

Welcome to Year 7 Geography!



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Geography is all about people and places



You will learn how to describe places

Handwritten student work on a worksheet titled "Making connections Describing a place". The worksheet includes sections for "Where is this place?", "What is it like?", "Why is it like this?", "How is it changing?", and "Who is affected by these changes?".

Top Left Page:

- Where is this place?** This place is called Coron Island, Coron, in the Philippines.
- What is it like?** Coron is like a paradise. It is peaceful and in a beautiful beach.
- Why is it like this?** Because of the clear turquoise sea and the surrounding islands.
- Image:** A photograph of a tropical beach with turquoise water and a wooden walkway.
- What do I feel about the place?** I feel that it is an amazing place to holiday in. I go there because of the stunning nature and the feeling of thinking it would be worth it.
- How is it changing?** It is changing by the amount of people visiting this place because of the coronavirus.
- Who is affected by these changes?** The coronavirus.
- Handwritten note:** A very peaceful place! (1HP)

Top Middle Page:

- Where is this place?** Machu Picchu is located in the Cusco Region, Peru. High up in the mountains above the city, it is about 130 miles deep.
- What is it like?** The ancient monument is a city on the top of the mountain made from stone. It is made from stone (some stones weigh more than 500kg) in the 15th century.
- Why is it like this?** Because it is believed that Machu Picchu was built as an estate for the Inca emperor.
- Image:** A photograph of Machu Picchu, an ancient Inca city built on a mountain peak.
- Handwritten note:** One of the new seven wonders of the world.

Top Right Page:

- Do now - think:**
- 1 - camp site
- 2 - church with a spire
- 3 - deciduous forest
- 4 - marsh
- 5 - view point
- 6 - main roads
- 7 - bus stop
- 8 - train station
- Friday 13th September**
- LQ: How do we interpret maps?**

Bottom Left Page:

- Where is this place?** This place is on the Isle of Skye, Scotland.
- What is it like?** It is a big hill that is made of stone and has steep, pointy rock formations.
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- 1.2 Making connections Describing a place**
- Where is this place?** Approximately 2 miles off the coast of Hampshire.
- What is it like?** It is a small, hilly island shaped a bit like a diamond. There are lots of rocks.
- Why is it like this?** The island is made from the material around 125,000 years ago and is exposed by sea level changes.
- Image:** A photograph of the island of Skye, showing its shape and surrounding water.
- Handwritten note:** DIRT

Right Side:

- Thursday 1**
- LQ: What**
- 10 = Atlantic
- 20 = 1900
- 30 = 1800
- 40 = 1700
- 50 = ?
- 60 = 1600
- 70 = 1500
- 80 = 1400
- 90 =
- Friday**
- LQ:**
- But:**
- Sat**
- 10**

