

Year 1 - Local Area - Term 2

Houses

You might see lots of different types of **houses** in your local area. Some of these could be...



houses/housing



detached



semi-detached



terraced



cottage



bungalow



flats



caravan

Map Symbols

To make it easier, **maps** use **symbols** instead of words so that you can find things quickly. Here are some **symbols** you might recognise.



parking



nature reserve



campsite



place of worship



motorway



golf course



cycle trail



train station



footpath



main road

The Compass

A **compass** has four main **directions**, which are north, east, south and west. Part of the **compass** (the needle) will always point north. You then have to work out which **direction** you are facing depending on where north is.



Key Vocabulary

compass	A special tool that helps you know which direction you are facing.
direction	Where someone or something is pointing or moving.
fieldwork	Using maps to go out and about to get a practical understanding of something.

To know statements	✓ ✗
I know how to use different maps and understand the key features of maps.	
I know how to use compass directions (NESW), locational and directional language.	
I know how to make comparisons between features of different places.	
I know how to use map symbols in a key.	
I know how to recognise a range of housing types.	
I know how to plan a route giving reasons for choice.	

What can you remember from previous units?

Can you describe a familiar route?
What is in the natural world around you?

Anything else you have learnt? What have you enjoyed?

