



What a Wonderful World



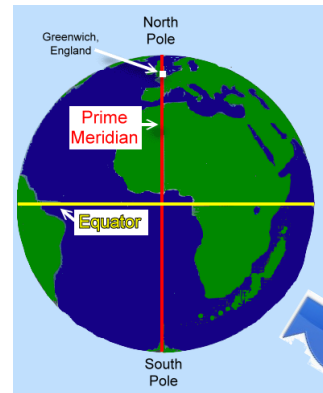
Countries that sit along/ are near the equator are the hottest countries. This is because the sunlight hits the earth most directly at the equator.



What have we already learnt?

Children will build on knowledge from Year 3 to be able to locate countries in specific parts of the world. They learn this so that they can link this to real life

Vocabulary	Definition
Arctic circle	The Arctic Circle is one of the two polar circles
Latitude	Lines of latitude (also called parallels) circle Earth parallel to the Equator
Longitude	Lines of longitude run between the North Pole and the South Pole
Tropics	The region between the tropics of Cancer and Capricorn.
Tropic of Capricorn	Imaginary latitude line located below the equator.
Tropic of Cancer	Imaginary latitude line located above the equator.



The prime meridian splits the earth into West and East.

The equator is the imaginary line dividing the earth into North and South.

