

Term 1

Introduction to Geography & Map Skills

TYPES OF GEOGRAPHY

HUMAN GEOGRAPHY The impact of people on the Earth

PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY The natural world without people

ENVIRONMENTAL GEOGRAPHY Human interaction with nature

WHAT IS GEOGRAPHY?

Geography is the study of earth's landscapes, people, places and environments.

It is quite simply, the study of the world we live in.

Geography is part of everyday life, you use it everyday without even realising

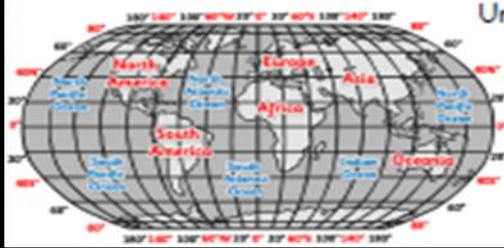
COMPASS POINTS



Continents, Oceans and key lines of latitude



LONGITUDE AND LATITUDE



Unlike grid lines where we go along the corridor and the stairs, here we go UP and ACROSS

LATITUDE

Flat lines. Flat-itudel

LONGITUDE

Long lines – up and down

Latitude is always written before longitude.

Latitude – line go around the Earth. The line of latitude that divides the northern and southern hemisphere is known as the **Equator**.

Longitude – Lines go over the globe. The line which divides the earth into eastern and western hemispheres is the **Prime Meridian**.