

Marlborough Primary Academy School GEOGRAPHY Key Vocabulary

It is crucial that children have explicit and robust instruction in vocabulary, **to support their verbal and written communication**. At Marlborough Primary Academy, we know that a good understanding of a wide range of vocabulary supports success across the whole curriculum. Therefore, children are regularly taught new vocabulary in all areas of the curriculum.

We know that vocabulary is developed in two ways:

- 1) Through indirect instruction; using rich reading experiences to grow vocabulary 'naturally'. Paying attention to context to work out meaning and using background knowledge.
- 2) Through direct 'robust' instruction. Good vocabulary instruction involves...
 - a. Decisions about which words to teach
 - b. Decisions about how to teach these words

Vocabulary learning at Marlborough is taught in a fun and active way across the curriculum. Each unit of learning within each subject has key vocabulary identified and taught.

Having key subject specific vocabulary gives our children cultural capital to be able to engage with the wider world as they move through life.

	Willows Class			Maple Class			Sycamore Class			Beech Class		
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
2023-2024	environment, place, quiet, busy, calm, noisy, similar, same, different, old, new, past, present, home, technology, programme, move, direction, map, atlas, globe, symbol, key, ocean, continent, forwards, backwards, route	UK, equator, the poles, Ecuador, continents, oceans, weather, imaginary line, North, South, swamps, deserts, jungle, mountains, frozen, wet and dry season, temperature, physical features, human features, the Amazon, coast, cliffs, beaches, vegetation,	World map, continents, countries, United Kingdom, Europe, capital city, Asia, China, Australia, flag, settled, Kenya, Africa, wildlife, USA, North America, South America, states, Brazil, South America, Antarctica,	farms, arable, crops, food, grains, fruit, vegetables, animals, livestock, dairy, buildings, features, map, navigate, North, South, East, West, compass, direction, symbol, key, Spring, Summer, Autumn, Winter, planting, growing, harvest,	continents, European Union, land mass, countries, Asia, Australia, Antarctica, North America, South America, Europe, features, flag, language, currency, government, capital cities, human, physical features,	continent, country, land mass, Europe, Asia, Australia, Antarctica, South America, Europe, locate, map, world, atlas, internet, Google maps, mountains, rivers, hot, cold, temperate, climate zones, tropical, desert, major cities, similarities, differences.	jobs, money, survival, employment, finance, education, health care, agriculture, sectors, armed, forces, emergency services, arts, manufacturing and engineering, media and publishing, construction, retail, transport, industry, business, organisation, companies, trading,	continent, countries, Caribbean islands, territories, Atlantic Ocean, investigate, compare, similarities, differences, climates, climate zones, temperature, precipitation, Panama Canal, Pacific Ocean, glacier, rivers, waterfalls, desert, Death Valley, Hoover Dam, structures, man-made, time zones, rotates, axis, equator,	, economic activity, import, export, trade, finance, goods, trade, industry, settlement, land use, commercial buildings, residential buildings, open space, village, city, metropolis, functions, weather patterns, temperature, maximum, minimum, river flow, topographic map, grid references, x and y axis,	'United Kingdom, Scotland, Northern Ireland, Wales, England, features, population, life expectancy, millions, continent, North Sea, North Atlantic Ocean, capital city, London, flag, counties, coastline, town, city, urban, hills, mountains, distinct summit, steeper, tectonic plates, fold mountains, dome mountains, magma, crust, volcanoes, lava,		

			forests, lakes, volcano, dormant, active, capital city, cities, floodplain, valley, buildings, markets, spring, summer, autumn, winter, blubber, cold-blooded, Artic, Antarctic, Tundra, aerial photo, landmark, photograph, map,					employees, employer, climate, equator, artic circle, Antarctic circle, produce, unemployment, retiring, redundancy, allowance, child labour.	Greenwich Meridian,	mountain, hill, upland areas,	extinct, topographical map, ocean, sea, beach, cliffs, erosion, stream, channel, river, tributaries, meanders, carves, landscape, mouth, delta, soil, estuary, channel,	
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							pastoral, infographic.,	similarities, differences.	core, faults, Richter scale, tsunamis, volcano, magma, lava, active, dormant, extinct,	
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