

Year 1 Geography: Locational and Place Knowledge: Our School.



Vocabulary

Atlas/Globe/Map- they give us information about places. They tell us where places are and help us to identify where things are located.

Map symbols- a small picture on a map that tells you where something is, like a castle, park

Route- on a map it shows how to get from one place to another

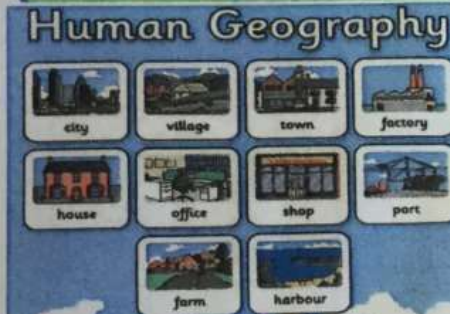
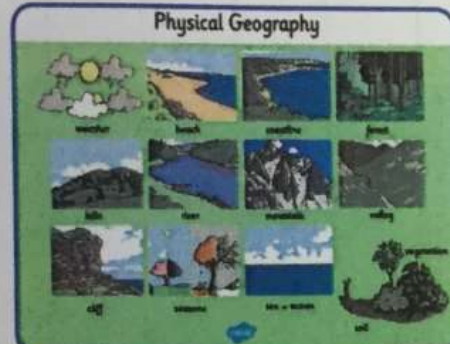
Surrounding environment- the local area of the village around our school

Similarities- having a likeness or resemblance to something.

Differences- not alike in character or quality.

Physical features are natural and include: beach, cliff, forest, hill, mountain, sea, river, soil, valley, weather.

Human features show how humans have altered the environment. These features might include buildings, towns, cities, farms, houses and shops.



Can you identify the human and physical features around our school?



The United Kingdom



Compasses are used to help people find their way or to show the position of something. There are four compass points - North, East, South and West. We can use a little rhyme to help us remember them - Never Eat Shredded Wheat.



An aerial photograph of our school



Look at Google Earth and hunt for our school