Geography Assessment Grid : Where do I live? : Year 1/2



W	/here do I live?						
G	roup: Year: Term:						
	Geography						
-	Do children know what a continent is?						
Lesson	Can children name and locate the seven continents?						
Ľ	Can children identify the UK on a world map?						
2	Do children know that the United Kingdom is made up of different countries?						
Lesson	Can children name the countries and capital cities of the UK?						
Le	Can children identify the national flags of each of the countries of the UK?						
с С	Can children name the four countries of the UK?						
Lesson	Can children name the capital cities of the UK?						
Le	Can children identify some features and characteristics of the UK?						
۲ 4	Do children know the difference be <mark>twe</mark> en a village, town and city?						
Lesson	Can children locate their local area on a map of the UK?						
Le	Can children use a variety of sources, including maps, to help them explore the local area?						
5	Do children know what addresses are used for?						
Lesson	Can children write their own address?						
Le	Can children describe where they live?						

Geography Assessment Grid : Around the World : Year 1/2



Α	round the V	Vorld							
G	roup:	Year:	Term:						
		Geography							
Lesson 1	Can children locate Euro	· ·	nents? es and characteristics of France?						
Lesson 2	Can children locate Asia Can children identify Chi Can children identify and	•	and characteristics of China?						
Lesson 3		ustralia is a country and a conti	nent? and characteristics of Australia?						
Lesson 4	Can children locate Afric Can children identify Ker	a on a world map?							
Lesson 5	Can children locate Nort Can children locate the l	h America on a world map? Jnited Stat <mark>es of</mark> America o <mark>n</mark> a v							
Lesson 6	Can children locate Sout Can children locate Braz	h America on a world map?							
Lesson 7	Can children locate Anta Can children identify sor	rctica on a world map? ne of the characteristics and fea							

Geography Assessment Grid : The Four Seasons : Year 1/2



ТΙ	ne Four Seasons						
G	roup: Year: Term:						
	Geography						
-	Do children know that weather patterns change throughout the year?						
Lesson	Do children know that there are four seasons in a year?						
Ē	Can children name the months of each season?						
2	Do children know when spring is?						
Lesson	Can children describe what the weather is like in spring?						
Le	Do children know that spring is a time of new life for plants and animals?						
с С	Do children know when summer is?						
Lesson	Can children describe what the weather is like in summer?						
Le	Can children identify appropriate clothing and activities for the summer?						
4	Do children know when autumn is?						
Lesson	Can children describe what the weather in autumn is like?						
Le: L	Can children use appropriate vocabulary to describe autumn?						
n 5	Do children know when winter is?						
Lesson 5	Can children describe what the weather is like in winter?						
Le	Do children understand how weather can affect human activities?						
9	Can children name the four seasons?						
Lesson	Can children identify the different characteristics of each season in terms of weather?						
	Can children express their knowledge of seasons in a variety of ways?						

Geography Assessment Grid : At the Farm : Year 1/2



A	t the Farm						
G	roup: Year: Term:						
	Geography						
~	Do children know what a farm is?						
Lesson	Do children understand that different types of farms are used for different purposes?						
Ĕ	Can children explain why farms are important?						
2	Do children know that farms are in rural as opposed to urban areas?						
Lesson	Can children identify some of the features of farms?						
Ë	Can children match the features of a farm to their functions?						
ო	Do children know the four compass points?						
Lesson	Can children use compass points and appropriate locational language to navigate around a map?						
Ľ	Can children use symbols in a map?						
4	Do children know what the four sea <mark>sons</mark> of the yea <mark>r are</mark> ?						
Lesson	Can children describe what happen <mark>s on</mark> a farm during each of the seasons?						
Le	Can children identify differences in weather patterns throughout the year?						
ß	Can children describe differences between urban and rural areas?						
Lesson	Can children identify geographical features typical to towns and farms?						
Le	Can children identify ways in which towns and farms are different?						

