

Supporting Geography Learning at Home

When children engage at home with what they have learnt in school, it helps them to consolidate their knowledge, share what they know with their family, but also further develop their interest and excitement about the world. There are lots of creative and engaging activities that can help children develop an understanding of geographical knowledge and skills at home - Below, you can find some web links with ideas for further geography-based activities.

Useful Links

Below are some links to support learning in Geography at home:

- Me on the map: A great picture book to share with Reception and KS1 children and follow up with activities: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v_gUK8U9dE0
- BBC KS1 Geography: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ks1-geography/zkdxbdm>
- BBC KS2 Geography: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ks2-geography/zj7p47h>
- Interactive games to help with locational knowledge: <https://world-geography-games.com/>
- National Geographic for kids. This magazine has a lot of information about every place in the world presented excitingly for interested children: <https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/category/discover/geography/>

Activities to enjoy at home

- Home activities such as weather diaries, local area walks, or identifying human and physical features
- Search for information about continents, countries, capitals, and flags for children to explore at home
- Carry out map-reading activities and simple atlas skills
- Watch recommended documentaries or age-appropriate books