - Year 2           |                                       |  |  |  |
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| Pupils should be taught to:   | Geography strands                  | Would you prefer to<br>live in a hot or cold<br>place? | <u>Why is our world</u><br>wonderful? | <u>What is it like to live</u><br><u>by the coast?</u> |  |  |
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| use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school<br>and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding<br>environment.                              | Geographical<br>skills & fieldwork | ~  | v                                     | ~  |  |  |

| Key Stage 2 - National curriculum Geography  | Kapow Primary's         |   | <b>w Primary 1</b><br>y stage 2 - <b>Yea</b> |  |   | <b>w Primary t</b><br>y stage 2 - <b>Yea</b> |   |
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| <b>content</b><br>Pupils should be taught to:  | Geography<br>strands    | <u>Why do</u><br>people live<br><u>near</u><br>volcanoes? | <u>Who lives in</u><br><u>Antarctica?</u>    | <u>Are all</u><br><u>settlements</u><br><u>the same?</u> | <u>Why are</u><br>rainforests<br>important to<br><u>us?</u> | Where does<br>our food<br>come from?         | What are<br>rivers and<br>how are<br>they used? |
| locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the<br>location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their<br>environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries,<br>and major cities   | Locational<br>knowledge | ~   | ~  | V  | V   | ~  | ~   |
| name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical<br>regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key<br>topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and<br>land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have<br>changed over time | Locational<br>knowledge |   |  | ~  |   |  | ~   |
| identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator,<br>Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and<br>Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and<br>time zones (including day and night)   | Locational<br>knowledge |   | ~  |  | ~   |  |   |
| understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of<br>human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region<br>in a European country, and a region within North or South America   | Place<br>knowledge      | ~   |  | ~  |   | ~  |   |

| Key Stage 2 - National curriculum Geography content   | Kapow Primary's                    |   | <b>w Primary</b><br>y stage 2 - <b>Ye</b> a         |  |   | <b>w Primary</b><br>/ stage 2 - <b>Ye</b> a                         |   |
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| Pupils should be taught to:   | Geography<br>strands               | Why do<br>people live<br>near<br>volcanoes? | <u>Who lives</u><br><u>in</u><br><u>Antarctica?</u> | <u>Are all</u><br><u>settlements</u><br><u>the same?</u> | <u>Why are</u><br>rainforests<br>important<br><u>to us?</u> | <u>Where</u><br><u>does our</u><br><u>food come</u><br><u>from?</u> | What are<br>rivers and<br>how are<br>they used? |
| describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate<br>zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and<br>earthquakes, and the water cycle  | Human and<br>physical              | V   | V   |  | V   | V   | ~   |
| describe and understand key aspects of: human geography, including: types of<br>settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the<br>distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water | Human and<br>physical              | V   | v   | V  | V   | V   | V   |
| use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied  | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork | V   | v   | V  | V   | V   | v   |
| use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols<br>and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of<br>the United Kingdom and the wider world                              | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork |   | ~   | ~  |   |   | ~   |
| use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical<br>features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans<br>and graphs, and digital technologies.                                | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork | ~   | ~   | ~  | V   | ~   | ~   |

| Key Stage 2 - National curriculum Geography  |   |   | <b>w Primary</b><br>y stage 2 - <b>Ye</b> a |   |  | w Primary 1<br>y stage 2 - Yea         |  |
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| Content<br>Pupils should be taught to:   | Kapow Primary's<br>Geography<br>strands | <u>What is life</u><br><u>like in the</u><br><u>Alps?</u> | Why do<br>oceans<br>matter?                 | Would you<br>like to live in<br>the desert? | <u>Why does</u><br>population<br>change? | Where does<br>our energy<br>come from? | <u>Can I carry</u><br><u>out an</u><br><u>independent</u><br><u>fieldwork</u><br><u>enguiry?</u> |
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| identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator,<br>Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and<br>Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and<br>time zones (including day and night)   | Locational<br>knowledge                 | ~   |   | r   |  | ~                                      |  |
| understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of<br>human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region<br>in a European country, and a region within North or South America   | Place<br>knowledge                      | ~   |   | ~   | ~  | ~                                      |  |

