

What we already know (Blue Class):

- To describe and understand the workings of rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes.

**Red Class/Purple Class Geography:
Explorers – Using Marvellous Maps**

What's next (Year 7)?

- To recall a range of geographical facts about places, environments, concepts and locations.

Geography Golden Concepts

Understanding processes of Geography

Discovering contextual knowledge

Interpreting a range of knowledge

Enquiry and Investigation

Following directions and maps

Key Vocabulary

Atlas	A collection of maps often of each country in the world.
Compass	A tool used for showing direction.
Digital Map	A map that uses technology such as a satnav.
Easing	The numbers used in a Grid Reference that run West to East.
Grid Reference	The numbered squares on a map used to locate a place.
National Grid	A system used to split Great Britain into 100km squares.
Northing	The numbers used in a grid reference that run South to North.
Ordnance Survey Maps	Detailed maps of Great Britain where each square represents 1km squared (1km ²).
Symbols	Small pictures, letters or lines that represent a feature.

What I will know by the end of the unit:

To use photographs and standard and non-standard measurements to create an accurate map of an area, using the National Grid to support this.
To locate places on an OS Map using a 6 figure grid reference.
To use the 8 points on a compass.
To follow a route on a small-scale map.
To identify symbols on a map and explain what they mean.
To use Easing and Northing when using a grid reference.
To compare the effectiveness of Digital Maps and OS Maps.
To explore maps of different countries using an Atlas.

