

Key Facts

- We live in Wembley which is part of Greater London.
- London is located in the United Kingdom which is part of Europe on the planet Earth.
- Compass directions (NSE and W) can be used to move round and understand a map or location.
- Different elements of a map can be represented with symbols and understood using a key.

Knowledge and Understanding:

Children will learn:

- To learn to examine a variety of different maps with different keys
- To learn to read basic maps on a ICT programme (map zone)
- To learn and understand that our area can be represented in the forms of maps
- To learn what keys represent on maps
- To learn about scales on a map

Key skills and concepts:

Children will be able to:

- To use geographical terms
- To use maps and atlases
- To read the weather forecast
- To present work orally through role play, written or visually using ICT

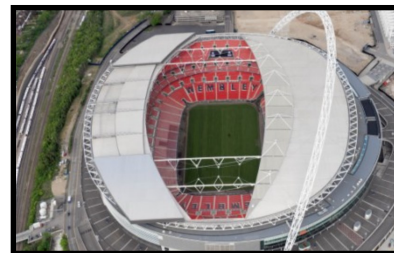
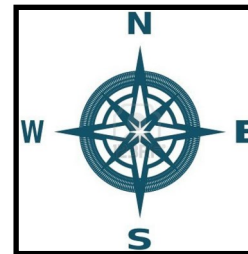


Geography

Year 2

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Map Makers



Vocabulary

Word	Definition
atlas	A book of maps, tables, or charts.
bird's eye view	Seen from high above.
compass	An instrument for showing direction.
key	What different lines, symbols and colours mean on a map.
landmark	A point in a landscape that is used as a reference or marks a boundary.
map	A picture of a particular area of the earth or sky drawn or printed to scale on a flat surface.
scale	The distance on the map compared to the distance on the ground.

