

What is our role in the world?

Key skills:

- Using Google maps to locate areas and oceans
- Use a compass to find North
- Use atlases and globes
- Study temperature data (thermometers).
- Use coordinates and grids to locate local features
- Collecting data from graphs and tally charts about the local area
- Observing how seasonal bulbs grow
- Completing a fair test

Key facts:

- Plants need water, light, space and nutrients to grow
- Plants have a life cycle.
- Capital cities of the UK are London, Edinburgh, Cardiff and Belfast.
- The world has 7 continents and 5 oceans.
- The 4 compass points are North, South, East and West.
- Know different types of maps: route map, ariel map and a key.

Core value questions:

- What are the 7 continents and 5 oceans?
- What are the capital cities of the UK?
- What are the four points on a compass?
- What does a plant need to grow?
- What is the life cycles of plants, animals and humans?

Significant people:



Greta
Thunberg



Alan
Titchmarsh



David
Attenborough



Miss Hill (In
our local
community)

Vocabulary	Definition
County	A large area of the United Kingdom is known as a county.
Village	A small community
Town	A town is a place where people have settled, and is larger than a village but smaller than a city
City	A place that has been given city status by the Monarch.
History	The existing written record of past events
Archaeologists	The scientific study of past human life using information gained from looking at artefacts, such as pottery, tools, buildings.
Local area	The place and it's surroundings where we live and come to school. Our local area is Mickleover,
Compass	An instrument for showing direction. A typical compass has a moving magnetic needle that points north.
Locate	To find the position or place of something or someone.
Aerial view	Looking at something from above.
Continent	Any of the world's continuous expanses of land (Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South American, Australis and Antarctica).
Earth	The third planet from the sun which is our home.
Temperature	The degree of heat.
Climate	The weather conditions in an area over a period of time.

Vocabulary	Definition
Sea	An area of water that covers the earth's surface.
Ocean	A very large expanse of water which is divided in seas geographically.
Equator	A line which divides the Northern and Southern hemisphere which is an equal distance from each pole.
Environment	The surroundings a person, animal or plant lives in.
Global warming	The gradual increase in the overall temperature of the Earth's atmosphere.
Past	Time which has already happened.
Present	A moment in time which is currently happening.
Difference	Something that is not the same.
Similarity	Something that is the same.