

Year 1/2 Geography Knowledge Organiser: The Seven Continents



Subject Specific Skills

Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans

Prior Learning

- Name, locate and identify four countries which form the UK
- Know the capital cities of the UK and its surrounding seas

Key Vocabulary

Climate - the long-term weather conditions of an area.

<u>Compass points</u> - people use a compass to help them position and use a map accurately.

<u>Continent</u> - a very large area of land made up of lots of countries including islands.

<u>Equator</u> - an imaginary line which runs around the centre of the globe at an equal distance between the North and South Poles.

<u>Human features</u> - features of our world that have been made by humans.

<u>Landmark</u> - a feature of a landscape or place that is easily recognised, either a human feature or a physical feature.

Landscape - the appearance of a large area of land.

North Pole - the point on the surface of the Earth that is furthest north. northern

<u>Hemisphere</u> - one half of the Earth, north of the equator.

<u>Ocean</u> - a large area of salt water. physical features - features of our world that are natural.

<u>Population</u> - the total number of people who live in an area.

South Pole - the point on the surface of the Earth that is furthest south.

Southern Hemisphere - one half of the Earth, south of the equator.

Key Knowledge:



