

Geography

Year 6 Knowledge Organiser- Spring 1

What is Central America like which the Windrush generation left behind?

<i>Kingston</i>	Capital City of Jamaica
<i>Dunn's River Falls</i>	A (tourist attraction) waterfall that can be walked up
<i>Limestone plateau</i>	A windswept landscape of natural stone
<i>Tropical climate</i>	Defined by a monthly average temperature of 18°C
<i>Blue Mountain Peak</i>	The highest point on the island of Jamaica
<i>Caribbean Sea</i>	The Sea that surrounds the Caribbean islands
<i>Topography</i>	Arrangement of natural and artificial physical features
<i>Climate</i>	Weather conditions over a long period of time

Question	Essential Knowledge
What are the countries that make up Central America?	Mexico, Caribbean, Belize, Costa Rica, Honduras, Panama, El Salvador, Guatemala, Nicaragua
What makes Jamaica geographically unique?	Half of the island is 330 metres above sea-level Dunn's River Falls The island is two-thirds covered by a limestone plateau
What is the climate like in Jamaica compared to Britain?	Jamaica has a tropical climate. It is warm and sunny throughout the year with approximately three days of rain per year.
What do Britain and Jamaica trade?	Metals, sugar, bananas, coffee, some alcohol products and tobacco.



Bridging back



Year 5- North
America

Golden thread		Definition
Settlement		A community in which people live.
Invasion		The taking over of a place with force.
Ruler		A leader who commands.
Diversity		A variety of people from different ethnicities or backgrounds.
Landscape		The features of an area of land.
Trade		Buying and selling goods and services.
Travel		To go from one place to another.

Bridging forward



Year 7