

# Emscote Infant School Knowledge Organiser Year 1 Geography



## Summer Term Animals Around the World Geographical Skills and Fieldwork

### Key Vocabulary

- **Continent / Continents** – the big land areas of the world (Africa, Asia, Europe, North America, South America, Antarctica, Australia).
  - **World Map** – the picture showing all countries and continents.
  - **Equator** – imaginary line around the middle of the Earth that helps explain hot/cold places.
  - **Temperature** – *hot, cold* (linked to distance from the equator).
  - **Ocean / Sea** – large bodies of salt water around continents.
  - **Animal** – a living creature that eats, breathes and moves.
  - **Habitat** – the place where an animal lives (e.g., ocean, forest, desert).
  - **Native / Indigenous** – animals that naturally live in a place.
  - **Wild animal vs Pet / Livestock** – animals in nature vs animals living with people.
  - **National animals** – animals that represent a country (e.g., lion for UK *symbolically*).
  - **Season / Seasons** – spring, summer, autumn, winter.
  - **Migration** – when animals move to a new place for food or weather.
- Hibernation** – when animals sleep through winter.
- **Locate / Identify** – finding a place on a map.
  - **Describe** – talking about how something looks or what it does.
  - **Compare** – noticing similarities and differences (e.g., hot vs cold places).



Oceans and Seas



Continents

- Animals live in **different places** around the world.
- Different places have **different weather** (hot / cold).
- Animals are **suited to where they live**.
- We can find animals on a **world map**.

- The world has **7 continents**
- Animals live on **different continents**
- Hot places are near the **equator**
- Cold places are near the **North and South Poles**

- I can **name some continents**
- I can **name animals from different continents**
- I can **find hot and cold places on a map**
- I can **say where an animal lives**

Continent	Animal
Africa	Lion
Asia	Tiger
Australia	Kangaroo
Antarctica	Penguin
North America	Bear
South America	Sloth
Europe	Fox

