

# Geography Vocabulary Progression Year 1 – Year 6



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Locational & Place Knowledge	<p><b>The World and My School:</b> address, capital, city, continent, country, local area, settlement, town, village</p> <p><b>Our Local Park:</b> journey, local, route</p>	<p><b>My Local Area and Tulum, Mexico:</b> capital, city, continent, country, Earth, equator, landmark, location, town, village</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Tromso, Norway (alternative unit):</b> capital, city, continent, country, Earth, equator, landmark, locality, town, village</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Luxor, Egypt (alternative unit):</b> capital, city, continent, country, Earth, equator, hemisphere, landmark, local area, North Pole, South Pole, town, village</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> equator, North Pole, poles, South Pole,</p>	<p><b>The United Kingdom and my Region:</b> capital, city, continent, country, county, landmark, land use, locality, location, region</p> <p><b>Land use:</b> city, hamlet, land use, rural, semi-rural, settlement, site, suburb, suburban, town, urban, village</p>	<p><b>My Region and Campania:</b> Arctic Circle, capital, city, continent, country, county, equator, hemisphere, landmark, land use, latitude, longitude, poles, region, tropic of Cancer, tropic of Capricorn</p> <p><b>My Region and the South Aegean (alternative unit):</b> Arctic Circle, capital, city, continent, country, county, equator, hemisphere, landmark, land use, latitude, longitude, poles, region, tropic of Cancer, tropic of Capricorn</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> equator, North Pole, poles South Pole</p> <p><b>Locality:</b> aerial view, urban</p>	<p><b>My region and the Western United States:</b> Arctic Circle, capital, city, continent, conurbation, country, county, equator, global, hemisphere, landmark, land use, latitude, locality, location, longitude, megacity, metropolis, region, state, time zone, tropic of Cancer, tropic of Capricorn, village</p> <p><b>My region and the North Region of Brazil (alternative unit):</b> Arctic Circle, capital, city, continent, conurbation, country, county, equator, global, hemisphere, landmark, land use, latitude, locality, location, longitude, megacity, metropolis, region, time zone, tropic of Cancer, tropic of Capricorn, village</p> <p><b>Biomes and Ecosystems:</b> latitude, longitude,</p>	<p><b>Economic Activity of the UK:</b> rural, urban</p>

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Human and Physical Geography	<p><b>General:</b> human features, physical features</p> <p><b>The World and My School:</b> autumn, beach, cliff, coast, equator, factory, farm, forest, globe, harbour, hill, house, landmark, land use, mountains, North Pole, oceans, office, port, river, sea, seasons, shop, South Pole, spring, summer, temperate, temperature, valley, vegetation, winter</p> <p><b>Our School Grounds:</b> plant life</p> <p><b>Our Local Park:</b> facilities</p>	<p><b>My Local Area and Tulum, Mexico:</b> beach, characteristics, cliff, climate, coast, coral reef, cenote, human feature, landscape, mangrove, marsh, Maya, North Pole, physical feature, rainforest, South Pole, temperate, vegetation, weather</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Tromso, Norway (alternative unit):</b> aquarium, characteristics, climate, fjord, glacier, harbour, human feature, landscape, native, North Pole, physical feature, South Pole, subarctic, temperate, tradition, weather</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Luxor, Egypt (alternative unit):</b> ancient civilisation, arid, characteristics, cliff, climate, floodplain, human features, mosque, North Pole, ocean, physical features, port, river, river island, sea, season, South Pole, temperate, temple, Thebes, tomb, town, UNESCO world heritage site, valley</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> atmosphere, climate, climate zone, forecast, meteorologist, mild, precipitation, season, temperate, weather</p>	<p><b>The United Kingdom and my region:</b> characteristics, elevation, harbour, human processes, landscape, moorland, mountain range, ocean, physical processes, population, river, rock formations, rural, topography, trade, urban, valley</p> <p><b>Land use:</b> facilities, population, raw materials</p> <p><b>Conservation of bees:</b> biodegrade, conservation, conserve, domesticated, extinct, food chain, heathland, herbicides, insect, pollination, species</p>	<p><b>My Region and Campania:</b> agriculture, bay, characteristics, climate, climate zone, continental drift, earthquake, economic activity, environmental, epicentre, eruption, flank, focus, geographic features, human feature, landform, landmark, lava, magma, magnitude, natural area, peninsula, physical feature, plain, plate tectonics, population, province, Richter Scale, river, rural, scenery, seismic waves, seismometer, tectonic plates, terraces, terrain, topography, tourism, UNESCO world heritage site, urban, volcano, weather</p> <p><b>My Region and the South Aegean (alternative unit):</b> agriculture, archipelago, bay, caldera, characteristics, climate, climate zone, continental drift, earthquake, economic activity, environmental, epicentre, eruption, flank, focus, geographic features, human feature, island, islet, landform, landmark, lava, magma, magnitude, natural area, peninsula, physical feature, plain, plate tectonics, population, port, regional unit, Richter Scale, river, rural, scenery, seismic waves, seismometer, tectonic plates, terrain, thermal spring, topography, tourism, urban, volcano, weather</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> atmosphere, climate, climate zone, forecast, meteorologist, mild, precipitation, temperate, temperature, weather</p> <p><b>Locality:</b> amenity, commercial, industrial, land use, open space, recreational, residential, transport, visitor/tourist attraction</p>	<p><b>My region and the Western United States:</b> accumulation, biome, characteristic, climate, climate zone, condensation, desert, earthquake, economic activity, economy, environment, erosion, gross domestic product (GDP), industry, infiltrate, manufacturing, mineral, mining, mountain range, peak, physical processes, plateau, plate tectonics, population, population density, precipitation, quarrying, raw materials, real estate, river, run-off, rural, summit, tectonic plates, tectonics, temperate, topographical, trade, transpiration, urban, valley, vegetation, vegetation belt, volcano, water cycle, weather</p> <p><b>My region and the North Region of Brazil (alternative unit):</b> accumulation, biodiverse, biome, characteristic, climate, climate zone, condensation, desert, earthquake, ecologically diverse, economic activity, economy, environment, erosion, gross domestic product (GDP), industry, infiltrate, manufacturing, mineral, mining, mountain range, peak, physical processes, plateau, plate tectonics, population, population density, precipitation, quarrying, raw materials, river, run-off, rural, summit, tectonic plates, tectonics, temperate, topographical, trade, transpiration, urban, valley, vegetation, vegetation belt, water cycle, weather</p> <p><b>Biomes and Ecosystems:</b> biome, climate, ecosystem, habitat, species, vegetation, vegetation belt</p> <p><b>Rivers:</b> channel, confluence, course, delta, erosion, estuary, evaporation, floodplain, levee, lower course, meander, middle course, mouth, oxbow lake, river basin, river course, silt, source, spring, tributary, upper course, valley</p>	<p><b>Economic Activity of the UK:</b> agriculture, artificial intelligence, automation, capture, consumption, contaminate, desalination, disposal, drought, economic activity, economy, element, energy, environment, export, finite, fossil fuel, generate, greenhouse gases, gross domestic product (GDP), hydrologist, implemented, import, industrial land, industry, job, landfill, manufacture, metallic elements, mining, population, process, radioactive, rare earth elements, raw materials, recycle, reduce, refuse, renewable energy, replenish, reservoir, reuse, rural, sector, sewage, shortfall, source, sustainable, tax, topography, urban, virtual water, waste</p> <p><b>Reducing plastic waste:</b> biodegradable, carbon emissions, durability, extracted, fossil fuel, incinerate, microplastics, pelletise, raw materials, refinery, synthetic</p>

