

Knowledge organiser – Mugurameno Village, Zambia

What will we be learning?

- Locating Zambia on a map.
- Exploring physical and human features.
- Locating the village of Mugurameno.
- Finding out how the river is used in the village.
- Looking at the villagers' houses.
- Comparing our life with that of the villagers.

Key facts

- Zambia is a country in southern Africa.
- Zambia has a tropical climate, so it's warm for most of the year. There is a dry season and a wet season.
- There are many national parks in Zambia where the government protects the land and its special wildlife.
- Mugurameno is a village in rural Zambia.

Key knowledge

- Mugurameno village is located right next to the River Zambezi and close to the Lower Zambezi National Park.
- People in Mugurameno use the river for many things: washing, fishing and watering crops. One of the main crops is maize, which is used for making nshima (a sort of porridge).
- People often build their own homes out of bricks made from local clay soil.
- While life is busy for the children of Mugurameno, they go to school and find time to play.



Place names	Geographical terms and processes	Locational terms
Africa Lusaka River Zambezi Southern Africa Victoria Falls Zambia	crop farm flood market waterfall wildlife	eastern northern southern western

Glossary

crops: *plants that are grown to be used or sold (such as rice, corn or fruit)*

population: *the number of people living in a place*

wildlife: *the wild animals and plants in an area*

