



# Worstead CEVA Primary School – Long-Term Geography Plan (KS1 and KS2)



## Planning Structure

As we have mixed-age classes at Worstead, we operate a rolling program of units/topics in foundation subjects to ensure that all children cover all areas, regardless of their path through the school. Where units are revisited, this is intentional to embed learning, working as 'spaced retrieval' in line with our pedagogy.

The nature of the rolling programme depends on pupil numbers & class structures. At present, it's as follows:

**Robins class (EYFS)** – following the EYFS framework and 'understanding the world' every year. See EYFS planning for more detail.

**Swifts class (Key Stage 1 - yr 1 and 2)** – a two-year rolling programme, following a simple AB format. For Swifts class, year A was 2024/25, year B is 2025/26 and 2026/27 will be year A again.

**Hérons class (years 3 and 4)** – a two-year rolling programme, following a simple AB format. For Herons class, year A was 2024/25, year B is 2025/26 and 2026/27 will be year A again.

**Kestrels class (year 5 and 6)** – a two-year rolling programme, following a simple AB format. For Kestrels class, year A was 2024/25, year B is 2025/26 and 2026/27 will be year A again.

In line with our policy intentions on inclusion and support for all, where curriculum resources are primarily aimed at one year group, they will be adapted to suit the age and stage of the children in the class, regardless of their year group. In the event that our class structures change, this Long-Term Plan will be updated.

Substantive Concepts				
Location Knowledge		Place Knowledge	Human & Physical Geography	Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
		Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
<b>Swifts Class Yr 1/2</b>	<b>A</b>	Continents, Oceans, Countries of the UK	UK – Capital Cities & its Seas	Hot & Cold Places
	<b>B</b>	Physical & Human Features – definitions and examples	Comparison Study – London & Nairobi	Map skills & orienteering
<b>Hérons Class Yr 3/4</b>	<b>A</b>	Countries & Regions of the UK	Climate Zones, Biomes, Types of Settlement & Land Use	Latitude & Longitude
	<b>B</b>	Environmental Regions	Rivers The Water Cycle	Map skills & orienteering
<b>Kestrels Class Yr 5/6</b>	<b>A</b>	World countries – biomes & environmental regions	4 and 6 figure grid references	UK Study
	<b>B</b>	Earthquakes, mountains & volcanoes	Settlements, the economy & trade links	UK, Europe & N America comparison study Map skills & orienteering

Some topics cover more than one substantive concept. For example, work on rivers, earthquakes and environmental regions will also include place knowledge, while comparisons of different parts of the world will include human and physical geography as well as place knowledge.

To find more detail on the content of each topic, see the Geography Progression Map on our website, and the knowledge organisers for each topic which will be on class pages when the class is studying that topic.