***Learning and Growing with God by our Side***



**I am a Geographer - I am learning about different places, people and environments.**

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| **Geography**  **Progression of Skills**  **Year 2** | | Pupil | Teacher |
| **Geographical Enquiry** | **Geographical Enquiry**   * I can ask simple geographical questions, for example ‘Where is it?’ ‘What's it like?’ * I can use non-fiction books, stories, maps, pictures, photos and the internet as sources of information. * I can investigate my surroundings. * I can make appropriate observations about why things happen. * I can compare the features of different places. |  |  |
| L**ocation and direction** | **Direction and location**   * I can follow directions (Up, down, left/right, forwards/backwards). * I can describe direction using compass points – North South East and West. |  |  |
| **Using and Understanding Maps** | **Using Maps**   * I can follow a route on a map. * I can use plan view. * I can use an infant atlas to locate places. |  |  |
| **Scale and distance**   * I can spatially match places (e.g. recognise UK on a small scale and larger scale map). |  |  |
| **Map Knowledge**   * I can locate and name major features e.g. London, River Thames, home location and seas on a map of the UK. |  |  |
| **Stlye of Maps**   * I can locate land and sea on a globe. * I can use teacher drawn base maps. * I can use large scale OS maps and an infant atlas. |  |  |
| **Creating maps** | **Drawing Maps**   * I can draw maps of real or imaginary places (e.g. add detail to a sketch map from aerial photograph). |  |  |
| **Representation**   * I understand the need for a key on a map. * I can use class agreed symbols to make a simple key. |  |  |
| **Perspective**   * I can look down on objects to make a plan view map. |  |  |

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| **Vocabulary**  beach, capital city, city, cliff, coast, conservation, continent, country, customs, farm, forest, mountain, ocean, pollution, river, season, soil, tourism, town, traditions, United Kingdom, valley, vegetation, village, weather |

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| **London Today**  Big Question – Why is London an important city? | **The world and me – Asia (Hong Kong)**  Big Question – How is Hong Kong different to the place where I live? | **Oceans**  Big Question – Why do we need to protect our oceans? |