

**What I have already learned:**

During the Autumn Term we learnt about our **European Neighbours**. We located Europe and identified some of the countries, cities and physical features. We learnt about flags. We compared the human and physical geography of different countries and cities. This will help us as we look at countries and cities across the world.

**GEOGRAPHY SPRING TERM****Countries of the World**

We will identify and learn some facts about each continent in the world. We will learn about the difference between countries and continents.

We will locate and learn some facts about some of the major countries around the world.

We will find out about human and physical features of some countries and look at what is similar and what is different.

**What I will be learning next:**

In the Summer Term we will be learning about **The Rainforest**.

We will use our locational knowledge to describe where the Rainforest is in the world. We will find out about the climate and physical geography. We will look at biomes and what lives there.

We will find out about how humans impact on the Rainforest.

| <b>Continents</b>    | <b>Countries</b>              |
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| <b>Europe</b>        | <b>England, Germany</b>       |
| <b>Asia</b>          | <b>China, India</b>           |
| <b>Africa</b>        | <b>Kenya, South Africa</b>    |
| <b>North America</b> | <b>USA, Canada</b>            |
| <b>South America</b> | <b>Brazil, Argentina</b>      |
| <b>Oceania</b>       | <b>Australia, New Zealand</b> |

**Vocabulary**

**Continent** – expanse of land

**Country** – nation with own its own government.

**Hemisphere** – half the earth.

**City** – large town.

**Capital City** – where the government is based.

**Climate** – the pattern of weather in an area

**Human Geography** – human activity affecting or affected by the earth.

**Physical Geography** – natural features.

**Mountain** -large steep hill.

**River** – natural stream of water flowing into the sea, lake or another river.

**Ocean** – large expanse of sea.

