



**Curriculum Overview: Geography**

**Intent -**  
 At Park Hall Infant Academy and Park Hall Junior Academy, we aim to instil pupils with a curiosity and fascination about the world and its people that will remain with them for the rest of their lives. We want children to expand their geographical vocabulary, increase their knowledge of the wider world, promote high aspirations and create a life-long love of the subject. Children will develop a good knowledge of countries in the world and are able to describe, locate and compare them. In understanding their local area, children can explain how it has changed, as well as environmental issues that can affect their futures. From trade and farming to natural disasters, our curriculum will provide children with an awareness of key human and physical geographical features in the world and how they can impact human lives. As a school, we make use of a range of resources to equip children with skills they will carry with them to secondary school and beyond. Children will learn how to navigate compass points, read maps and how to locate using an atlas. By the end of their time at Park Hall, children will have developed a rich enthusiasm for Geography and will be able to successfully demonstrate their understanding of our world.

<b>Implementation:</b>	<b>Autumn 1</b>	<b>Autumn 2</b>	<b>Spring 1</b>	<b>Spring 2</b>	<b>Summer 1</b>	<b>Summer 2</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	Weather and Climate		United Kingdom		Local Area	
<b>Year 2</b>	Continents and Oceans		Hot and Cold Places		<u>Mugumareno</u> Village, Zambia	
<b>Year 3</b>	Climate Zones		North America		Rio and South-East Brazil	
<b>Year 4</b>	Rivers		Rainforests		Mountains	
<b>Year 5</b>	Volcanoes and Earthquakes		Europe		South America	

<b>Year 6</b>	United Kingdom		Local Area and Region		Trade and Farming	
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**Intended Impact**

Children will be able to recall facts about multiple countries in the world, regardless of whether they have visited them or not. Children understand the changes in their local area overtime and how this has impacted modern Walsall. Children understand the importance of trade between countries and fair opportunities for all. Children show an awareness of environmental issues that affect the world. They understand how actions have consequences and can give examples on how to protect the world.