# **Curriculum Coherence - Year 4 Geography**

Term 2

Place Knowledge- comparing a region in the UK and Europe (WW2)

# **Prior Learning and Starting points:**

# **PUPILS will know**

The names and location of the countries in the UK

The names of many European countries

The names of some major cities in Europe

The names of counties within England

The difference between continent/country/county and city

That some countries and cities' names have changed over time

#### will be able to

Locate the countries that make up the UK on a map

Name European countries

Name the capital cities of some European countries and other major cities

Name some countries/cities from all continents

Use the 8 compass directions to find a location on a map

#### will understand

What a county is

INTENT

Which countries neighbor their own

Where Anglo-Saxons and Romans first invaded and settled

# KNOWLEDGE/NC Objectives

# Chn will be able to use key geographical language to compare a region in the UK and a region in a chosen European country.

Chn will be able to identify key geographical features (human and physical) of each place.
Chn will be able to compare and contrast each location; identifying similarities and differences.

# **IMPLEMENTATION**

**ACTIVITIES** 

# Locate two chosen places (UK/European country) on a map/atlas/globe.

Use coordinates and grid references to locate these places.

Complete case studies on each place; researching, making comparisons and identifying similarities and differences between human and physical aspects of the chosen places.

# **IMPACT**

# **OUTCOMES**

# **PUPILS will know**

Key similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the UK and a European country.

### will be able to

Maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries, cities and towns.

Describe features of the studied places. Make comparisons using key geographical

Make comparisons using key geographical language.

Use grid references, map symbols and keys to build knowledge of the places studied.

# will understand

Key aspects of human and physical geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.

## **VOCABULARY**

Human, physical, UK, Europe, compare, contrast, similarity, difference, beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather, city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbor, shop, leisure, business and population.

# **READING OPPORTUNITIES**





# **NEXT STEPS IN LEARNING:**

#### Key Stage 2:

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.

# Key Stage 3:

Pupils should consolidate and extend their knowledge of the world's major countries and their physical and human features. They should understand how geographical processes interact to create distinctive human and physical landscapes that change over time. In doing so, they should become aware of increasingly

		complex geographical systems in the world around them. They should develop greater competence in using geographical knowledge, approaches and concepts [such as models and theories] and geographical skills in analysing and interpreting different data sources. In this way pupils will continue to enrich their locational knowledge and spatial and environmental understanding
SKILLS  Use geographical language to compare and contrast two regions from the UK and a European		Key Questions: Can you make comparisons and identify similarities
country.		and differences between human and physical
Describe human and physical features, identifying similarities and differences.		aspects of the chosen places?
Use coordinates and grid references to locate two regions.		
Understand and use map symbols and keys.		
<u>LINKS</u>		
English – WW2		
History – WW2		
PE- Orienteering		
Computing – Presenting information		