Geometry – Position and Direction – National Curriculum 2014

Foundation Stage	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Children use everyday language to talk about position,	Describe position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three-quarter turns.	Use mathematical vocabulary to describe position, direction and movement, including movement in a straight line and distinguishing between rotation as a turn and in terms of right angles for quarter, half and three-quarter turns (clockwise and anticlockwise).		Describe positions on a 2- D grid as coordinates in the first quadrant		Describe positions on the full coordinate grid (all four quadrants)
				Describe movements between positions as translations of a given unit to the left/right and up/down	Identify, describe and represent the position of a shape following a reflection or translation, using the appropriate language, and know that the shape has not changed.	Draw and translate simple shapes on the coordinate plane, and reflect them in the axes.
They recognise, create and describe patterns.		Order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns and sequences			changeu.	
				Plot specified points and draw sides to complete a given polygon.		