

Year R Explorers



Key facts:

- I go to school in Farlington, which is in Portsmouth.
- I live in Portsmouth, which is in England.
- London is the capital city of England.
- Beijing is the capital city of China.
- England and China are just two of the countries on planet Earth (there are lots more!)
- Earth is a planet within our solar system.

Key Concepts and Skills:

- I can talk about my local area.
- I can understand and talk about what I can see on a simple map.
- I can talk about members of my family and community.
- I can recognise similarities and differences between our country and other countries.

Key Vocabulary:

Environment, area, Farlington, Drayton, Portsmouth, London, England, Beijing, China, community, similarity, difference, capital city, town, city, county, world, earth, planet, solar system, now and then, history, past, present, future, Queen, King, Royal Family, map.



Quality Texts to Inspire Us:

The Great Explorer by Chris Judge

First Book of London by Charlotte Guillain

Martha Maps It Out by Leigh Hodgkinson

The Way Back Home by Oliver Jeffers

Nelson the Dog's Portsmouth Adventures by Mrs Tobin

Maisy Goes to London by Lucy Cousins

Brown Bear Goes To London by Jane Foster

Whatever Next! Jill Murphy

Aliens Love underpants by Claire Freedman & Ben Cort