

Geography
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Class Cremyll
Where are we from?

We began our learning by looking at atlases to find out where we live.
We picked out names of places we had visited in our county.

"Atlases have so many places in them! I want to visit all of them!"



"Cornwall is so big!"



"We live in a very bumpy part of the country."



We used our local knowledge from last week to look at aerial photographs of famous landmarks around the world and picked out the photographs of Plymouth Hoe and our school. We then created a sketch map of our school and surrounding area and used a key.

"I can see my house on this photo! I might be in this photo!"

"Using colours for the key makes it easier to know what everything is!"

"Look closely and you can see interesting things!"



Next, we looked at simple street maps and practiced our compass directions by working with partners to direct them around the room and then find places on a map.



For our final lesson we looked at OS maps from around the UK. We looked at the keys to pick out features and shared what we found with the rest of the class. We then had to try and fold the maps back up. That was very tricky!

These maps are so big!

There are lots of things to look for on the key. Some are really hard to find because they're so small!

I don't think these maps are supposed to be folded by children. This feels like an adult job!



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FLE Y1/2

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Our Endpoint

Making a poster about habitats, linking to science, about continents, animals and their key features.

Forever Facts

The seven continents are Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australia, Europe, North America and South America.

The five oceans are the Arctic, Southern, Indian, Atlantic and Pacific Ocean.

Europe is the second smallest continent in size.

There are 50 countries in Europe.

Stonehenge and the Eiffel Tower are key landmarks in Europe.

Asia is the largest continent on Earth.

China and India are the countries where most people live.

We live in Cornwall.

Our local area is known as the same Peninsula.

Exciting Books



Personal development

Spiritual – learning about and appreciating the world around us.
Social – speaking in groups/ team work/ presenting information.

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Continent	A connected or continuous tract of land
Ocean	A big sea
Equator	A line that separates the world into the Northern and Southern Hemisphere
Land	An area of ground.
Sea	A large area of salt water near the land.
Sphere	A 3D circle
Globe	The Earth.
Climate	The weather in an area over a long-period

Skills:

To be able to use a map/atlas/ globe to identify places
To identify key features on aerial photographs
To listen and recall information

What I have learnt before.

Enjoy books about places
Treasure maps
Simple maps