



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our Lady Star of the Sea Geography Statement

Intent:-

The intent of our geography curriculum at Our Lady Star of the Sea is to develop children's curiosity and fascination about the world we live in. We aim to provide an inclusive and differentiated programme of study where children can develop geographical concepts, knowledge and skills enabling them to foster a love for geography. Our teaching equips pupils with knowledge about places and people; resources in the environment; physical and human processes; formation and use of landscapes. We also want children to develop geographical skills: collecting and analysing data; using maps, globes, aerial photographs and digital mapping to name and identify countries, continents and oceans. We want children to not only enjoy geography through experiences in the classroom but through educational visits and workshops.

Implementation: -

We ensure high levels of teaching and learning take place by using a clear long term plan that offers progression and meets the objectives from the National Curriculum. Progression in geography will be assessed using age –related expectations, work produced in lessons and children's contributions to discussions. At our Lady Star of the Sea each class teaches 1 geography topic per term.

Impact:-

The impact and measure of this is to ensure that children at Our Lady Star of the Sea are equipped with geographical skills and knowledge that will enable them to be ready for the curriculum at Key Stage 3 and for life as an adult in the wider world.