



Geography Medium Term Planning
Year: 6

Term	Main Enquiry Question	Sub Questions / Key Knowledge	Subject Specific Vocabulary	Linked Visits in / Visits out
Autumn Term 2 	How do natural disasters impact the different economies?	How do natural disasters occur? How do MEDC'S/LEDC's recover from natural disasters? Know the names of the main tectonic plates. Know the layers of the earth. Know the four movements of tectonic plates. Know what geographical features the movements create. Know an example of how natural disasters affect local residents. Know what an MEDC is. Know what an LEDC is.	Economy, revenue, tsunami, greenhouse, tectonic. MEDC LEDC	
Spring Term 1 	Why should the rainforests matter to all of us?	Where are the rainforests located and what are their main features? Why are rainforests often in the news and what can we do to help? How important is the Amazon to the South American Rainforests? Know where many of the world's rainforests are situated. Know about the main features of a rainforest. Know and use the terms: emergent layer, canopy, understory and forest floor. Know about the endangered animals in the rainforests. Know about deforestation and the argument for and against deforestation. Know where the Amazon is located. Know about the people that live in the Amazon rainforest and about some of the unique plants there.	Emergent, tropics, biomes, deforestation, canopy	

Assessment will be based on a formative approach of children being able to answer the key questions using the knowledge acquired over the half term through a quiz-based approach.