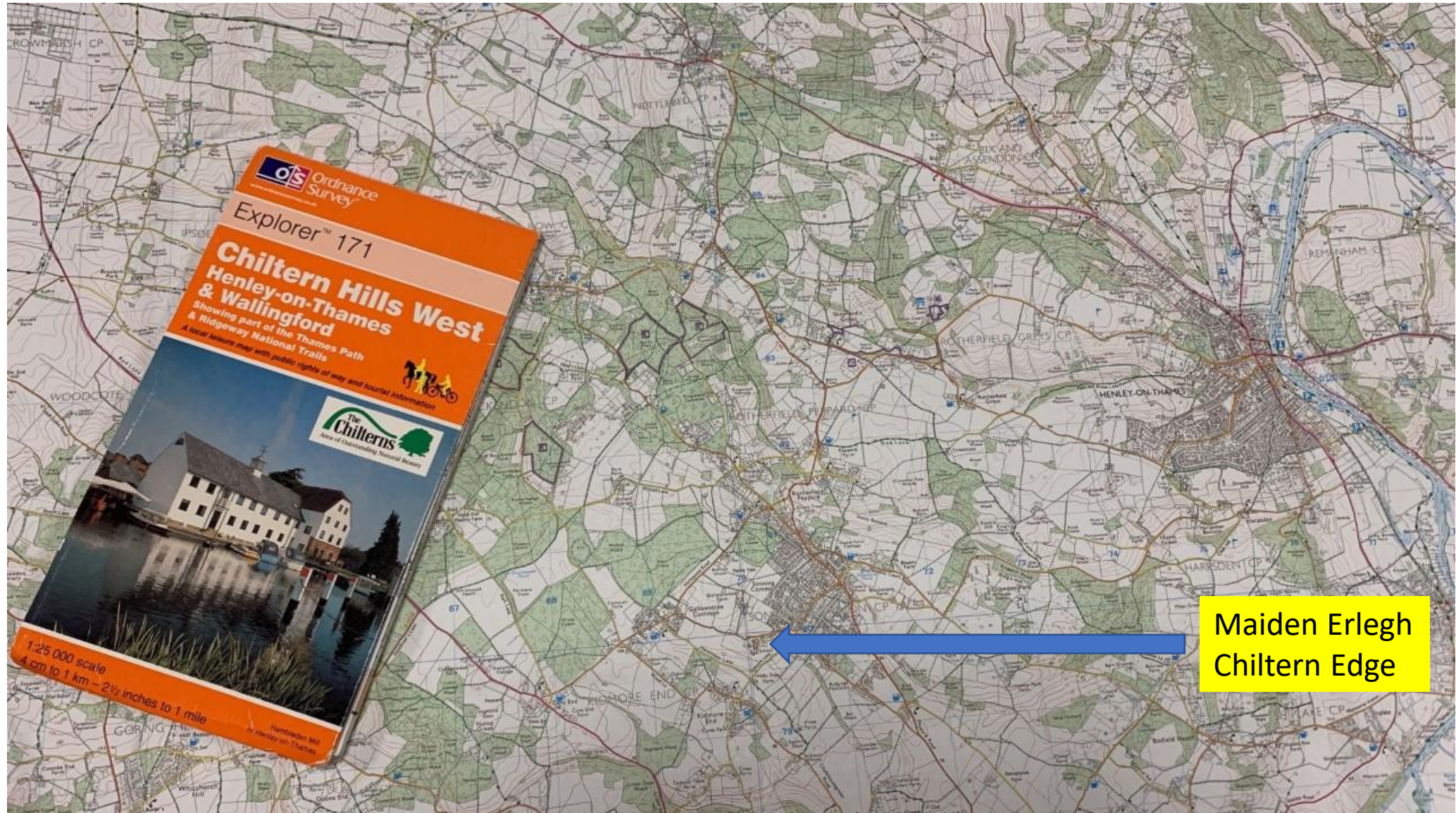
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- What do I feel about the place?** I feel that it is an interesting place to visit because of the views and the sea level changes.
- How is it changing?** The island is being eroded and is losing its shape.
- Who is affected by these changes?** The people who live on the island are affected by this as they are losing their homes.
- Image:** A photograph of the island of Skye, showing its shape and surrounding water.

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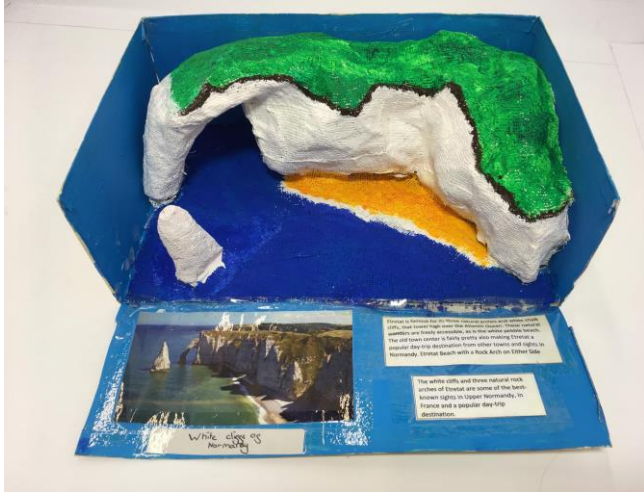
- A - animals**
- LQ: How do we interpret maps?**
- 1. River ✓
- 2. Church with a tower ✓
- 3. Phone box ✓
- 4. Main road ✓
- 5. Train track ✓
- 6. Pond ✓
- 7. Buildings ✓
- 8. Public House ✓
- 9. Footpath ✓
- 10. Chapel ✓
- 11. Minor road ✓

