

MOVE TO LEARN GLOBAL SCHOOL

GRADE KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM - GEOGRAPHY

MAP SKILLS

Unit 1 – What is a Map?

Concept A map is used to show places and locations.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Colours and Colour words; Letter formation; Shapes

Unit 2 – Looking at a Map

Concept Maps provide information about the location of places or things.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Positional words; Letter formation; Shapes

Unit 3 – Describing Places on a Map

Concept Maps provide information about the location of places or things.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Positional words

Unit 4 – Directions on a Map

Concept Directions help you understand locations on a map.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Cardinal directions; Letter formation

Unit 5 – Map Symbols

Concept Map symbols help you identify locations on a map.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Colours; Letter formation; Seeing part of a whole

LOOKING AT THE WORLD

Unit 6 – What is a Globe?

Concept A globe is a model of earth.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Letter formation; Colours and colour words; Apply geography concepts

Unit 7 – Continents and Oceans

Concept Earth has large areas of land called continents and large bodies of water called oceans.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Colours and colour words; Letter formation

LANDFORMS AND BODIES OF WATER

Unit 8 – Hills, Mountains and Valleys

Concept Landforms have different shapes and are located in different places on Earth.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Positional words; Counting

Unit 9 – Oceans, Lakes and Rivers

Concept Bodies of water have different shapes and are located in different places on Earth.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Letter formation

Unit 10 – Finding Landforms and Bodies of Water on a Map

Concept Map symbols identify where landforms and bodies of water are on a map.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination

WEATHER IN OUR WORLD

Unit 11 – Different Places, Different Weather

Concept Different weather occurs in different locations around the world.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Demonstrate understanding of geography concepts; Inference; Counting

Unit 12 – It's Always Cold Here

Concept Certain places on earth are always cold.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Inference; Letter formation; Shapes; Seeing part of a whole

Unit 13 – It's Hot Here!

Concept Certain places on Earth are always hot.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Recall information; Patterns; Counting; Letter formation

Unit 14 – Four Seasons

Concept Earth has seasons that affect the weather.

Skills Fine motor skills; Visual discrimination; Inference; Letter formation; Seeing parts of a whole; Shapes