Geography Assessment Grid : Let's go on Safari : Year 1/2



L	et's go on Safari							
G	roup: Year: Term:							
	Geography							
n 1	Can children identify the seven continents and five oceans of the world?							
Lesson	Can children identify the continent of Africa on a world map?							
Ľ	Can children identify the country of Kenya on a world map?							
on 2	Do children know that countries near the equator are hotter than those nearer the North and South Poles?							
Lesson	Can children describe what the climate in Kenya is like?							
Ľ	Can children describe some of the differences between the climate in Kenya and the UK?							
33	Can children identify some animals that live in Kenya?							
Lesson	Can children use directional language to describe where things are on a map?							
Le	Can children use the four compass points to describe where things are on a map?							
4 4	Do children know what the four points of a compass are?							
Lesson	Can children describe how to get from one place to another using compass points?							
Ē	Can children locate features on a map using compass points?							
5	Can children use appropriate vocabulary to describe the physical geography of Kenya?							
Lesson	Can children identify features such as m <mark>oun</mark> tains, valleys, volcanoes, fields, towns, villages and cities?							
Ē	Can children use adjectives to describe various features?							
¢ ۲	Do children know that there are different lifestyles and cultures within Kenya?							
Lesson	Can children describe the lifestyle and culture of some Kenyan people?	_						
Le	Can children identify similarities and differences between life in the Maasai tribe and life in the UK?							
	Can children identify differences between Kenya and the UK?							
Lesson	Can children identify similarities between Kenya and the UK?							
Les	Can children identify ways in which their life is similar to and different from the life of a Kenyan child?							

Geography Assessment Grid : My World and Me : Year 1/2



N	ly World and Me						
G	roup: Year: Term:						
	Geography						
- 1	Can the children identify the seven continents and the five oceans?						
Lesson	Can the children locate the UK on a world map?						
Ľ	Can the children say where they would find hot counties and cold countries on a map?						
л 2	Can the children identify the seven continents and the five oceans?						
Lesson	Can the children locate the UK on a world map?						
Le	Can the children name a variety of land features?						
е С	Can the children locate the UK and Ecuador on a world map?						
Lesson	Can the children say how Quito and London are similar?						
Le	Can the children say how Quito and London are different?						
4	Can the children locate the UK, poles and equator on a world map?						
Lesson	Can the children say which animals they would expect to find in a hot climate?						
Les	Can the children say which animals they would expect to find in a cold climate?						
ר ז	Can the children name and recognise some geographical physical features in the aerial photos?						
Lesson	Can the children name and recognise some geographical human features in the aerial photos?						
	Can the children recognise landmarks in aerial photos?						
91	Can the children draw their own maps?						
Lesson 6	Can the children use a map key?						
Le	Can the children navigate around a map?						

Geography Assessment Grid : Countries of the World : Year 3/4



С	ountries of	the World						
G	roup:	Year:	Term:					
		Geography						
-	Do children know what a	continent is?						
Lesson	Can children name each	of the 7 continents?						
Ľe	Can children locate the 7	' continents on a map?						
2	Can children locate the 7	' continents on a map?						
Lesson	Can children use a map t	to locate different countries arou	und the world?					
Le	Can children state which	continent a particular country is	s in?					
m	Can children identify and	I name some of the highest mo	untains in different continents?					
esson	Can children identify and	I name some of the longest rive	ers in different continents?					
Les	Can children use a variet continents?	y of sources to find out about k	ey geographical features of the 7					
4	Do children know what a	capital city is?						
	Can children use maps to	o locate capital cities?						
Lesson	Can children use a variet capital city?	y of sources to find out about g	eographical features of a particular					
ۍ ۲	Do children understand t	the differen <mark>ce b</mark> etween hu <mark>man</mark> a	and physical geography?					
Lesson	Can children us <mark>e appr</mark> opi	riate sources of information to f	find out about a particular country?					
Le	Can children locate coun	tries, continents and cities on a	map?					
ک ر	Can children identify sim	ilarities between different count	tries?					
Lesson 6	Can children identify diffe	erences between countries?						
Le	Do children understand t	that all countries have different	features and characteristics?					

