LENT TERM 1 GEOGRAPHY – Year 5 - Medium Term Planning – BIOMES			
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Child:

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 Mediterranean, polar, temperate and tropical.

Teacher:

- A **climate zone** is an area that has its own distinct climate.
- Climate is influenced by lots of different things, including: how near or far a place is from the Equator; how near or far it is from the sea; how high or low the ground is; its position on a continent
- Mountains have variable climates depending on altitude.
- Norway has a temperate and a polar climate.

Child:

 A biome is a large ecological area on the Earth's surface, such as desert, forest, grassland, tundra and aquatic.

Teacher:

- Biomes are often defined by a range of factors, such as temperature, climate, relief, geology, soils and vegetation.
- Biomes are areas of our planet with similar climates, landscapes, animals and plants.
- What lives in each biome depends on: how warm or cold it is; how dry or wet it is; how fertile the soil is
- The animals in a biome depend upon plants for food.
- The plants in a biome often also depend upon the animals for spreading pollen and seeds so that new plants can grow.
- Both plants and animals rely on each other to stay alive.
- Mainland Norway has a tundra and a forest biome.

Child:

- Changes to the weather and climate (temperature, weather patterns and precipitation) can affect land use.
- Farmers living in different countries adapt their farming practices to suit their local climate and landscape.

Teacher:

- The region of Earth's surface that is closest to the **Equator** is called the tropics.
- Two imaginary lines that circle the globe mark the boundaries of the tropics.
- The line called the Tropic of Cancer marks the northern edge. Its latitude (distance from the Equator) is 23°27′ N.
- The line called the Tropic of Capricorn marks the southern edge. Its latitude is 23°27′ S.
- Norway has a boreal vegetation belt and can cope with the different climates.

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<u>LESSON 4</u>	<u>LESSON 5</u>	<u>LESSON 6</u>	
Environmental, Human and Physical Geographical skills and fieldwork	Environmental, Human and Physical	Environmental, Human and Physical	
LEARNING INTENTION: To know that agricultural land can be used for different purposes. Skills: Identify human and physical characteristics, including hills, mountains, rivers, key topographical features and land-use patterns. (compare UK to Norway) Aims: Communicate geographical information in a variety of ways, including through maps, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at length.	LEARNING INTENTION: To know that the soil and climate of a biome lends itself to growing specific crops. Skills: Understand and explain some of the reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries. (compare UK to Norway) Aims: Develop contextual knowledge of the location of globally significant places and their defining physical characteristics.	LEARNING INTENTION: To know that one biome does not cater for all needs. Skills: Describe key aspects and compare human geography in the UK and an area in a European country (compare UK to Norway) - types of settlement, land use - economic activity (including trade links), food and water. Aims: Communicate geographical information in a variety of ways, including through maps, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at length.	
Key Vocabulary: Farming, agriculture, livestock, arable, pastoral, mixed, crops, harvest, wheat, peas, habitat	Key Vocabulary: Climate, crops, citrus, soils, fertility, drainage, vegetation belt, wheat, barley.	Key Vocabulary: Food miles, consumer, producer, seasonal, economy, trade distribution, import, export	
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Key Knowledge:

Child:

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Teacher:

- A wide variety of crops are farmed in the UK, such as wheat, barley, oats, potatoes, other vegetables, fruits and oilseed rape.
- A wide variety of livestock are reared on farms in the UK, such as sheep, dairy cattle, beef cattle, poultry and pigs.
- The total landscapes of Norway are dominated by mountains, forests, open heathlands and grasslands. Only about 3% of the land surface is suited for cultivation or arable farming.
- In Norway, there are cattle, sheep, pigs, poultry, deer, llamas, goats, rabbits, ducks, geese and turkeys.

Key Knowledge:

Child:

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Teacher:

- The soil and climate of California make it ideal for growing citrus fruits.
- In the UK, the main crops that are grown are wheat, barley, oats, potatoes, sugar beets, fruits and vegetables.
- In Norway, while the area under wheat and mixed grains has dropped sharply since 1949, that for rye, oats, and barley has more than doubled.
- The greater part of these crops is used to supplement potatoes and hay in the feeding of livestock.

Key Knowledge:

Child:

Food needs to be imported and exported so that consumers can have a variety of food throughout the year.

Teacher:

- The journey that food travels from producer to consumer is measured in food miles.
- Crops are grown and harvested naturally at different times of the year.
- The short growing season is one of the limiting factors for agriculture in Northern Norway today. It limits the variety of possible crops.
- Although the country is more than selfsufficient in animal products, it remains dependent on imports for cereal crops.

Assessment

Cumulative Quiz. Retrieval practice.