

KS1 Medium-Term Plan – Contrasting Locality: Mugurameno, a Zambian village



This six-week medium-term plan provides you with a framework for progression, including: learning objectives, suggested Oddizzi resources, and clear links to the National Curriculum to help with your topic planning. More online and offline resources are available on the Contrasting Locality Topic Planning pages.

Direct links to online content, films, quizzes and downloadable activities can be found in Teachers → Topic Planning → Contrasting Locality

Learning Objectives	Resources within Oddizzi	Curriculum Links
<p>Explore Zambia’s physical and human features and locate it.</p>	<p>Film: Play Zambia Bingo! KS1 Activities: 1. Zambia Bingo Words 2. Bingo Sheet 3. Zambia Fact Finding Mission Guided Reading: Africa’s Physical Features (Year 2) Online Page: Sneak a Peek Quiz: Africa Online Map: Interactive OddPod map</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a contrasting non-European country - use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop - use world maps, atlases and globes to identify countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage
<p>Locate the village of Mugurameno and share what I would like to learn about it.</p>	<p>Guided Reading: Zambia (Year 2) Film: Introduction to Mugurameno village Online Pages: 1. Mugurameno village 2. Village location 3. Village photo gallery Online Map: Interactive OddPod map</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area in a contrasting non-European country - use world maps, atlases and globes to identify countries studied at this key stage
<p>Compare how the people of Mugurameno use the River Zambezi with the ways in which we use rivers near us.</p>	<p>Film: Living near a river Online Page: Living near a river KS1 Activity: Living Near a River</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area in a contrasting non-European country
<p>Find out about food in Mugurameno and how it is prepared. Extended writing opportunity: Instructions - Write a recipe for making Nshima.</p>	<p>Online Page: Food Films: 1. Watch Nshima being made 2. Make your own Nshima! KS1 Activities: 1. Recipe 2. Nshima Recipe</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area in a contrasting non-European country
<p>Explain how the people of Mugurameno protect themselves and their homes from wild animals – and how they make use of animals in their everyday lives.</p>	<p>Film: What animals live in and near Mugurameno? Online Page: Living with animals → Animals photo gallery Guided Reading: 1. African Animals 1 (Year 1) 2. African Animals 2 (Year 1)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area in a contrasting non-European country
<p>Use photographs and information texts to help imagine what daily life in Mugurameno might be like. Extended writing opportunity: Diary entry - a day in the life of a child living in Mugurameno village.</p>	<p>Online Pages: 1. Living near a river 2. Living with animals 3. Food 4. Homes 5. Daily chores 6. Playing 7. School 8. Shopping 9. Recycling Films: 1. Explore the houses in the village 2. What daily chores do children need to do? 3. Find out more about the two schools in the village 4. Go shopping in the village Word Mat: Mugurameno Village KS1 Activity: Diary Entry</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area in a contrasting non-European country