

Kenya
Place Knowledge

Lanivet Primary School
Geography Knowledge Organiser

Year 2



PRIOR LEARNING

Prior learning to reactivate:

- Knowledge of the names of different physical and human geographical features
- Africa is a continent and its location, oceans surrounding Africa
- Location of country can affect temperature—equator

GEOGRAPHICAL SKILLS AND FIELDWORK

- Mapping—using atlases to locate and draw a map of Africa and locate Kenya
- Observation s—using aerial photos to draw maps of parks/games and recognise key landmarks, and use and construct basic symbols in a key
- Digital Mapping—use of Google Earth to identify national parks and game reserves and features
- Fieldwork—to understand our local features whilst comparing them to features of the Maasai life

KEY LEARNING

- Cornwall and Kenya both have tourism, schools, housing and traditions.
- Kenya is located in Africa and Cornwall is located in Europe.
- There are a range of habitats in Kenya and Cornwall
- The big five in Kenya are elephant, black & white rhino, lion, leopard and a buffalo, these animals attract tourists.
- Kenyan life and Cornish life have similarities and differences.
- Cornwall and Kenya rely on tourism.
- Kenya is surrounded by the countries Uganda, Tanzania, Ethiopia and Somalia.
- Nairobi is the capital city of Kenya.
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AREAS OF GEOGRAPHY

- Place Knowledge—compare the differences and similarities of the human and physical geographical features of Cornwall with a contrasting non-EU country—Kenya and the habitats it provides for animals.

KEY VOCABULARY

- Endangered—A species of animal or plant that is at risk of becoming extinct (no longer existing)
- Game reserve—A protected area of land where humans are allowed to live and carry out some different activities
- Habitat—The natural home of a plant or animal
- Migration—When animals move from one area to another, often to find food, water or shelter
- National park—A protected area of land where only tourism and research is allowed. No humans live there.
- Rural—Areas away from towns or cities, also known as the countryside.
- Savannah—Tropical grasslands with shrubs and trees but not much rainfall
- Tourists—People who travel for fun.

FAVOURITE FACT