Geography Assessment Grid : Where does our food come from? : Year 3/4



V	here does our food come from?
G	roup: Year: Term:
	Geography
	Do children know that the United Kingdom is in the Northern Hemisphere?
Lesson	Do children understand that our food comes from different places around the world?
Ľ	Can children explain some of the ways in which food is processed and transported around the world?
1	Can children describe some of the conditions in temperate climate zones?
	Do children know some of the foods that are produced in temperate climate zones?
ì	Can children explain how these foods are transported long distances?
)	Do children know where the tropics are?
	Can children describe the conditions of tropical climate zones?
	Can children explain how buying fair trade produce benefits food growers?
+	Do children know what a biome is?
Lesson	Can children explain how land is changed to enable more food to be produced?
Ľ	Do children understand some of the consequences of changing the way land is used?
2	Do children know where in the world mediterranean climate zones are found?
Lesson	Can children describe the conditions in mediterranean climate zones?
Ĕ	Can children describe some ways in whi <mark>ch la</mark> nd is used fo <mark>r far</mark> ming in mediterranean climate zones?
0	Do children know what longitude and latitude lines are?
esson	Can children describe the climate in the United Kingdom and other temperate climate zones?
Les	Can children explain some ways in which land is used by farmers to produce food in the United Kingdom?
	Can children use hemisphere, longitude and latitude to describe locations?
Lesson	Can children describe some differences between climate zones?
Ē	Do children know that some food sold in the United Kingdom comes from other parts of the world?

Geography Assessment Grid : In the Desert : Year 3/4



In	the Desert							
G	roup: Year: Te	erm:						
	Geography							
-	Do children know what a desert is?							
Lesson	Can children locate some of the world's major deserts on a	a world map?						
Le	Do children know that not all deserts are hot and sandy?							
2	Do children know that deserts are characterised by extrem	nely low rainfall?						
Lesson	Can children describe the weather and climate of deserts a	around the world?						
Le	Can children analyse data to find out about desert climate	es?						
33	Do children know that deserts change over time?							
Lesson	Do children know how sand dunes are formed?							
Le	Can children describe the process of erosion to create vari	ious rock formations?						
4	Do children know that much of the desert is too hostile to	be lived in by humans?						
Lesson	Can children name some of the ways in which deserts are u	used by humans?						
Le	Can children list some of the natural resources of the dese	ert, such as oil?						
2	Do children know that many people live in deserts?							
Lesson	Can children describe some of the challenges faced by de	sert dwellers?						
Le	Do children know how cities grow and survive in deserts?				6			
9 L	Can children describe what desertification is?							
Lesson 6	Do children know why desertification is happening?							
Le	Can children describe the effects of desertification?							

Geography Assessment Grid : Our European Neighbours : Year 3/4



0	ur Europea	n Neighbours							
G	roup:	Year:	Term:						
		Geography							
-	Can children locate Europ	be on a world map?							
Lesson 1	Do children know that the	e UK is a country in Europe?							
Le:	Can children describe sor	me of the geographical features	s of Europe?						
2 ר	Can children locate Europ	be on a world map?							
Lesson	Can children identify Euro	pean countries?							
Ľ	Can children use a map to	o identify European countries?							
с Г	Can children match Europ	pean flags to their countries?							
Lesson	Do children know that the	ere are a variety of currencies in	Europe, including the euro?						
Ľ	Can children describe wa	ys in which European countries	are different from each other?						
4	Can children describe wh	at a capital city is?							
Lesson	Can children identify the	capital cities of some European	countries?						
Ľ	Can children locate Europ	pean capita <mark>l c</mark> ities on a ma <mark>p</mark> ?							
٦ ک	Can children <mark>ident</mark> ify lanc	lmarks bel <mark>ongi</mark> ng to differ <mark>ent</mark> E	uropean cities?						
Lesson	Can children use a variety	r of source <mark>s to find out about t</mark> h	e geographical features of cities?	_					
Le	Can children compare an	d contrast two different Europe	an cities?						
n 6	Do children understand tl	he difference between human a	and physical geography?						
Lesson	Can children use a variety	of sources of information to fir	nd out about a particular country?						-
Ľ	Can children present the	information they have found ou	It appropriately?						

