

Geography Medium Term Plan  
Year 2 Summer Term

## How different would my life be if I lived in Kenya?

Where is Kenya and what are its physical features? (recap hot and cold, continents)

What are the main differences between our climate and that of Kenya?

What would a day be like in a small African village?

Why do Kenyans have to worry more than us about drought?

How different would our life be if we lived in Africa?

### Substantive Knowledge

- Know Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe and Australia are continents
- Know Pacific, Atlantic, Arctic, Indian and Southern Ocean
- Know the main differences between the climate and features of a place in England and that of a small place in a non-European country.
- Know how human and physical features often depend on the climate of a place.

### Disciplinary Knowledge

#### Geographical Skills

- Talk about the main differences between a world map and a globe
- Contrast a place they know well with another they are not familiar with, using maps, photographs and videos to help make comparisons
- Appreciate that weather patterns are different in different parts of the world and understand how that impacts on the way of life of different people
- Study aerial photographs and use locational and directional language when doing so

#### Field work

- Make use of photographs to consider contrasting areas
- Study aerial photographs and use locational and directional language when doing so
- Use Google Earth to find features of a locality

| Resources and websites   | Vocabulary:<br>(including definitions) |  |
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| <a href="https://earth.google.com/web">https://earth.google.com/web</a><br><a href="https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/geography/countries/country-fact-file-kenya/">https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/geography/countries/country-fact-file-kenya/</a>   | African                                | People coming from a group of countries in a continent called Africa |
|  | drought                                | A long period without rain   |
|  | mud huts                               | Basic houses built from what is available in the area                |
|  | climate                                | Aspects of weather over a long time                                  |
|  | European                               | To belong to a group of countries                                    |
|  | Equator                                | An imaginary line around the earth, that is closest to the sun.      |
| <b>Prior Knowledge:</b>  |  |  |
| <p>A map /globe shows different places.<br/>           Know features of hot and cold places in the world<br/>           Know where the Equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe<br/>           Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK</p> |  |  |