

# Geography

All children – regardless of gender, starting point or background – will have the opportunity to engage with a high-quality geography education. They will be equipped with the knowledge, skills and vocabulary to understand about diverse places, people, resources and natural and human environments. Together with a deep understanding of the earth's key physical and human processes, we will provide children with explanations of how the earth's features are shaped over time. We intend to inspire a sense of enjoyment and curiosity about geography.

## Key Vocabulary:

- Climate
- Culture
- Mediterranean
- Peninsula
- Borders

## European Study - Greece



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## New Knowledge:

- Greece is in Europe
- Greece is located in Southern Europe, between Albania and Turkey.
- It borders the Aegean Sea, Ionian Sea and the Mediterranean Sea.
- Albania, Bulgaria, Macedonia and Turkey all border Greece.
- The coastline of Greece is an impressive 13,676 km in length.
- Greece consists of a large mainland, two smaller peninsulas and a large number of islands. Some of the most well-known islands include Crete, Rhodes and Corfu.
- 80% of Greece is mountainous.
- The capital city of Greece is Athens
- Crete is the largest of the Greek islands
- The climate of Greece is primarily Mediterranean (mild winters and hot, dry summers)
- Mount Olympus is the tallest mountain in Greece
- The Global Pandemic impacted on the Greek economy, tourism and daily life.
- The Greek culture can be seen through festivals and food
- Maps became more and more accurate and factual in the 17th to 19th century with various countries (including Greece) adopting national mapping programs.



Social Change



Religious & Cultural Diversity