Year 7 Learning Journal

		Geography
7	MASTERY	 □ I can make links between the geography of the UK and wider world. □ I use these links to analyse the physical and human characteristics of places, using a wide range of locations. □ I can recognise and evaluate how environments are changed over time. □ I can explain how human actions may have unintended consequences, which might lead to conflict. □ I can carry out an effective investigation, select information, sources of evidence, and identify potential bias. I present my findings accurately, referencing sources and reaching valid conclusions.
	SECURE	 I can analyse human and physical characteristics of places in a range of locations, contexts and scales. I can explain geographical patterns. I can recognise how conflicting demands on the environment arise. I can compare and evaluate sustainable and other approaches to managing environments. Using information that I have researched independently, I am able to present my conclusions in a suitable way, using visual and written information.
	DEVELOP	 □ I can confidently identify physical and human characteristics in a range of locations. □ I can describe similarities and differences in a range of biomes. □ I can show an awareness of sustainable development and recognise the range of views people have about environmental protection. □ I can select information from sources of evidence and use these in my writing, discussion and debates to support opinion.
	EMERGING	 I can describe physical and human characteristics of places. I can identify and geographical patterns. I can show an awareness of sustainable development by describing local and global issues. I can select information from given sources carefully to help form opinions about different locations.

Geography Progression	Target	Stage
Autumn		
Spring		
Summer		