<u>Year 4</u>				
<u>Autumn 1</u>	<u>Autumn 2</u>	<u>Spring 1</u>		
	Enquiry Questions			
Would you rather live in Leeds or Rome?	How does the water cycle work?			
Outcomes				
Create a guidebook all about Rome	To understand and draw the water cycle.			
	Linked Texts			
Diary of a Roman Slave				
	Linked Experiences			
N/A	Now press play – water cycle			
	Overview			
During this unit the children will look at the continent of	During the unit the children will look at the water cycle			
Europe and identify and locate different countries and	also known as the hydrologic cycle. The children will			
their capital cities within the continent. Children will then	look at the different stages of the cycle and the			
start to focus on studying Italy, with a particular focus on	continuous movement of water on, above and below the			
Rome. They will look at what the weather is like in Rome	surface of Earth. The children will discuss where the			
and Leeds and compare average temperatures, amount	water comes from such as reservoirs, rivers and			
of rainfall and average hours of sunshine. Physical and	oceans. They will discuss the importance of the water			
Human geographical features of Italy and England will	cycle and how essential it is for the maintenance of most			
then be studied and compared.	life and ecosystems on the planet.			
	Knowledge and/or Skills Covered			
Graphicacy skills	Academic skills			
Read maps- Use the contents and index of an atlas.	Ask questions - Ask and answer geographically valid			
Use maps, globes, and digital mapping to locate	questions (eg about cause and effect, reliability, change			
England and Italy.	and difference).			
Academic skills	Present information - Use age-related vocabulary in			
Ask questions-Ask and answer geographically valid	their speech and writing, spelling it accurately where			
questions (e.g. about cause and effect, reliability,	appropriate. Create age-related data tables, graphs and			
change and difference).	charts, maps and plans, drawings and perspectives,			
Discern relevance- Note connections, contrasts and	posters, diagrams and digital presentations: - for			
trends and use these to order by relevance	isolated datasets - in longer and coherently structured			
Map Skills: Use maps, atlases, globes and	pieces of work.			
digital/computer mapping to locate Italy, Rome.				
	National Curriculum Attainment Targets			
Locational Knowledge	Human and physical geography			
Locate the world's counties, using maps to focus on	Physical geography -Describe and understand key			
Europe	aspects of the water cycle.			
Place knowledge	Human geography - types of settlement and land use,			
Understand geographical similarities and differences	economic activity including trade links, and the			
through the study of human and physical geography of	distribution of natural resources including energy, food,			
a region in a European country.	minerals and water			

Geographical skills and fieldwork		
Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer		
mapping to locate countries and describe features.		
Important Vocabulary		
Human, physical, compare, location, continent, Europe,	Renewable, minerals, rivers, natural resources, water	
country, capital city.	cycle, evaporation, condensation, overland flow, source,	
	precipitation.	

Spring 2	Summer 1	<u>Summer 2</u>
	Enquiry Questions	
	How has our local area changed over time?	Where are the world's rainforests?
	Outcomes	
	Write a paragraph about how the physical and human features have changed over time.	Double page spread about the rainforests
	Linked Texts	
	Linked Experiences	
		Now press play - Rainforests
	Overview	
	During this unit the children will use fieldwork to explore the immediate local area of Pudsey, including processes of change. Children will locate the local area on aerial maps, describe and explore its distinctive features, use maps and field observations to capture key data from different points of view, and use that data to reflect and make presentations on historical changes. They will look at physical and human features and look at the changes over time.	During this unit children will learn what rainforests are and where they are in the world, describing the pattern based on their location. Children will look at the different layers of the rainforest with definitions, images and descriptions of the animals that live there. Learning about the features that make up a rainforest biome, children will investigate how important they are for food and medicine around the world. Children will look at the temperature and precipitation levels of each climate zone and complete their own data, looking in particular at the Amazon rainforest. They will define deforestation and explain how and why it is occurring and explain the impact of deforestation on rainforests. Children will also look in detail at the Amazon rainforest an explain its importance. They will also look at similarities and difference to life in rainforest to what is like in the UK. Furthermore, they will look at positive and negative effects of human action on bio diversity.
	Knowledge and/or Skills Covered	
	<u>Graphicacy skills</u> <u>Keys and Symbols:</u> Use complex keys to build knowledge eg making quantitative estimates based on size of symbol. <u>Draw maps / plans:</u> Draw a map or plan from a description. Create a scale-bar. <u>Use images</u> Compare the context & purpose (reliability) of different photographs.	<u>Graphicacy skills</u> <u>Keys and Symbols</u> Understand contour lines. <u>Read maps</u> Use the contents and index of an atlas Use oblique and aerial views. Start to use 6 figure grid references Use a scale to reasonably estimate distances (eg along roads/ waterways)

	Use digital technologies to alter photos/images.	Start to explain ideas using a thematic map for
		reference
	Fieldwork and practical skills	Digital maps
	Use a compass	Accurately measure distance, including non-linear
	Confidently use the eight points of a compass.	distances.
	Observe/measure	Annotate digital maps with markers, text, photographs,
	Evaluate own observations and compare them with	hyperlinks, etc.
	others'.	
	Record:	Academic skills
	Take quantitative and qualitative notes about	Ask questions
	observations.	Ask and answer geographically valid questions (eg
	Start to include continuous data. Make simple	about cause and effect, reliability, change and
	calculations while in the field.	difference).
	Academic skills	Discern relevance
	Ask questions	Note connections, contrasts and trends and use these
	Ask and answer geographically valid questions (eg	to order by relevance
	about cause and effect, reliability, change and	Recognise that geographical 'facts' can vary
	difference).	depending on the source, and begin to suggest
	,	reasons for this.
	Discern relevance	
	Note connections, contrasts and trends and use these	Present information:
	to order by relevance	Create age-related data tables, graphs and charts,
	Recognise that geographical 'facts' can vary	maps and plans, drawings and perspectives, posters,
	depending on the source, and begin to suggest	diagrams and digital presentations.
	reasons for this.	
	Present information:	
	Create age-related data tables, graphs and charts,	
	maps and plans, drawings and perspectives, posters,	
	diagrams and digital presentations.	
	National Curriculum Attainment Targets	
	Locational knowledge	Locational knowledge
	Name and locate cities of the United Kingdom,	- Locate South America on a map and study it's
	geographical regions and their identifying human and	environmental regions, key physical and human
	physical characteristics, and land use-patterns; and	characteristics, countries, and major cities.
	understand how some of the aspects have changed	-Identify the position and significance of latitude,
	over time.	longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern
		Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn,
		Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich
		Meridian and time zones (including day and night)
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	 Place knowledge-understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom. Geographical skills and fieldwork 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. 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 	 Place knowledge Compare a region in UK with a region within South America (Amazon rainforest) with significant similarities and differences. Human and physical geography describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts. Geographical skills and fieldwork Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied
	United Kingdom and the wider world	
Important Vocabulary		
	Pudsey, local area, features, future, change, settlement, fieldwork, migration	Climate, weather, latitude, longitude, Equator, hemisphere, axis, sphere, season, temperature, temperate, tropical, precipitation, Mediterranean, arid, biomes, vegetation belt, rainforest