LEARNING JOURNEY <u>GEOGRAPHY</u>



Around the World

Year 9 Spring Term

You are going to develop your knowledge and understanding of places in Asia, specifically China and Russia. You will study the main physical and human characteristics of these countries and regions, including climate, landscape, population and culture and then consider not only how these features are interlinked but also how and why they are changing and what impact this is having. You will also study the different individual relationships between these places and other countries around the world. You will draw on prior knowledge and skills from the 'Map Skills', 'Fantastic Places' and 'Hot Desert' topics in Year 7 and also from the recent topic on 'Development in Uganda'. You will also get the opportunity to further develop your geographical skills through interpreting maps and graphs, whilst also focusing on the difference between describing and explaining.



TU DOR HABITS AND VALUES: You will demonstrate tolerance, respect, kindness and empathy as you continue to develop your skills as a global citizen by learning about different lifestyles and issues in countries and regions around the world. You will also demonstrate selfregulation when sharing ideas as a class.

VOCABULARY: overpopulation, superpowers, communism, Tundra, energy secure, population policy,