Year 6 Long-term planning

By the end of each key stage, pupils are expected to know, apply and understand the matters, skills and processes specified in the relevant programme of study.

Pupils should extend their knowledge and understanding beyond the local area to include the United Kingdom and Europe, North and South America. This will include the location and characteristics of a range of the world's most significant human and physical features. They should develop their use of geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to enhance their locational and place knowledge.

National Curriculum in England, DfE

The 2014 National Curriculum for geography has refocused the core subject knowledge that children should acquire during each key stage in order to understand the world from a geographical perspective. However, no reference is made as to how to sequence the content, so as to ensure progression and delivery in a meaningful way; it does not specify or make any reference to the teaching and learning strategies to be employed (the pedagogy). This series of books has tried to create a flexible, adaptable and creative scheme of work for the whole school.

Year 6 units	Term	National Curriculum coverage
How do I find out about our local area? (A facilitated enquiry)	Autumn 1	Human and physical geography
		Locational knowledge
		Geographical skills and fieldwork
What a state! California	Autumn 2	Place knowledge
		Human and physical geography
		Geographical skills and fieldwork
How on Earth? Our world from the International Space Station	Spring 1	Locational knowledge
		Place knowledge
		Human and physical geography
		Geographical skills and fieldwork
How do we impact on our landscape?	Spring 2	Locational knowledge
		Place knowledge
		Human and physical geography
		Geographical skills and fieldwork
Our challenging world	Summer 1	Locational knowledge
		Human and physical geography
		Geographical skills and fieldwork
Croeso i Ariannin?	Summer 2	Locational knowledge
		Place knowledge
		Human and physical geography
		Geographical skills and fieldwork