



Builds on and leads to...

Enquiry/skills

- Following simple directions in Year 1
- How we use maps to find locations and landmarks
- How we use maps to find our way
- Study of physical geography through mapwork i.e. mountains and rivers

- Use simple directions including compass directions to describe features on a map as well as a route
- Observe the school and its grounds and identify the key features
- Use aerial maps and photos to identify local landmarks and basic human and physical features of West Byfleet
- Devise own map to plan a route around the village
- To use geographical vocabulary to describe the local environment

What will I know by the end of the unit?

Vocabulary

- Understand what is meant by an aerial view
- Create an aerial plan of a room
- Know that maps are used to find where we are
- Know how to use a map of the school to locate key features
- Know how to use a map to locate landmarks and features of West Byfleet
- Know how to use a map to plan a route
- Name some key symbols that are found on a local map
- Know how to devise and use a key on a map

map	A picture of an area of the earth drawn or printed to scale on a flat surface.
physical feature	Natural objects such as mountains and rivers.
human feature	Things that are built by humans such as bridges and roads.
village	A small town or community, often in the country.
town	An area with streets, houses, and buildings that is larger than a village but usually smaller than a city.
city	A large important town where many people live and work
country	A large area of land with a capital city.
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county	A section into which some countries are divided
landmark	an object or feature of a landscape or town that is easily seen and recognized from a distance,
symbol	An object or picture that represents something
represent	Something that stands for something
canal	Man-made water way
buildings	A large structure built for people to live or do things in
compass	An instrument that shows direction
directions	Information on which way to go
accurate	Without fault, correct

Assessment Task:
Sam is lost in West Byfleet. Explain to him what he can do and how he can use a map to help him find his way back to the school.

Diagrams / Maps / Images