Geography Assessment Grid : Settlements : Year 3/4



S	ettlements						
G	roup: Year: Term:						
	Geography						
-	Can children explain who some early settlers were and why they settled in Britain?						
Lesson 1	Can children describe the needs of early settlers and how they chose land to suit these needs?						
Ľ	Do children know the origins of some common British place names?						
2	Can children define hamlets, villages, towns and cities?						
Lesson	Can children identify whether a settlement is a hamlet, village, town or city?						
Les	Can children explain how some settlements have changed over time, giving reasons as to why this is?						
33	Do children know that there are lots of different types of maps, including Ordnance Survey maps?						
Lesson	Can children identify a variety of map symbols and abbreviations correctly?						
Le	Can children use an Ordnance Survey map to answer questions about a settlement?						
4	Can children locate a square using four-figure grid references?						
Lesson	Can children locate a square using six-figure grid references?						
Ľ	Can children create their own questions involving grid references?						
ß	Can children <mark>describ</mark> e why a plot of la <mark>nd w</mark> ould be go <mark>od fo</mark> r a new settlement?						
Lesson	Can children make decisions about which amenities and services they will include in a new settlement?						
Ľ	Can children make decisions about how they will set out their settlement?						
ک ر	Can children follow a plan to create a map?						
Lesson ó	Can children create a key for a map?						
Le	Can children evaluate their finished settlement maps and discuss what works well?						

Geography Assessment Grid : Earning a Living : Year 3/4



E	arning a Living							
G	roup: Year: Term:							
	Geography							
-	Can children explain some of the reasons why people work?							
Lesson	Can children identify a variety of different jobs and their roles?							
Ĕ	Can children describe which jobs they would and wouldn't like to do?							
2	Can children identify the main job sectors?							
Lesson	Can children match a variety of jobs to their sectors?							
Le	Do children know that not all jobs are paid equally?							
3	Do children know what the economy is?							
Lesson	Can children name some of the main industries in the UK?							
Le	Can children identify areas on the UK on a map?							
4	Do children know that different parts of the world have different industries?							
Lesson	Can children describe some of the ways in which people in other countries earn a living?							
Ľ	Do children know that a lot of jobs involve the manufacture and trade of items?							
ר ה	Do children <mark>know s</mark> ome of the reaso <mark>ns w</mark> hy some a <mark>dults</mark> are unemployed?							
Lesson	Can children describe some of the effects unemployment has on people?							
Le	Do children know that the government supports unemployed people financially?	_						
on 6	Do children know that some children in poorer countries have to work to support their families?							
Lesson	Do children understand the link between education and employment?							
-	Can children express their own ideas about the sort of job they would like in the future?							

Geography Assessment Grid : The United Kingdom : Year 5/6



T	he United K	lingdom									
G	roup:	Year:	Term:								
		Geography	,								
-	Can children locate the l	Jnited Kingdom on a world	map?								
Lesson	Can children name and I	ocate the countries and cap	pital cities of the United Kingdom?								
Le	Do children know some population and life expe		graphy of the United Kingdom, such as								
л 2	Do children know what a	county is?									
Lesson	Can children identify the	counties of the UK?									
Le	Can children place coun	ties of the UK on a map?									
б	Can children describe wl	nat a city is?									
Lesson	Can children identify citi	es of the UK?									
Le	Can children locate UK c	ities on a map?									
4	Do children know how m	ountains and hills are form	ed?								
Lesson	Can children identify ma	jor hill and mountain range	s of the UK?								
Les	Can children use a variet communicate their findir		out hills and mountains, and								
ъ	Can children identify the	oceans and seas that surro	und the UK?								
Lesson	Do children know that th	e UK has a <mark>varie</mark> d coastline	?		_						
Les	Can children use and un	derstand vocabulary relatin	g to seas and coasts?								
9 L	Can children understand	children understand and describe the journey of a river from source to sea?									
Lesson 6	Can children name some	e of the major rivers of the l	JK?								
Ľ	Can children find out and	d analyse information abou	t rivers of the UK?								

