

Year 1 and 2 - Geography and History - Wonderlands



Linked texts:



Key vocabulary::



Landmarks
Human feature
Physical feature
Route
Community
Locality
Distance
City
Suburb
Symbol
Map
Joseph Strutt

Key knowledge to be taught:

- Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features
- Devise a simple map
- Use and construct basic symbols in a key
- Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of our school and grounds, and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.
- Learn about the live of significant individuals, such as Joseph Strutt, who contributed to Arboretum Park..

Map Skills and Field Work

- ✓ Recognise that people use maps to find things.
- ✓ Be able to follow a simple map.
- ✓ Draw a simple map to Arboretum Park from school.
- ✓ Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of our school.

Children will devise a simple map of their journey from Arboretum Primary School to Arboretum Park.

They will use and construct basic symbols in a key.

Physical Geography

- ✓ Describe and compare physical features seen in the local environment.
- ✓ Be able to use some key geographical vocabulary. E.g. vegetation, river.

Children will be able to identify physical features within Derby

They will be able to state how the physical features of Derby impact people's lives.

Human Geography

- ✓ Name and describe key features of the local area.
- ✓ Use given information and observations to ask and respond to questions about the environment
- ✓ Be able to use key geographical vocabulary e.g. city, green spaces, houses, places of worship.

Children will be able to recognise human features from aerial photographs and maps.

They will be able to state how the human features of Derby impact people's lives.

Historical Change including Local History

- ✓ Know the importance of Joseph Strutt in history and the reason for their fame.
- ✓ Explain why there have been physical changes in our local area.

Children will learn about the history of Arboretum Park, and consider how it has changed over the years.