

Pilgrim Primary Academy Knowledge Organiser

Topic: Home Sweet Home

Year group: 1

Strand: Geography

What I should already know:

- I live in Plymouth.
- I live in a house/flat.
- I attend Pilgrim Primary School.
- A map helps to me to find out where places are.

What will I know by the end of the unit?:

- What Human and physical features are
- Describe where I live
- Be able to create and follow a simple map
- Locate my school using a digital map

Key Knowledge/ Facts:

Maps

- A view from above a place
- Sometimes have a key with symbols
- Show the **distance** between places
- Sometimes have a compass
- Can use colour



Key Vocabulary and definitions:

Local area	The area around where you live.
Map	A drawing of an area shown from above.
Route	How you get to somewhere.
Aerial view (birds eye view)	What somewhere looks like from above, looking down.
Human features	Things that are manmade.
Physical features	Things that occur naturally in the environment.
Fieldwork	Working outside to collect information.

Human features are manmade - house, building, fence, pavement, church, playground.

Physical features are natural - bush, tree, field, grass, leaves, hill, rock.

Aerial Photograph

A photograph taken from above looking down.



Aerial Plan

A drawing of what a place looks like from above.

