Term: Spring 1 Year Group 4

Learning Challenge Question: What makes the world angry?

WOW – Create a structure that could survive an earthquake

Weeks 1 and 2: Could you survive an Earthquake? What can I remember, What do I want to find out?

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I can locate important positons on the Earth.

earthquake

GEOGRAPHY LI: I know what an Earthquake is.

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I know how Earthquakes are measured.

Weeks 3 and 4: What is magma?

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I know what a volcano is.

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I can explain a famous volcano eruption.

30.11.23 - Orienteering activity -

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I can complete fieldwork in my local area.

GEOGRAPHY LI: I can use 4 figure grid references.

GEOGRAPHY LI: I can explain the risk and benefits of living near a volcano.

Week 5a: What is the soil like in school?

**GEOGRAPHY LI:** I can complete fieldwork in my local area.

SCIENCE LI: I recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter

Week 5b: What have I learned?

GEOGRAPHY LI: I can reflect on what I have learned.

English Text: Earth Shattering Events: The science behind natural disasters

**<u>RE</u>** – Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?

MFL – Classroom objects

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### Locational knowledge:

- know the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn.
- know the location of the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America.
- know their environmental regions, key physical characteristics, countries, and major cities.

### **Human and physical geography:**

understand physical geography, including climate zones, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.

#### LKS2

# Geographical skills and fieldwork

- I can use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries.
- I can build my knowledge of the UK and the wider world using maps.
- I can use the four points of a compass.
- I can use four-figure grid references.
- I can use symbols and key.
- I can observe, measure and record in different ways human and physical features in my local area.
- I can present what I have found from my fieldwork.

# Vocabulary

#### LKS2

Equator, hemisphere, volcano, earthquake, water cycle, condensation, evaporation, 4 figure grid reference, North, East, South, West

**Homework**: Look at different types of natural disaster/historical events.