

Key Words	
local area	The place around where you live and go to school.
map	A picture that shows us where places are.
aerial map	A map that shows us what places look like from above.
symbol	When something is close to us.
key	When something is not close to us.
route	The way we go to get somewhere.
journey	Going from somewhere to somewhere else.
flat	One of a group of homes in the same building.
houseboat	A home on a boat.
detached	A single house not attached to other houses.
semi-detached	A house attached to one other house.
terraced	A house attached to other houses on both sides.
caravan	A home which can be moved from one place to another.
cottage	A small house in the countryside.
bungalow	A house all on one level.

Maps

This is a map of a park. We can use it to help us see where things are in the park.

The key shows us what the different pictures mean. We call the pictures symbols.

This is a map →

This is the key

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Local Area

You have a local area around your home and around your school. There can be many different places in your local area.

In your local area there can be houses, shops, parks, a hospital, a library, a swimming pool, schools and other places too.

What is in your local area? Is there anything special in your local area?



Going on a Journey

When you go somewhere, you go on a journey. You can go on a journey to school, a journey to the park, a journey to see your friend or to the shop. You can go on other journeys too.

The way you go is called the route. You will see different things on your route. You might see a park, some houses or a postbox. There are other things you might see too.

Have you been on a journey? What do you see on your route to school?

Aerial Map

This is an aerial map and it shows us where things are. Aerial maps show us what it looks like from above. It's what it would look like if we were a bird looking down from the sky.