Theme read:	Year 5 (spring): Enquiry Question	Resources
Rooftoppers – Katherine Rundell	Is Oxford the greatest city in Europe?	Atlas, maps, laptops for research
The Northern Lights – Phillip Pullman	(compare with 'twinned' cities)	Twinned cities -
Clockwork – Phillip Pullman	Key driver: Enthusiasm Key skills: I can compare and contrast human and	https://www.oxford.gov.uk/info/20139/oxford_intern ational_links
The Silver Sword – Ian Seraillier	physical geographical features in different places in the world with the UK	There is lots of info on why and how we have twinned cities. Would be good as a mini research project.
The cities book : a journey through 86 of the world's greatest cities - Livi Gosling and Tom Woolley Hardback (published September 2016)	Year Enquiry: How do we make the most of where we live? Topics: Case study: UK vs Europe:	
Learning about Europe – Roberta Baxter	Could you do a one-off lesson on the Chernobyl	
Europe (The Seven Continents) - Joana Costa Knufinke	disaster and how it affected different countries?	
Key Vocabulary:		Pupil Pledge
Europe, continent, country, capital city, Latitude, Arctic Circle, physical features, Human geography, land use, residential, industrial, business, retail, leisure		Presentation

Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4	POP Quiz
UK vs Europe: Countries,	UK vs Europe: Compare	UK vs Europe: Compare climates	UK vs Europe: Compare	Countries/Cities/contine
continents and cities. (some	Landscapes		places/cities	nts quiz to be written by
map work here)		WALT: identify similarities		teacher.
	WALT: compare features of	between the climate of a place in	WALT: compare features of	
WALT: identify the countries of	European landscapes with my	Europe and where I live.	different cities in the UK and	Label on a map all the
Europe	own area		Europe.	countries/cities/contine
		Outcome: I can tell you about the		nts that have been
Outcome: To use maps, atlases,	Outcome: To understand	climate of an area of Europe.		looked at and discussed
globes and digital/computer	geographical similarities and	I can identify differences between	Outcome: To use maps, atlases,	in the first 4 lesson.
mapping to locate countries	differences through the study of	the climate of a place in Europe	globes and digital/computer	
and describe features studied	human and physical geography of	and where I live.	mapping to locate countries and	
in the context of European	a region of the United Kingdom		describe features studied in the	
countries.			context of European countries.	

	and a region in a European country		To compare the human geography of European regions with that of my own area.	
Lesson 6	Lesson 7	Lesson 8	Lesson 9	Celebration
UK vs Europe: Where would	Could you do a one-off lesson on	Why does Oxford have twinned	Mini research project on	Present projects to
you rather live?	the Chernobyl disaster and how	cities? What do they mean?	twinned cities. Pick one and	another year group
	it affected different countries?		compare to Oxford	
WALT: use knowledge learned		WALT: understand the meaning		
about the UK and Europe.	WALT: explain how nuclear power	of 'Twinned cities'.	WALT: compare a 'twinned' city	
	is used to generate electricity.		to Oxford.	
Outcome: Evaluate everything		Outcome: To understand the		
learned some far to create a	Outcome: Why the Chernobyl	meaning of 'twinned' and why		
debate/discussion/piece of	nuclear disaster	and which cities are linked to	Outcome: To know where in the	
work explaining where you	Happened. Identify the countries	Oxford. This could be done	world different cities are, why	
would rather live and why	affected by the Chernobyl nuclear	through group research – see	Oxford is linked to them, to	
	disaster. Explain some of the	suggested web links for info.	discuss if they have any	
	after-effects of the Chernobyl		importance to oxford itself,	
	nuclear disaster.		does it benefit oxford? Does it offer inclusion?	

Content: What will we learn?	Coherence: How does this link	Creativity: How will we show	Compassion: What	Community: What links are
What are the core concepts?	to previous learning?	we understand in multiple	opportunities are there to	there to local resources?
 Extend knowledge and 	KS1 units	ways?	teach compassion?	
understanding beyond		 use maps, atlases, 	Comparing	Comparing
the local area to		globes and	lifestyles/climates/locat	lifestyles/climates/locat
include the United		digital/computer	ion	ion
Kingdom and Europe,		mapping to locate		
North and South		countries and describe		
America. This will		features studied		
include the location		 use fieldwork to 		
and characteristics of a		observe, measure,		
range of the world's		record and present the		
most significant human		human and physical		
and physical features.		features in the local		
They should develop		area using a range of		

their use of geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to enhance their locational and place knowledge.	methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.	