



**Learning Module:**  
 South America  
 ‘What is life like in Brazil?’

**Pupil outcomes as a result of this module**

<b>Knowledge</b>	<b>National curriculum References</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Locate the continent of South America</li> <li>• Identify the countries and capital cities in South America</li> <li>• Locate major rivers and mountain ranges in South America</li> <li>• Describe the environmental regions and key physical and human characteristics of South America</li> <li>• Describe the position of South America in relation to latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night)</li> <li>• Describe the human geography of South America, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water</li> </ul>	2A 2B 2B  2C  2E
<p><b>Skills</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied</li> </ul>	2F
<p><b>Understanding</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of South America</li> <li>• Investigate and compare climates in South America</li> </ul>	2D  2E