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| Subject: Geography Year 4 Comparative studyNC/PoS: **Locational knowledge*** locate the world’s countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and countries.

**Place knowledge*** understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country.
* understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom

**Human and physical geography*** describe and understand key aspects of:
* physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle
* human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water

**Geographical skills and fieldwork*** use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied
* use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world
* use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.
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| Prior Learning (what pupils already know and can do)Children know the physical and human geography of the Northwest region in England. They can identify settlements and land use in the Northwest. Children know the physical and human geography of Athens in Greece. Children know about the climate and biomes in the Northwest of England and Athens in Greece. |
| End Points (what pupils MUST know and remember)Know the key similarities and differences between the northwest region of England and Athens in Greece. |
| Key VocabularyContinent, country, city, region, equator, climate, biome, mountain, volcano, river, topography, geology, settlement, tourism, land use, peninsula |
| Session 1:Revisit prior learning on the northwest region of England. Using a range of maps look at the human and physical geography of the northwest region. Third most populated region. Largest settlements – Manchester and Liverpool - urban. Cumbrian mountains – highest mountain in England - Scafell Pike – Lake District – national park - rural. Vocabulary: continent, country, region, city, urban, rural, climate, biome, settlement, mountain |
| Session 2:Revisit prior learning on Athens/Greece.Using a range of maps look at the human and physical geography of Athens. Look at the weather, climate, geology, topography, biomes, settlements, tourism, history. Vocabulary: continent, country, region, city, urban, rural, climate, biome, settlement, peninsula, mountains |
| Session 3:Introduce how to complete a comparative study between Athens and the Northwest.Vocabulary: compare, comparison, continent, country, region, city, urban, rural, climate, biome, settlement, peninsula, mountains |
| Session 4:What is the same and what is different? Comparative study between the Northwest and Athens.Choose 4 or 5 key features to compare.Climate, tourism, settlements and land use, human and physical geography Vocabulary: Continent, country, city, region, equator, climate, biome, mountain, volcano, river, topography, geology, settlement, tourism, land use, peninsula |
| Future learning this content supports:This content will support the learning on comparative studies with different locations. |