|   |   | Kapow Primary topics<br>Key stage 2 - Year 5       |                                    | Kapow Primary topics<br>Key stage 2 - Year 6 |                                   |  |  |
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| Key Stage 2 - National curriculum Geography<br>content<br>Pupils should be taught to:   | Kapow Primary's<br>Geography<br>strands | <u>What is life</u><br>like in the<br><u>Alps?</u> | <u>Why do</u><br>oceans<br>matter? | Would you<br>like to live in<br>the desert?  | Why does<br>population<br>change? | Where does<br>our energy<br>come from? | <u>Can I carry</u><br><u>out an</u><br><u>independent</u><br><u>fieldwork</u><br><u>enquiry?</u> |
| describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including:<br>climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes<br>and earthquakes, and the water cycle  | Human and<br>physical                   | ~  | ~                                  | ~  |                                   |  |  |
| describe and understand key aspects of: human geography, including: types<br>of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the<br>distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water | Human and<br>physical                   | ~  | V                                  | ~  | V                                 | ~                                      | ~  |
| use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries<br>and describe features studied   | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork      | ~  | V                                  | r  | V                                 | v                                      | ~  |
| use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references,<br>symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their<br>knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world                              | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork      | ~  |                                    | v  |                                   | ~                                      | ~  |
| use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and<br>physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch<br>maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.                                | Geographical skills<br>& fieldwork      | ~  | V                                  |  | V                                 | ~                                      | ~  |

#### Cross-curricular links - Key Stage 1

| National curriculum | Kapow Primary topics<br>Key stage 1- Year 1  |   |   |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| subjects            | What is it like here?  | What is the weather like in the UK?   | What is it like to live in Shanghai?  |  |  |  |  |
| English             | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating actively in collaborative conversations about their local area; working collaboratively to create a messy map; considering the viewpoints of others when discussing feelings about their playground. | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating actively in collaborative conversations about maps.   | <b>Spoken language:</b><br>Working collaboratively with a partner to<br>locate continents in an atlas.  |  |  |  |  |
| Maths               | <b>Geometry - position and direction:</b> Using directional language to locate features on a map of the playground.  | <b>Geometry - position and direction:</b> Using compass directions to describe the location of features.  | <b>Geometry - position and direction:</b> Using directional language to locate features in the local area; using compass directions to describe the location of features. |  |  |  |  |
| Science             |  | <b>Seasonal changes:</b> Observing changes in the school grounds across the four seasons; keeping a weather diary and describing weather associated with the seasons. |   |  |  |  |  |
| Art and design      | Drawing to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination.   | Sketching their observations of the weather in the school grounds; making a wind streamer.  | Drawing a freehand sketch map; designing a postcard; sketching their view from a window.  |  |  |  |  |
| RSE/PSHE            | Thinking about things they can do to help look after their playground.   |   |   |  |  |  |  |

#### Cross-curricular links - Key Stage 1

| National curriculum | Key stage 1- Year 2   |  |   |  |  |  |  |
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| subjects            | Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?  | Why is our world wonderful?  | What is it like to live by the coast?   |  |  |  |  |
| English             | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating actively in collaborative conversations about maps and atlases; listening and responding appropriately when sharing what they have learnt about hot and cold places; explaining whether they would prefer to live in a hot or cold place and expressing their feelings. | <b>Spoken language:</b> Sorting human and physical features collaboratively; listening and responding appropriately to adults and their peers to share what they have learnt about oceans.   | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating in a collaborative conversation about the location of the seas and oceans surrounding the UK; presenting an advert for Weymouth.  |  |  |  |  |
| Maths               | <b>Geometry - position and direction:</b> Using directional language; recognising North, East, South and West on a map.   |  | <b>Statistics:</b> Interpreting and constructing simple pictograms and tally charts; asking and answering simple questions by counting the number of objects in each category and sorting the categories by quantity. |  |  |  |  |
| Science             |   | Living things and their habitats: Identifying<br>that most living things live in habitats to which<br>they are suited; describing how different<br>habitats provide for the basic needs of<br>different kinds of animals and plants, and how<br>they depend on each other. |   |  |  |  |  |
| Art and design      |   | Drawing a sketch map using symbols for human and physical features.  |   |  |  |  |  |

