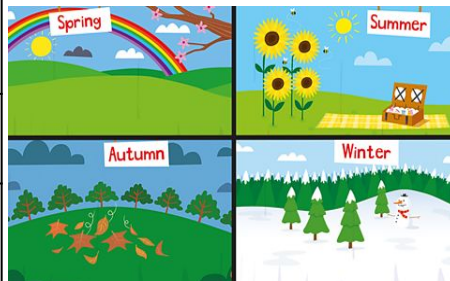
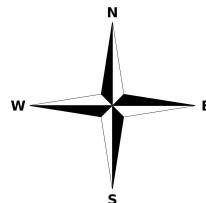
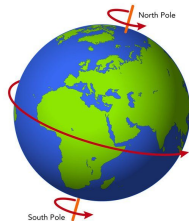


Key Question: Where am I in the World?

Where is the UK?

Geographical Vocabulary

continent	A large solid area of land. There are seven continents
weather	The way the air and atmosphere feels
seasons	For different times of the year with four different types of weather
atlas	A collection of maps
equator	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of the earth
north/south pole	At the northern and southern axis' of the earth
compass	A tool for finding direction
directions	The line or course of which something moves, lies or points



In this topic, **we are learning to:**

- Name and locate the world's seven continents
- identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the Equator and the North and South Pole
- Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries
- Use simple compass directions

Key Facts: The World

- The largest continent is Asia
- The smallest continent is Oceania/ Australia
- Africa has 54 countries- more than any other continent!
- The equator divides the earth into the northern hemisphere and the southern hemisphere
- The equator is just under 25,000 miles long
- Sunrise at the north pole happens once a year
- Mount Erebus is an active volcano found in the Antarctic. It ejects ice crystals

6 questions you will know the answers to...

How do I use a globe or an atlas to find a country?

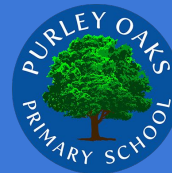
What is it like in a hot or cold place?

How many continents are there and what are they called?

What is the weather like today?

Where is the equator?

How do I use a compass?



Assessment Focus:

Enquiry/Skills

Use different resources, such as atlases, books and the internet to answer a range of questions.

Describe and answer questions about the weather.

Keep and discuss a weather chart.

Knowledge

Explain the main features of a hot and cold place.

Explain how the weather changes with each season.

Physical Geography

Explain why they would wear different clothes at different times of the year.

Explain and record something about the people who live in hot and cold places.

Explain what they might wear if they lived in a very hot or a very cold place.

Human Geography

Identify the four countries making up the United Kingdom.

Identify/point out where the Equator, North pole and South pole are on a globe or atlas.