Geography Assessment Grid : Investigating Rivers: Year 5/6



In	vestigating	Rivers								
G	roup:	Year:	Term:							
Geography Do children understand why the water cycle is an important process on our planet? Do children understand the steps involved in the water cycle? Can children explain the water cycle in their own words? Can children explain what a river is? Do children explain the processes of erosion, transportation and deposition? Can children explain the processes of erosion, transportation and deposition? Can children use secondary sources to find out information? Can children support their points with statistics and specific data?										
	Do children understand w	vhy the water cycle is an impor	tant process on our planet?							
sson	Do children understand t	he steps involved in the water	cycle?							
Ľ	Can children explain the	water cycle in their own words	?							
	Can children explain wha	t a river is?								
ssor	Do children know some of the features of a river?									
Le	Can children explain the	processes of erosion, transport	ation and deposition?							
	Can children describe sor	ne river uses?								
ssor	Can children use seconda	ary sources to find out informat	tion?							
Le	Can children support thei	ir points with statistics and spe	cific data?							
4	Do children understand s	ome of the causes of water po	llution?							
Lesson	Do children understand t	he effect water pollution has o	n the environment?							
Le	Are children able to think	about wat <mark>er</mark> pollution on <mark>loca</mark>	l and global scales?							
٦ 5 1	Can childre <mark>n ask g</mark> eograp	phical ques <mark>tions</mark> ?								
Lesson	Can children use seconda									
Le	Can children use the inte	rnet to help them with a geogr	raphical enquiry?							
9 L	Can children choose a lin									
Lesson 6	Can children use seconda									
Le	Can children choose a su	itable way to present their find	lings?							

Geography Assessment Grid : South America : Year 5/6



S	outh America							
G	roup: Year: Term:							
	Geography							
n 1	Can children locate the continent of South America on a world map?							
Lesson	Can children name the countries of South America?							
_	Can children identify the countries of South America on a map?							
on 2	Do children know that different parts of the world have different climates?							
Lesson	Can children name and locate some of the different climates in South America?							
л З	Can children describe some of the different climates in South America?							
	Do children know that the Andes run the length of South America?							
Lesson	Do children know some of the ways in which the Andes are used?							
4	Can children describe the difference between human and physical geography?							
Lesson	Can children describe some aspects of the human geography of South America?							
Les	Can children present their findings in a variety of ways?							
5	Do children know what world trade is?							
Lesson	Can children name some of the biggest expo <mark>rts of</mark> South America?							
Les	Can children identify some of the main industries in various South American countries?							
n 6	Can children use a variety of sources of information to find out about a specific South American country?							
Lesson	Can children select appropriate facts, figures and images to include in their work?	_						
Le	Can children present geographical information in a variety of ways?							
n 7	Can children name a key difference or similarity between the UK and a region of South America's human geography?							
Lesson	Can children name a key difference or similarity between the UK and a region of South America's physical geography?							
Le	Can children provide a feasible explanation of one of these similarities or differences?							