#### Cross-curricular links - Lower key Stage 2

| National curriculu | Kapow Primary topics<br>Year 3  |   |  |
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| m<br>subjects      | Why do people live near volcanoes?  | Who lives in Antarctica?  | Are all settlements the same?  |
| English            | <b>Spoken language:</b> Listening and responding appropriately to adults and their peers whilst analysing rocks; asking relevant questions about rocks and where they have come from; articulating and justifying arguments on whether they would live near a volcano; describing the properties of the layers of the Earth; verbally exploring ideas for their own earthquake-proof building.<br><b>Reading:</b> Retrieving and recording information from non-fiction texts on volcano classification.  | <b>Spoken language:</b> Articulating and justifying their ideas<br>around the similarities and differences between the UK and<br>Antarctica; listening and responding appropriately to their<br>peers when following instructions to map a route in the<br>school grounds.                | <b>Spoken language:</b> Listening and responding appropriately to<br>adults and their peers whilst conducting fieldwork; participating<br>in collaborative conversations around what maps and<br>photographs can tell us about the local area; articulating the<br>similarities and differences between their locality and New<br>Delhi. |
| Maths              |   | <b>Measurement:</b> Converting between centimetres and kilometres to find the length of Antarctica using a ruler and calculator (greater depth only).<br><b>Geometry - position and direction:</b> Using coordinates on a 2D grid to find a position on a world map and plotting a point. |  |
| Science            | States of matter: Understanding that the Earth's crust changes state when<br>heated to extreme temperatures.<br>Rocks: Exploring how rocks change over time to form mountains and<br>volcanoes and where rocks originally come from; learning that rocks break<br>down into fertile soils in a volcanic environment; grouping and comparing<br>rocks based on their appearance and properties; observing crystals and<br>grains in a rock during their fieldwork.<br>Living things and their habitats: Recognising how volcanoes can change a<br>landscape and realising the impact this may have on living things.<br>Forces: Noticing that earthquakes occur because of forces at tectonic plate<br>boundaries. | <b>States of matter:</b> Understanding that the sea around<br>Antarctica can freeze and melt depending on the season and<br>temperature.  |  |
| Art                | Practising their control of materials by crafting a model of the Earth.   |   |  |
| Computing          | Using search technologies effectively when researching volcano classification.  | Using a digital device to record and present information on<br>the experience of a researcher in Antarctica (optional);<br>Understanding how the internet can provide useful services<br>such as Google Earth to explore their locality.  | Using technology to locate and look at the features of UK coasts.  |
| History            |   | Studying a famous Antarctic explorer from British history.  | Identifying how land use has changed over time in the local area using old maps.   |
| PE                 | Taking part in outdoor adventurous activity as part of a team during geology fieldwork on the school grounds.   | Planning and taking part in an outdoor adventurous activity around the school grounds.  | Planning and taking part in an outdoor adventurous activity around the local area.   |

