



Transition to Charlton School



Year 6 Transition pack

Subject: Geography

Geography is all about exploring the world we live in. In Year 7 you will learn about your local area, the continent of Asia, the Coast, and the UK. It's all very exciting and we can't wait to meet you!

Transition activities

Map your local area: Draw a map of your local area. This could be your street, your town or even your route to a special place. Remember, all maps need a key, a title, and some map symbols. You could also include a scale, a north arrow and contour lines. Find out more about maps in the useful website section below.

Get outside: Try to take a photo or draw something linked to one of these geographical themes (water, risk, weather, habitats, community, pollution, energy, development).

All about Asia: Choose a country in Asia to research. Create a poster or leaflet all about your country. Try to include information on physical geography (rivers, mountains, environments, weather, risks) and human geography (main cities, tourist sites, population information, crime statistics, any other interesting facts).

Reading lists

What is climate change? Find out here: www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/geography/general-geography/what-is-climate-change/

What is it like to be an explorer? Find out here: www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/geography/general-geography/dare-to-explore-with-paul-rose/

Want to read more? The **Horrible Geography** series are great!

Useful websites

Map skills are very important in Geography. You can learn more about map skills and play some map games here: www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/mapzone/

Explore Geography topics and take part in quizzes here: www.natgeokids.com/uk/category/discover/geography/

Games can help you learn too. Have fun and learn lots here: <https://world-geography-games.com>

Films/documentaries/videos to watch

BBC iPlayer: Planet Earth, Seven Worlds One Planet, Race across the world

Netflix: Lion, Planet Earth 2, Blue Planet 2, Absurd Planet, Chasing Monsters

Career links with this subject

Geographers go into all different careers! From Law, Teaching and Banking, to Environmental Conservation, Hazard Management and many more!

Find out more by visiting <https://www.startprofile.com/> and search for these jobs!