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| **Alderley Edge Community Primary School** | | |
| **TOPIC: What is island like like?** | **Strand: Place Knowledge / Human and Physical Geography** | **Year 2** |

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| **What I should already know** |
| * There are seven continents, including Asia and Europe, and five oceans. * The village I live in is called Alderley Edge. * Alderley Edge is in England, which is in the UK. The UK is in the continent of Europe. * The coast is where the sea meets land * Weather is short term and climate is long term * Weather and climate influence human and physical activity |

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| **What will I know at the end of the topic?** |
| * What an island is * The United Kingdom is in Europe and is an i**sland** * The British Isles is a made up of lots of islands * Greenland is the world’s largest island * The **human** and **physical features** of islands –Orkney and Cape Verde islands * There are similarities and differences between islands * The **climate** and **weather** of different islands influences the type of **vegetation** and animals * The weather and climate influences type if human activity including **farming, tourism** and **leisure** |

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| **Vocabulary** | |
| city | a large **town**. London is a **city**. |
| climate | weather that is typical of a place |
| coast | Where land meets the sea |
| continent | a very large area of land that consists of many **countries**. Europe is a **continent**. |
| country | an area of land that is controlled by its own government. |
| farming | Using the land to grow crops and animals |
| human features | features of land that have been impacted by human activity |
| island | land with water all around with no other border up to a certain size |
| landscape | everything you can see when you look across an area of land, including hills, rivers, buildings, trees, and plants. |
| physical features | natural features of land |
| rainfall | the amount of rain that falls in a time period |
| seasons | main periods of the year that can have their own weather conditions |
| temperature | a measure of how hot or cold something is |
| tourist | a person who is visiting a place for pleasure and interest, especially when they are on holiday. |
| town | a large group of houses, shops and buildings where people live and work. **Towns** are larger than **villages** but smaller than **cities**. Sudbury is a **town**. |
| vegetation | plants, trees and flowers |
| weather | Short term changes in temperature and rainfall |

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| **Physical Geographical Features of Islands** |
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| **Human Geographical Features of Islands** |
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| **Geographical Skills and Fieldwork** |
| * Use aerial photographs to compare Orkney and Cape Verde islands . What is the same? What is different? * Use an atlas to locate different islands. Can you give instructions on how to use an atlas? |