



# Year 2 – Spring Term

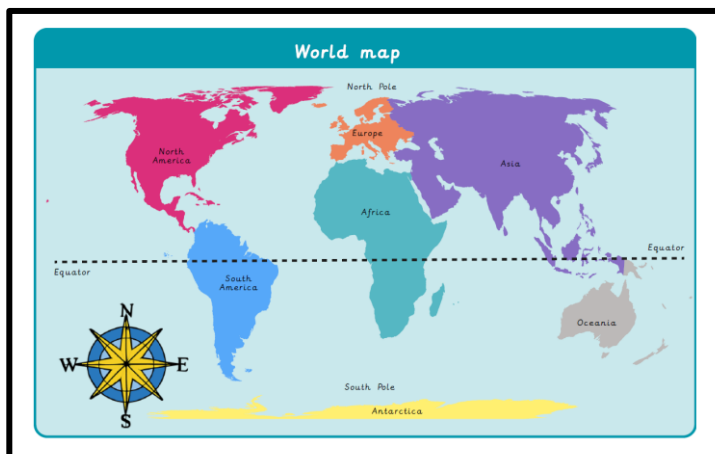
## Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?

### I should already know

- Names of the four countries in the UK.
- Seasonal changes.
- The four compass points.
- How to describe a location and features.
- Where capital cities of the UK are.

### By the end of the unit I will know

- How to locate and name continents using a map.
- Identify where the North and South poles are on a world map.
- Locate the Equator on a world map.
- Describe similarities and differences between the UK and Kenya.
- How to recognise features of a location.



Kenya

<b>arid</b>	Little or no rain.
<b>climate</b>	Long term weather conditions in a specific region.
<b>compass</b>	An instrument with a pointer showing the direction of magnetic north.
<b>continent</b>	A large land mass.
<b>country</b>	A land or nation with its own government.
<b>desert</b>	Arid area of land.
<b>Equator</b>	An imaginary line around the middle of the Earth halfway between the North and South Poles.
<b>globe</b>	A spherical object representing the Earth.
<b>grasslands</b>	Large open areas of grasses.
<b>human feature</b>	A large feature that was built by people i.e. bridge or road.
<b>ice sheet</b>	A layer of ice covering land for a long period of time.
<b>land</b>	The earth's surface not covered by water.
<b>locate</b>	Discover the position of something.
<b>map</b>	A picture of a place drawn from above.
<b>ocean</b>	A large expanse of salt water.
<b>pack ice</b>	A mass of ice floating in the sea.
<b>Polar</b>	A region with cool summers and very cold winters.
<b>physical feature</b>	A landform that occurs naturally on Earth.
<b>rain gauge</b>	Device which collects and measures rainfall.
<b>rainforest</b>	A dense forest in temperate and tropical areas.
<b>rural</b>	Open land with few homes and buildings.
<b>savannah</b>	Grassland with small or dispersed trees.
<b>sea</b>	A large body of salt water.
<b>tropical</b>	A region that is warm.
<b>urban</b>	A region surrounding a city.
<b>vegetation</b>	All the plants that grow in a certain area.

