

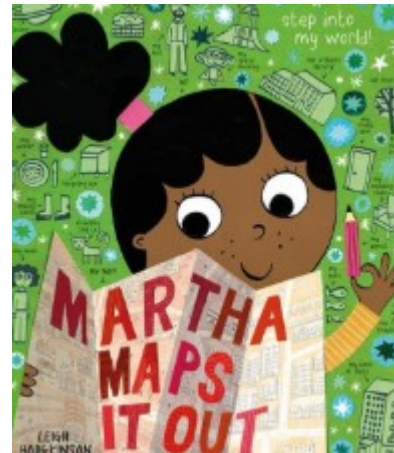
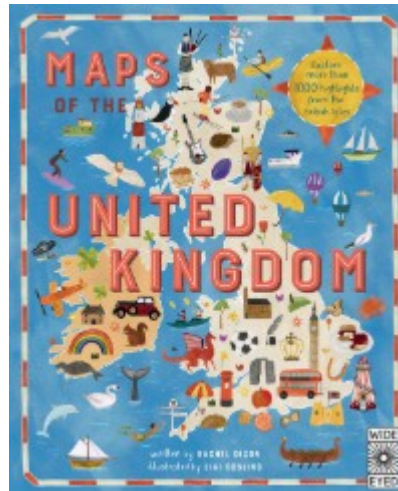
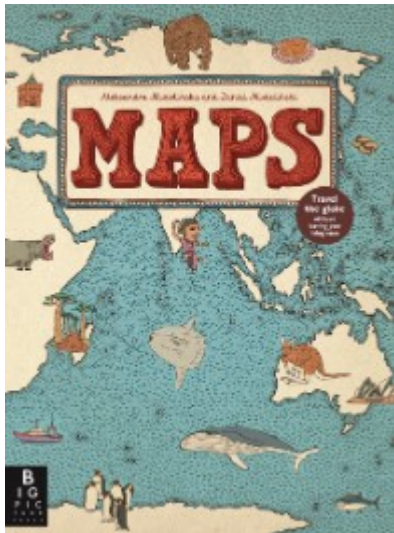
Year 2 Summer 1 Knowledge Bank  
Our Local Area

Knowledge

- A map is a picture of an area from above
- A compass has 4 points (North, South, East and West) and helps us with direction
- Human features are man-made such as buildings and roads
- Physical features are natural such as rivers, mountains and woodland
- A symbol on a map represents a feature

Skills

- Make a map of the school including some simple symbols
- Follow a map around the school grounds
- Design a route around the school grounds



Vocabulary	Definition
local area	Nearby
physical feature	A feature that has been formed by nature
human feature	A feature that has been made or changed by humans
compass	A tool which points out directions, such as North, South, East and West
North South East West	The four main compass directions
map	a flat drawing or picture of a place from above
aerial photograph	a picture of the ground taken from high up in the sky
symbol	a picture, object, or sign that represents something
city	a large, busy place where many people live, work, and play close together
village	a small, quiet community where people live in the countryside, often smaller than a town
directional language	words used to describe position, movement, and direction