



Curriculum Overview: Geography

Holding God's hand,
we grow in faith together,
we dream, believe, achieve.
Following the footsteps of Jesus,
we act with love,
we care for one another
and our world.

GEOGRAPHY CURRICULUM OVERVIEW		
Nursery and Reception		
We use the children's interests as our topics, rooted in familiarity, around the following themes: Me and My Family, Immediate Environment and Everything In It, Community and The Wider World, and Fantasy and Make Believe to teach the seven areas of learning.		
YEAR 1		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
What is it like here?	What is the weather like in the UK?	What is it like to live in Shanghai?
YEAR 2		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?	Why is our world wonderful?	What is it like to live by the coast?
YEAR 3		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
Why do people live near volcanoes?	Who lives in Antarctica?	Are all settlements the same?
YEAR 4		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
Why are rainforests important to us?	Where does our food come from?	What are rivers and how are they used?
YEAR 5		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
What is life like in the Alps?	Why do oceans matter?	Would you like to live in the desert?
YEAR 6		
AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
Why does population change?	Where does our energy come from?	Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?