

Learning organiser for Year 5 Geography

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Locational knowledge	Place knowledge
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Study of North and South America. -Study of local area linking to WWII -Study of Greece. - Locate North and South America on a world map, digital world map and globe, concentrating on their environmental regions. -Locate Greece and surrounding countries on a map of Europe. -Identify and describe the key physical and human characteristic of Greece, North and South American and our local area. -Explain how North and South American has changed over time, linking to the Mayans. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Understand and compare geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the UK and a region in North or South America. <p style="background-color: yellow; margin: 5px 0;">Places to compare:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -UK/England and North and South America (areas where Mayans settled). - Our local area in WWII compared to other European locations in WWII. -UK/England and Greece.
Human and Physical Geography	Geographical skills and fieldwork
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Describe and understand key aspects of human Geography including the distribution of natural resources, including energy, food, minerals and water. -Describe and understand key aspects of human Geography including economic activity and trade links. (Mayans and WWII). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Understand and use a widening range of geographical terms related to topics. -Use observational skills to compare similarities and differences. -Select a map for a specific purpose. -Use an 8 point compass to identify features on a map. -Begin to use a 6 figure grid references to identify features on a map. -Recognise and use ordnance survey symbols on maps regularly. -Observe, measure and record human and physical features using a range of methods. -Sketch maps of local area.
Key vocabulary	Definition
North America	The Northern continent of the Western Hemisphere, extending northward from the Colombia-Panama border and including Central America, Mexico, the islands of the Caribbean Sea, the United States, Canada and Greenland.
South America	A continent in the Western Hemisphere, mostly in the Southern Hemisphere, with a relatively small portion in the Northern hemisphere. It is boarded on the West by the Pacific Ocean and on the North and East by the Atlantic Ocean, North America
Key questions	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Who are the Mayans? What are they famous for? Are they similar to other civilizations? Where did they settle? -How did the Mayans trade? -What countries played a part in WWII? -What were the physical and human features of our local area in WWII? Are they still there? -How does our area in WWII compare to other areas? -How does Greece today compare to the UK? -How has Greece changed from past to present? -How does Ancient Greece compare to other Ancient civilizations I have studied. (Egyptians). 	

	and the Caribbean sea lie to the North west.
Hemisphere	a half of the earth, usually as divided into northern and southern halves by the equator, or into western and eastern halves by an imaginary line passing through the poles
Mayans	The Maya peoples are an ethnolinguistic group of indigenous peoples of Mesoamerica.
Settlement	A place where people have come to live and have built homes.
civilization	The society, culture and way of life of a particular area.
Measure	Find out the size, amount or degree by using an instrument or device.
Record	Write down findings or research.
Trade links	The act of instance of buying and selling goods and services on the domestic markets or on the international markets.
Economic activity	This is a process that, based on inputs, leads to the manufacture of goods or the provision of a service.

Diagrams/Charts/Pictures



Key visits

- WWII walk around Worle.
- WWII walk around Weston-Super-Mare.
- The helicopter museum – check for WWII living history day.
- Weston Museum WWII