

Key Stage 1 - Forest Academy  
Knowledge organiser - All About Me

Know how to...

- use basic geographical vocabulary
- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries
- use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key
- use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment

Where Do I Live?

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

Key vocabulary

<b>aerial photos</b>	photos taken from up above to show a bird's eye view
<b>compass</b>	a special tool that helps you know which <b>direction</b> you are facing
<b>continent</b>	a large land mass
<b>direction</b>	where someone or something is pointing or moving
<b>map</b>	a specially drawn picture of a place from above
<b>symbol</b>	a picture that represents a word or group of words. They are used on maps to make things clear and easy to find
<b>town</b>	a place where people live close together with services such as shops and banks
<b>United Kingdom</b>	the UK is Great Britain and Northern Island

Aerial Map of Brandon

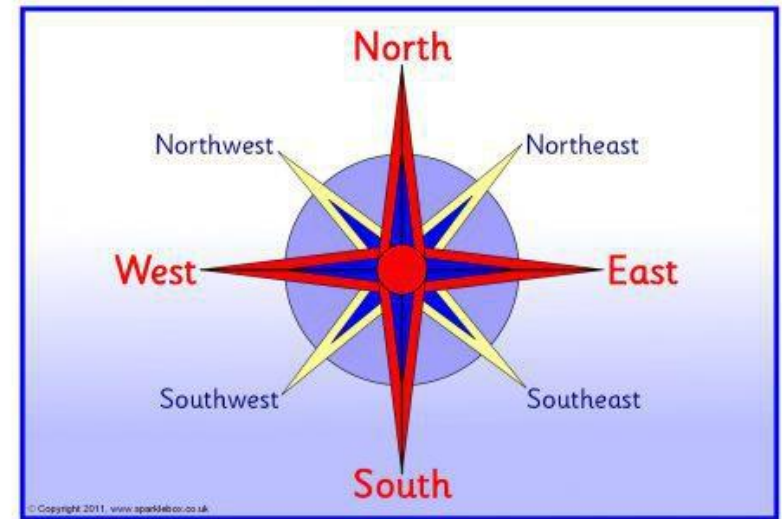


### Where Do I Live?

An address needs to be written in a certain way so it gets to the right place.

<b>Name of school</b>	→	Forest Academy
<b>Building number and road</b>	→	Bury Road
<b>Town, village or area</b>	→	Brandon
<b>City</b>	→	Bury St Edmunds
<b>County</b>	→	Suffolk
<b>Postcode</b>	→	IP27 0FP

### Compass Points



### The United Kingdom



This map shows us the **United Kingdom**, which is a part of the continent, **Europe**. We live in **England**. The capital of England is **London**.

### Continents and Oceans

