

Year 2 Geography

Local to Global – Where in the world are we?

By the end of this unit, I will:

- Know that Yatton Keynell is a Wiltshire village in the Southwest of England.
- Know the amenities that are in Yatton Keynell.
- Name the main OS map symbols.
- Name the 4 countries of the UK and their capital cities and surrounding seas.
- Know the 7 continents and 5 oceans.
- Locate North and South pole and the equator on a globe and on a map.
- Locate North, South, East, West on a globe and on a map.

Geographical skills I will use:

- World maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK and its countries.
- World maps, atlases and globes to identify continents and oceans.
- Simple compass directions (North, South, East and West).
- Locational and directional language (near, far, left, right).
- Devise a simple map
- Simple fieldwork and observational skills.



Roots to grow, wings to fly:
Growing, Flourishing, Soaring.

Key Vocabulary

Village	A group of houses and other buildings that is smaller than a town, usually in the countryside.
Town	A place where people live and work, containing many houses, shops, places of work, places of entertainment. Usually larger than a village but smaller than a city.
City	Any town in the UK that has a cathedral.
Rural	In, of, or like the countryside.
North	The direction that goes towards the part of the earth above the equator. The direction in which a compass needle normally points.
South	The direction that goes towards the part of the earth below the equator, opposite to the north.
East	The direction from which the sun rises in the morning, opposite to the west.
West	The direction in which the sun goes down in the evening, opposite to the east.
Poles	The two points at the most northern and most southern ends of the earth, around which the earth turns.
Equator	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of the earth an equal distance from the North Pole and the South Pole.
Continent	One of the seven large land masses on the Earth (Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, Australia, Antarctica).
Ocean	A very large area of sea.