

Year 1 Geography Autumn: How do I get to Orchard Meadow?

To begin our enquiry of “What is my place in world?” we will focus on the geography of our school and the local area and develop the **confidence** to read and follow simple maps, follow directions and use a compass.

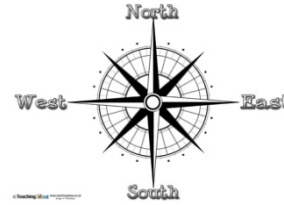
Key skill: I can use fieldwork skills to observe, measure and record human and physical features in the local area.

We will be able to:

- Identify and discuss key geographical features of our school and the immediate local area.
- Know and use the four points of the compass: North, East, South and West.
- Use language such as near, far, left, right, to describe the location of places and give directions.
- Use maps and digital resources to identify places and features.

To deepen our learning we will:

- Use fieldwork skills to observe and record key physical and human features of the local area.
- Draw our own maps using symbols and keys.
- Use geographical vocabulary to describe features of the local area.



Human feature

Physical feature



How does this link to previous and future learning?

EYFS Understanding the World

Year 1 What is the UK?

Year 1 If we are not in the UK where are we?

Year 2

Year 2 What happens when a street becomes a river?

Year 3 Could you plot a route through the desert?

Year 5 Is Oxford the greatest city in Europe?

Year 6 Could Blackbird Leys become a top tourist destination?