Cross-curricular Assessment Grid : Extreme Earth



	-	Know that places in the world near the equator are generally hot.						
	Lesson	Do children know that the coldest places in the world are by the poles?						
	Ľ	Can children describe how climate and weather varies around the world?						
	۲ ۲	Know that all the water in the world moves in a continuous cycle.						
	Lesson	Can children describe the different stages of the water cycle?						
	Ľ	Can children describe what a drought is and how they are caused?						
	л 3	Can children identify and name examples of extreme weather?						
Ϋ́	Lesson	Explain why some of these examples of extreme weather occur.						
GEOGRAPHY	Ľ	Communicate their knowledge of extreme weather in a variety of ways.						
ЮG	4	Do children know what causes earthquakes?						
ŬĒ	esson	Know that some places in the world are more prone to earthquakes than others?						
	-	Can children use maps to identify areas that are prone to earthquakes?						
	5	Know that a tsunami is caused by movement of tectonic plates.						
	Lesson	Can children describe the effects of a tsunami?						
	Le	Can children identify areas of high risk on a world map?						
	9	Do children know why volcanoes erupt?			E.			
	esson	Can children convey their knowledge of volcanoes in a variety of ways?						
	Le	Describe volcanoes using geographical and descriptive language.						

Geography Assessment Grid : Our Local Area : Year 6



0	ur Local Ar	ea									
G	roup:	Year:		Term:							
		Geograp	hy								
_	Can children explain the	differences between hu	man and phys	sical geography?							
an .	Can children give examp	les of economic activitie	es?								
₽.	Do children understand	the differences between	imports and	exports?							
2	Can children explain the	differences between hu	man and phys	sical geography?							
	Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children give examples of economic activities?Do children understand the differences between imports and exports?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children explain the differences between commercial, industrial and residential areas?Can children explain how the land around their school is used?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name different types of settlements?Can children describe the differences between human and physical geography?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name different types of settlements?Can children name different services available in their local area?Can children explain the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name the differences between human and physical geography?Can children name										
<u> </u>	Can children explain hov	v the land around their s	school is used	?							
т	Can children explain the	differences between hu	man and phys	sical geography?							
	Can children name differ	ent types of settlements	s?								
"	Can children describe th	e different services avail	able in their lo	ocal area?							
4	Can children explain the	differences between hu	man and phys	sical geography?							
	Can children name the d	lifferent climate zones?									
<u> </u>	Do children know which	climate they live in?									
5	Can children <mark>explai</mark> n the	difference <mark>s bet</mark> ween hu	man and phys	sical geography?							
Plan !	Can children explain the	differences between riv	ers and strear	ms?							
₽.	Can children explore ma										
6	Can children explain the										
Plan .	Can children explain the	nills?									
4	Can children name some	upland areas in the UK									

Geography Assessment Grid : North America : Year 5/6



Ν	orth Americ	orth America										
G	roup:											
		Geography	1									
n 1	Can children locate the continent	of North America on a world ma	ıp?									
Lesson	Can children name the countries (
Le	Can children locate North Americ	an countries on a map?										
n 2	Can children identify some differe	ent climate zones in North Ameri	ca?									
Lesson	Can children investigate the clima	ate of a particular area?										
Le:	Can children compare climates in	North America?										
3	Do children know the difference b	petween human and physical geo	ographical features?									
Lesson	Can children identify and describe	e some geographical features of	North America?									
Les	Can children describe how certair	n geographical features are form	ed?									
4	Do children know what a capital c	city is?										
Lesson	Can children identify North Ameri	ican capital cities and match ther	m to their countries?									
Les	Can children explore features of c	different capital cities, such as lar	iguage and population?									
5	Can children explain why differen	It parts of the world have differer	it time zones?									
Lesson	Can children calculate the time at	t different loc <mark>atio</mark> ns in North Ame	rica based on GMT?									
Les	Can children calculate correspond	ding times w <mark>ithin</mark> different locatic	ons in North America?									
9	Can children compare the physica	al geograph <mark>y of a</mark> region in the U	IK and a region in North America?									
Lesson	Can children compare the human											
Les	Can children use a variety of appr	ropriate sources to find out abou	t the human and physical geography of a region?									
n 7	Can children use a variety of sources of information to find out about a specific North American country?											
Lesson	Can children select appropriate fa	an children select appropriate facts, figures and images to include in their work?										
Le.	Can children present geographica	al information in a variety of way:	\$?									