Year 2: Autumn 2 Map Skills and Fieldwork





Vocabulary

Landmark

Aerial view

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Symbol

Key

Human features

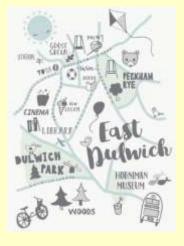
Physical features

United Kingdom



Map symbols





What I already know:

Year

- the names of the four countries of the United Kingdom
- where the four countries of the United Kingdom are
- the names of the capital cities of the United Kingdom
- the names of the seas around the United Kingdom

What I will learn now:

Year 2

- how to use aerial photographs to recognise landmarks
- how to use aerial photographs to recognise human and physical features
- how to create simple maps
- how to use symbols in a key

Key facts

- In real life the earth is round, but maps and atlases show it as flat (globes are round)
- Aerial views show an area from above, looking down
- Different areas on a map are often shown in different colours
- Maps have symbols, which are drawings that stand for something real

What I will learn next:

Year 3

- how to use maps and atlases to identify human and physical features of the local area
- to use maps and atlases to investigate how the local area has changed
- to compare and contrast a locality in South America

Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key

Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

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