# YEAR 3 – Term 3 Planning – The British Isles (Geography)

# Cross Curricular: Writing to persuade:

Pupils to write a persuasive leaflet to visit the Chiltern Hills,

#### NC Objectives:

- To spell majority of the Year 3/4 common exception words and tier words correctly.
- To use paragraphs to organise ideas.
- To use headings and subheadings.
- To write in the simple present tense.
- To use a range of punctuation.
- > To use rhetorical questions.
- To use main and subordinate clauses.

- Cross Curricular: Maths
- NC Objectives:
- Ask-and-answer questions about totalling and comparing categorical data

#### Geography NC Objectives:

- To use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.
- To use maps and atlases to identify the key physical and human characteristics, countries and major cities e.g. rivers, mountains
- To understand and use a widening range of geographical terms e.g. specific topic vocabulary.
- To understand geographical similarities and differences of regions in the United Kingdom (different areas defined by their environmental conditions, such as climate, landforms, etc)
- To describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, rivers, mountains and hills.

#### Cross Curricular: Reading:

Non-fiction: Range of texts linked to British Isles and maps. Fiction: Clifftoppers – The Thorn Island Adventure by Fleur Hitchcock.

#### NC Objectives:

- To maintain a positive attitude to reading by understanding what I have read and identifying the theme in a story.
- > To retrieve and record information.
- > To read with expression.
- To find meanings of unfamiliar words.
- To tell someone the main ideas in a paragraph.
- To say how a text is organised to help understand it using paragraphs, headings, subheadings and inverted commas to show speech.

#### Cross Curricular: SMSC

#### NC Objectives:

- Acknowledge that others have different points of view
- Describe some of the values in society and demonstrate respect and tolerance towards people regardless of where they are from
- Express my views confidently, when communicating with my peers and adults
- An ability to distinguish right from wrong, based on a knowledge of the moral codes.

## Cross Curricular: Computing Links

Research facts using safe search engines. Presenting information.

## NC Objectives:

- To use simple search technologies.
- Use simple search technologies and recognise that some sources are more reliable than others.