

KS1 Topic: Sheffield Knowledge builder

What's Through Your Window?

Key Geography Vocabulary:

Maps - they are a drawing of the Earth's surface from above, an aerial view. They help us to know where places are located. They have different features like rivers, forests, buildings and roads.

Physical features - these describe the natural environment. These include rivers, hills, forests, mountains, beaches, the weather, soil, vegetation, the sea and cliffs.

Human features - these are man-made. These include a village, city, farm, office, town, shop, house and harbour.

Continents - Our Earth is divided up into seven large pieces of land called **continents**. The seven continents are Africa, Antarctica, Australia, Europe, Asia, South America and North America.

Country - this is a piece of land within a continent.

City - this is a place where people live closely together.

Village - this a place where people live. It is smaller than a city.

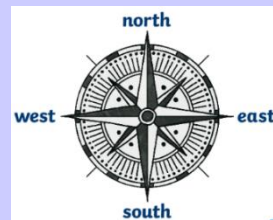
Local area - the surrounding area of where you live.

Positional language:

opposite next to above far near left right

North South East West

We use a compass to navigate direction.



Sheffield



The United Kingdom



Important people:



Queen Victoria reigned over Britain from 1837 until her death in 1901 - 64 years.



Harry Brearly - He discovered stainless steel in 1913. His father was a steel worker and they lived in Sheffield.



Queen Elizabeth II is our current Queen. She is married to Prince Philip. Our Queen is 93 years old.