### Cross-curricular links - Lower key Stage 2

| National curriculum        | Kapow Primary topics<br>Year 4  |  |   |  |
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| subjects                   | Why are rainforests important to us?  | Where does our food come from?   | What are rivers and how are they used?  |  |
| English                    | <ul> <li>Spoken language: Using manners when carrying out questionnaires during woodland fieldwork; participating in collaborative conversations about what maps and photographs can tell us about the Amazon rainforest; justifying their arguments for saving the Amazon rainforest; asking relevant questions to understand how plants have adapted to living in a tropical rainforest; giving well-structured descriptions and explanations on how indigenous tribes use the Amazon rainforest to survive; presenting their findings from their woodland fieldwork.</li> <li>Writing: Planning and writing a fact file on the indigenous peoples and a letter about saving the rainforest by discussing and recording ideas and organising them into paragraphs; writing a letter to the Brazilian government.</li> </ul> | Spoken language: Articulating and justifying ways in which a particular food choice can negatively impact the environment and what can be done to make a positive difference; asking questions during an interview to extend their understanding of where school dinners come from; gaining and maintaining interests of the listeners when presenting reports on where it is best to shop and why.<br>Reading: Reading non-fiction texts and summarising key ideas to present to the class about how different foods impact the environment.<br>Writing: Writing a balanced argument on where best to buy food by discussing and recording ideas and organising them into paragraphs. | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating in collaborative<br>conversations about what maps and photographs can<br>tell us about the local river; listening and responding<br>appropriately to adults and their peers whilst<br>conducting fieldwork; presenting their findings from<br>their rivers fieldwork. |  |
| Maths                      | <b>Statistics:</b> Completing, interpreting and presenting data on how people use the local woodland using tally charts and bar charts.   | Measurement: Converting centimetres to kilometres using a scale<br>bar on a map and a calculator.<br>Statistics: Interpreting data from a tally chart showing where<br>household food comes from.  |   |  |
| Science                    | Plants: Identifying and describing the functions of different parts rainforest<br>plants; exploring how plants have adapted to survive in the Amazon rainforest.<br>Animals including humans: Interpreting and identifying where producers,<br>predators and prey live in the rainforest and why.<br>Living things and their habitats: Exploring the human impact on the Amazon<br>rainforest with particular focus on deforestation, recognising that the Amazon<br>rainforest is changing and the effects of this.  | Living things and their habitats: Recognising how climate change<br>may impact food sources.<br>Properties and changes of materials: Recognising that chocolate<br>comes from a cocoa bean and goes through a process where it<br>changes state to become chocolate.   | <b>States of matter:</b> Identifying the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle.  |  |
| Computing                  |   | Using a digital device to create content to present to an audience that informs them of the relationship between food and the environment.   |   |  |
| D&T                        |   | Describing how seasons can impact food grown.  | <b>Make:</b> Practising shaping, cutting and joining skills to create a model of a river.   |  |
| History                    | Devise historically valid questions on changes, causes and significance to the indigenous peoples when logging and mining groups entered the Amazon rainforest.   |  |   |  |
| PE                         | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork to their local woodland.   |  | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork to their local river.  |  |
| <b>PSHE</b><br>© Copyright | Discussing things they can do to help look after their environment.<br>Kapow Primary 2022   | Discussing things they can do to help look after their environment.  | www.kapowprimary.com 15   |  |

