

KS1 Knowledge Organiser: Geography – Our School

Key Vocabulary	
local area	The area around where you live.
map	A drawing of an area shown from above.
address	The place where someone lives or a business is found.
observe	To watch/look at something carefully.
passport	A travel document needed to travel to other countries overseas.
distance	How far away something is.
aerial view (bird's eye view)	What somewhere would look like from above, looking down.
fieldwork	Working outside to collect information.
route	How you get to somewhere.

An address needs to be written in a certain way so it gets to the right place.

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Aerial Photograph

A photograph taken from above looking down.



Aerial Plan

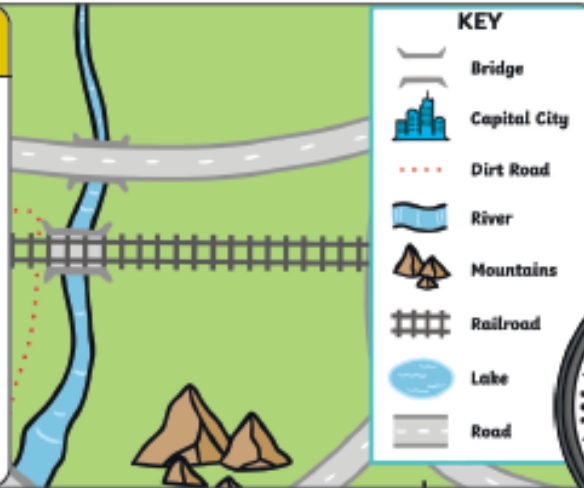
A drawing of what a place looks like from above.



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Maps

- A view from above a place
- Sometimes have a key with symbols
- Show the **distance** between places
- Sometimes have a compass
- Can use colour



Compass

A compass can be used to help you find your way. It shows four directions - north, east, south and west. It is useful to people who are, for example, navigating ships and aircraft, explorers, builders, etc.



Symbols show what different things or places can be found in an area.

Types of Map

World Map	Map of UK	Street Map	Transport Map	Theme Park Map
