Subject: Geography Year: 1: Where we live Autumn

National Curriculum objectives

Use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map

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.

To begin this unit, the children should have already learnt: Where we live.

Some features of the local are.

The learning in this unit will prepare the children to learn these things in the future:

Continents and oceans (YR2)

Coasts (YR2)

Key Enquiry Question

Where do we live? What is it like? What does our school and local environment look like?

To achieve ARE, pupils will need to be secure in the following knowledge:

By the end of this unit, children will know:

- •What the school and the local area looks like.
- Recognise simple features such as buildings, houses, roads and rivers on a map of Norwich.
- •Some simple human and physical features of a map of the local area.
- How to make a map of a known area including a key to explain it features.
- How to observe and record the weather over a period of time.
- How Use a simple map to move around the school; Recognise that it is about a place.
- Compare the land use from now and then of school. Site and local area. What's the same? What has changed?
- •Navigate from a start point to end point using a map of a known area.

Vocabulary

Norwich

Local area

Map

Aerial view

Perspective

Human feature

Physical feature.

Land use

City

Roads

Buildings

Houses

Compass

• Explore and use compass directions to navigate around a map.	Direction
•Simple signs of autumn by looking at the environment around them.	North
	South
	East
	West
	Left
	Right
	Forwards
By the end of this unit, children will be able to do:	Resources:
■Make a map using a simple key.	Google maps
Understand basic compass points.	Atlases Google earth
 Know what a human and physical feature is and recognise these 	Aerial photgraphs
features on a map.	The state of the s
● Recognise the local area from aerial photos and how land use has	
changed.	
■Navigate around a map using 4-point compass points.	
●Use a simple map to navigate around the school	
Recognise key features of the city using a map.	
Problems and misconceptions:	