### Cross-curricular links - Upper key Stage 2

| National<br>curriculum<br>subjects | Kapow Primary topics<br>Year 5   |   |  |
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|                                    | What is life like in the Alps?   | Why do oceans matter?   | Would you like to live in the desert?  |
| English                            | <b>Spoken language:</b> Maintaining attention and participating actively in collaborative conversations about the human and physical characteristics of the Alps; listening and responding appropriately to adults and their peers when completing fieldwork in the local area; presenting their findings when comparing the local area with an Alpine area.<br><b>Writing - composition:</b> Writing a tourist brochure which includes information about the human and physical features of the Alps. | <b>Spoken language:</b> Using sentence stems and word banks to help verbalise ideas around threats to oceans and coral reefs.<br><b>Writing - composition:</b> Planning and writing an information text about ocean environments. | <b>Reading:</b> Retrieving and recording information from non-fiction<br>texts on environmental threats facing deserts.<br><b>Writing - composition</b> : Writing a letter to a family which<br>includes both benefits and drawbacks about living in a desert<br>environment.  |
| Maths                              |  | <b>Statistics:</b> Creating a pie chart to reflect data found during fieldwork.   | Number – number and place value: Comparing numbers on a<br>line graph showing temperature.<br>Statistics: Solving comparison problems using a line graph<br>showing temperature. Beginning to associate line graph data<br>with changes over time in the context of annual temperature.  |
| Science                            | <b>Rocks:</b> Exploring how rocks change over time to form mountains.  |   | Evolution and inheritance: Considering the types of animals and<br>plants that have adapted to living in a hot desert biome.<br>States of matter: Associating the rate of evaporation with hot<br>desert temperatures and the creation of salt flats.<br>Earth and space: Comparing the time of day at different places<br>on the Earth through internet links and direct communication.<br>Living things and their habitats: Exploring how human activity<br>has impacted upon desert environments. |
| Computing                          |  | Using search technologies and digital content to research the Great Barrier Reef.   | Using search technologies and digital content to research physical desert features.  |
| PE                                 | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork in their local urban environment.   | Taking part in team outdoor activities during fieldwork in their<br>local marine environment.   |  |
| RSE/PSHE                           | Discussing things they can do to help look after their environment.  | Discussing things they can do to help look after their environment.   |  |

### Cross-curricular links - Upper key Stage 2

| National<br>curriculum<br>subjects | Kapow Primary topics<br>Year 6   |   |  |
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|                                    | Why does population change?  | Where does our energy come from?  | Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?  |
| English                            | Spoken language: Giving descriptions and expressing opinions<br>on how hospitable an environment is; playing a vocabulary game<br>to show an understanding of new words; contributing their<br>viewpoint on why people may choose to migrate; presenting a<br>poster to explain the impact of climate change on the population;<br>using the correct command of Standard English and responding<br>appropriately when speaking to the general public during<br>fieldwork; reading a report to present and analyse their<br>fieldwork data.<br>Writing: Identifying an audience, developing an initial idea and<br>drawing on their research to create a typed report of their<br>fieldwork findings. | <b>Spoken language:</b> Participating in collaborative conversations considering what maps and photographs can tell us about Midland, Texas and Port of Blyth; giving well-structured descriptions and explanations on the different ways energy can be generated; listening and responding appropriately to adults and their peers whilst conducting fieldwork on the school grounds.<br><b>Reading:</b> Retrieving and recording information from non-fiction texts on the different ways to generate energy. | Spoken language: Listening and responding appropriately to<br>adults and their peers whilst conducting fieldwork; using<br>manners when carrying out questionnaires during fieldwork;<br>presenting their fieldwork data to an audience.<br>Writing: Identifying an audience to collect data and designing<br>and creating data collection methods; planning and writing a fact<br>file on the process of the fieldwork enquiry and its outcome. |
| Maths                              | <b>Statistics:</b> Interpreting a population pie chart and drawing a line graph to show population growth; interpreting population data from a table to calculate natural increase.<br><b>Number:</b> Using population data to calculate natural increase.   |   |  |
| Science                            |  | <b>Earth and space:</b> Comparing the time of day at different places on the Earth through internet links and direct communication.   |  |
| Computing                          | Understanding that the internet can be a tool for communicating<br>and presenting data through digital map making; using a digital<br>device to create content that explains what climate change is,<br>why it is happening, its impact and how we can fight it.   |   | Using digital mapping software to follow their fieldwork route<br>digitally; selecting and using software to design data collection<br>templates and to create a presentation to show the outcome of<br>the fieldwork enquiry.   |
| History                            | Noting population trends over time and addressing questions on the cause of these.   |   |  |
| PE                                 | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork in their local urban area.  | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork in their school grounds.   | Taking part in outdoor activities as part of a team during fieldwork in their locality.  |
| RSE/PSHE                           |  | Discussing things they can do to help look after their environment.   |  |

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