

Geography- Field work Unit 6


Useful web links







<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/geography-ks1--ks2-maps/zdwhpg8>

I already know:

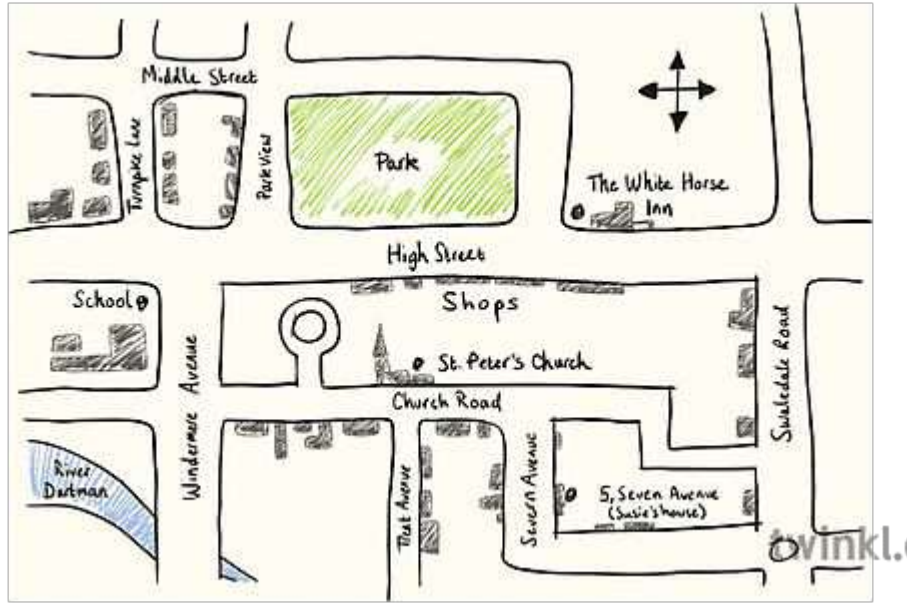
- To explore features of the school grounds using a grid map
- To follow a route on a map (local area walk)
- To use standard symbols and understand the importance of a key (revise from Y2)

Key Vocabulary	
atlas	A collection of maps often of each country in the world.
compass	A tool used for showing direction.
digital map	A map that uses technology such as a satnav.
easting	The numbers used in a grid reference that run west to east.
grid references	The numbered squares on a map used to locate a place.
National Grid	A system used to split Great Britain into 100km squares.
northing	The numbers used in a grid reference that run south to north.
Ordnance Survey maps	Detailed maps of Great Britain where each square represents 1km squared (1km ²).
symbols	Small pictures, letters or lines that represent a feature.

Compass Points	
Four-Point Compass	Eight-Point Compass
N - north E - east S - south W - west	 north (N) north-east (NE) east (E) south-east (SE) south (S) south-west (SW) west (W) north-west (NW)

Symbols					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maps use symbols instead of words to label real-life features. A key on the map tells you what the symbol means. 					
	Nature Reserve		Cycle Trail		Footpath
	Motorway		Train Station		Place of Worship

Sketch Map



A roughly drawn map that shows only basic details.

Historical maps of Milton Keynes - look how much it has grown!

