Subject: Geography	Year group: Yea	ır 1	Topic: Australia	Initiation &
Prior knowledge required: Children know about similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials			Vocabulary:	activation
and living things. They talk about		activities:		
vary from one another. They ma	ake observations of anir	nals and plants and explain why some things occur, and talk		
about changes.				
Programme of Study		Implementation:	Impact –lesson	Evaluations and
			sequence:	assessments:
Pupils should develop knowledge about the world,		Geographical Enquiry		
the United Kingdom and their locality. They should		Can they say what they like about their locality?		
understand basic subject-specific vocabulary relating		Can they sort things they like and don't like?		
to human and physical geography and begin to use		Can they answer some questions using different resources,		
geographical skills, including first-hand observation,		such as books, the internet and atlases?		
to enhance their locational awareness.		Can they think of a few relevant questions to ask about a		
Pupils should be taught to:		locality?		
Locational knowledge		Can they answer questions about the weather?		
 name and locate the world's seven continents 		Can they keep a weather chart?		
and five oceans		GD - Can they answer questions using a weather chart?		
 name, locate and identify characteristics of 		Can they make plausible predictions about what the		
the four countries and capital cities of the		weather may be like later in the day or tomorrow?		
United Kingdom and its surrounding seas		Physical Geography		
Place knowledge		Can they tell someone their address?		
 understand geographical similarities and 		Can they explain the main features of a hot and cold place?		
differences through studying the human and		Can they describe a locality using words and pictures?		
physical geography of a small area of the		Can they explain how the weather changes with each		
United Kingdom, and of a small area in a		season?		
contrasting non-European country		Can they name key features associated with a town or		
Human and physical geography		village, e.g. 'church', 'farm', 'shop', 'house'?		
 identify seasonal and data 		GD - Can they name key features associated with a town or		
in the United Kingdom a		village, e.g. 'factory', 'detached house', 'semi-detached		
and cold areas of the w		house', 'terrace house'?		
Equator and the North a		Human Geography		
use basic geographical v		Can they begin to explain why they would wear different		
 key physical features, in 	-	clothes at different times of the year?		
coast, forest, hill, moun		Can they tell something about the people who live in hot		
soil, valley, vegetation,		and cold places?		
 key human features, inc 	-	Can they explain what they might wear if they lived in a		
village, factory, farm, ho	ouse, office, port,	very hot or a very cold place?		
harbour and shop		GD - Can they name different jobs that people living in		

Geographical skills and fieldwork	their area might do?	
 use world maps, atlases and globes to identify 	Geographical Knowledge	
the United Kingdom and its countries, as well	Can they identify the four countries making up the United	
as the countries, continents and oceans	Kingdom?	
studied at this key stage	Can they point out where the equator, north pole and	
• use simple compass directions (North, South,	south pole are on a globe or atlas?	
East and West) and locational and directional		
language [for example, near and far; left and		
right], to describe the location of features and		
routes on a map		
• use aerial photographs and plan perspectives		
to recognise landmarks and basic human and		
physical features; devise a simple map; and		
use and construct basic symbols in a key		
• use simple fieldwork and observational skills		
to study the geography of their school and its		
grounds and the key human and physical		
features of its surrounding environment.		