

# Year 2 Summer Term Project Placemat - Explore Term - What does it mean to belong?

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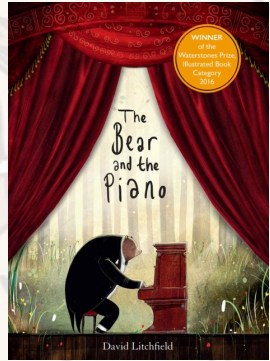
Through this term, we will be learning all about what it means to belong. We will be examining what makes us feel like part of a community and why it is important to feel belonging.

In Summer 1, we will be focussing on our local geography and the geography of the United Kingdom, exploring the countries that make up the UK and the uniqueness of each one.

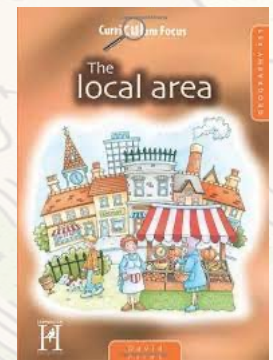
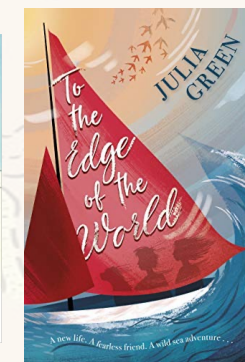
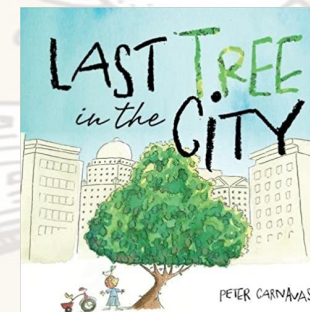
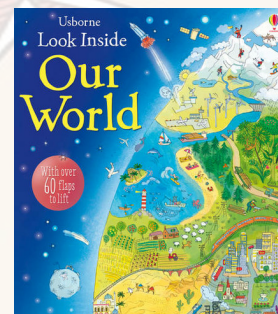
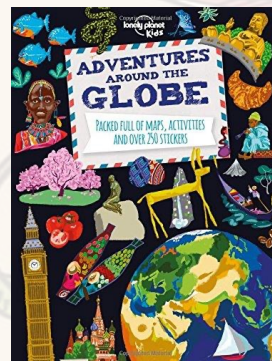
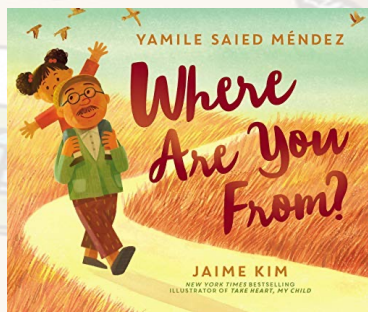
In Summer 2, we will be exploring a country outside of the UK and comparing and contrasting them with the geography our local area.



## Key Texts:



## Reading Recommendations:



**Possibilities: Geography is important as we need to understand the world around us. The skills learnt in geography are vital in jobs such as planning and development projects, cartographer, environmental work, social researcher and so on.**



Vocabulary	Definition
Geography	The study of the study of the physical features of the earth and its atmosphere, and of human activity and it's affects.
Continents	Children should know the seven continents of the world - Asia, Africa, Europe, North America, South America, Australia and Antarctica.
Ocean	Children should know the five oceans of the world - Arctic, Southern, Indian, Atlantic and Pacific.
United Kingdom	Children should know the countries and characteristics of those countries.
Direction	The way in which we are moving, using compass points.
Human geography	Aspects of geography that are influenced by humans.
Physical geography	Aspects of geography that are natural, that occur in nature.
Landmark	An object or feature of a town that is easily recognisable.
Symbol	This is a small picture that represents a place on a map.
Fieldwork	Work that takes place in the environment.
Observation	Observing an area over time, recording what is seen and the affects of it.
Pattern	Something that is similar or repeats, leading to us making generalisations from what we have learnt.

**Useful Links:**  
<https://www.pobble365.com/>  
 Different picture every day to stimulate creativity.  
<https://theimaginationtree.com/> Lovely ideas to have a go at home.  
<https://thekidshouldseethis.com/> Interesting tutorials for children.

**Oracy Statements: These sentence starters help us explain our reasoning.**

I think... I believe.... I know that is ...because .... This may have happened...

From this map, I can see... From the data, we can tell... This is similar/different because...