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Geographical Skills and Fieldwork	<p><b>General:</b> aerial plan, aerial view, cardinal points, compass, investigation, maps, observation, position</p> <p><b>The World and My School:</b> atlas, bird's eye view, globe, messy map, perspective, plan</p> <p><b>Our School Grounds:</b> collection methods, data, directions, fieldwork, investigation, map key, observation, record, sketch map, symbols, tally chart</p> <p><b>Our Local Park:</b> collection methods, data, directions, fieldwork, pictogram, record, symbols, tally chart</p>	<p><b>My Local Area and Tulum, Mexico:</b> aerial photograph, aerial view, atlas, compare, compass, contents page, index page, key, map, page numbers, symbol</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Tromso, Norway (alternative unit):</b> aerial photograph, aerial view, atlas, compare, compass, contents page, index page, key, map, page numbers, symbol</p> <p><b>My Local Area and Luxor, Egypt (alternative unit):</b> aerial photograph, aerial view, atlas, compare, compass, contents page, index page, key, map, observe, page numbers, scale, symbol</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> analyse, axes, bar chart, evaluate, fieldwork, investigate, monitor, observe, okta, pictogram, present, rain gauge, record, reflect, table, thermometer, weathervane.</p>	<p><b>The United Kingdom and my region:</b> aerial photographs, atlas, compass, compass rose, contour lines, eastings, key, map, northings, Ordnance Survey, pattern, scale, symbol</p> <p><b>Land use:</b> analyse, bar chart, evaluate</p> <p><b>Conservation of bees:</b> analyse, blueprint, cardinal directions, evaluate, line graph</p>	<p><b>My Region and Campania:</b> aerial photograph, atlas, fieldwork, observational skills, scale</p> <p><b>My Region and the South Aegean (alternative unit):</b> aerial photograph, atlas, fieldwork, observational skills, scale</p> <p><b>Weather and Climate:</b> analyse, anemometer, axes, bar chart, collaborate, evaluate, fieldwork, horizontal, investigate, key, line graph, monitor, observe, okta, record, reflect, pictogram, present, rain gauge, reflect, table, thermometer, vertical, weathervane</p> <p><b>Locality:</b> annotation, cardinal directions, compass, coordinates, grid code, grid references, key, map symbols, National Grid, Ordnance Survey, Ordnance Survey map, scale, sketch map</p>	<p><b>My region and the Western United States:</b> aerial photograph, atlas, fieldwork, map, pattern, scale, significance, symbol, variation</p> <p><b>My region and the North Region of Brazil (alternative unit):</b> aerial photograph, atlas, fieldwork, map, pattern, scale, significance, symbol, variation</p> <p><b>Biomes and Ecosystems:</b> analyse, classify, compass, data, eastings, fieldwork, grid references, identification, measuring, northings, observing, present, qualitative, quantitative, recording</p> <p><b>Rivers:</b> analyse, data, evaluate, numerical, observe, Ordnance Survey maps, present, quantitative</p>	<p><b>Economic Activity of the UK:</b> chart, controversial, efficient, hierarchy, interview</p> <p><b>Reducing plastic waste:</b> audit, database, formulate, graph, implement, innovative, survey</p>