You will learn how to use maps



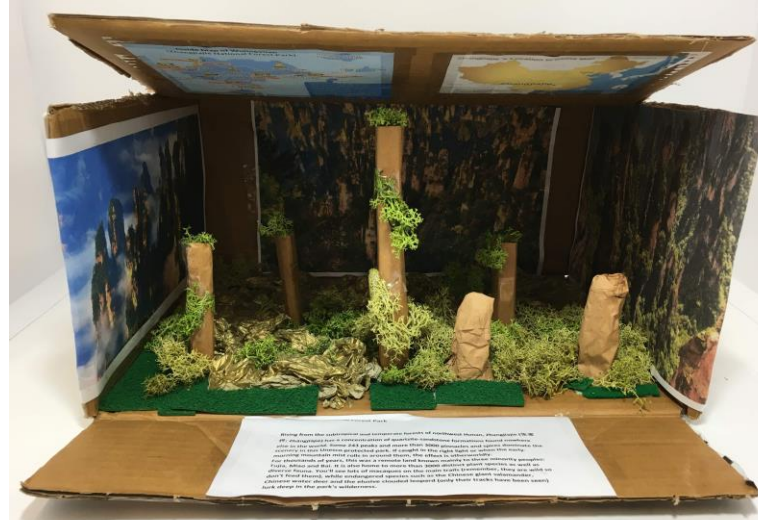
You will have the opportunity to be creative

Year 7 landscape models



You will explore how landscapes change over time

Year 7 landscape models

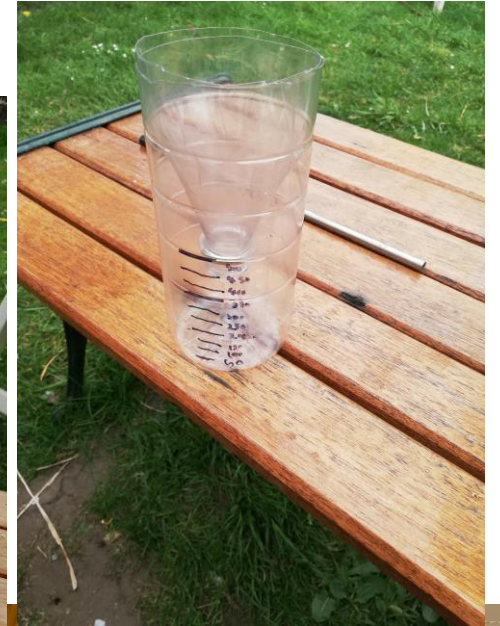


You will discover what the UK means to you and record our changeable weather



Weather Diary - Easter 2020

		Temperature	Wind Direction (Weather Vane)	Precipitation (Rain Gauge)	General Weather
Sat 11 Apr	AM	16°C	E	0cm	Sunny
	PM	16°C	W	0.5cm	Sunny
Sun 12 Apr	AM	15°C	SW	0.5cm	Sunny
	PM	15°C	SW	0.5cm	Sunny
Mon 13 Apr	AM	8°C	N	0cm	Windy
	PM	10°C	N	0cm	Sunny
Tue 14 Apr	AM	10°C	S	0cm	Sunny
	PM	10°C	E	0cm	Sunny
Wed 15 Apr	AM	12°C	E	0cm	Sunny
	PM	18°C	E	0cm	Sunny
Thu 16 Apr	AM	13°C	S	0cm	Sunny
	PM	10°C	S	0cm	Sunny
Fri 17 Apr	AM	10°C	N	0cm	Sunny
	PM	9°C	N	1cm	Heavy Rain
				1cm	Strong Sunny
					Cloudy



Kitty's Weather Diary (April 2020)

Date	Temperature	Precipitation Level (mm)	Weather Conditions
Sunday 12th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0 mm	Breezy, sunny, cloudy.
Tuesday 14th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0 mm	Sunny with a cool breeze.
Wednesday 15th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0 mm	Sunny.
Thursday 16th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0.2 mm	Sunny in the morning with some rain.
Friday 17th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0 mm	Cloudy in the morning but later on heavy rain.
Saturday 18th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	1.5 mm	Rain collected between 8pm and 12 noon today. Very cloudy.
Sunday 19th April	11°C / 14°C 6°C / 10°C	0 mm	Sunny in the morning and got cooler throughout the day.

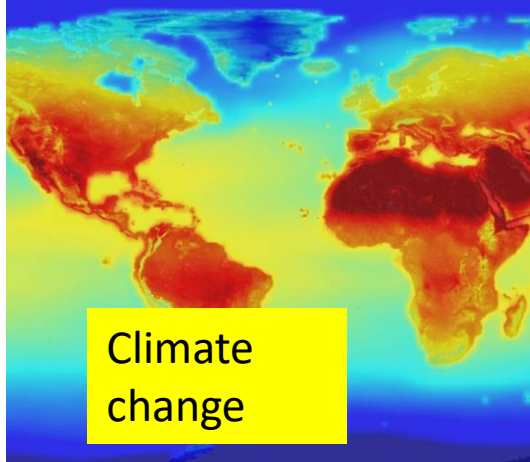
You will investigate the school site through fieldwork

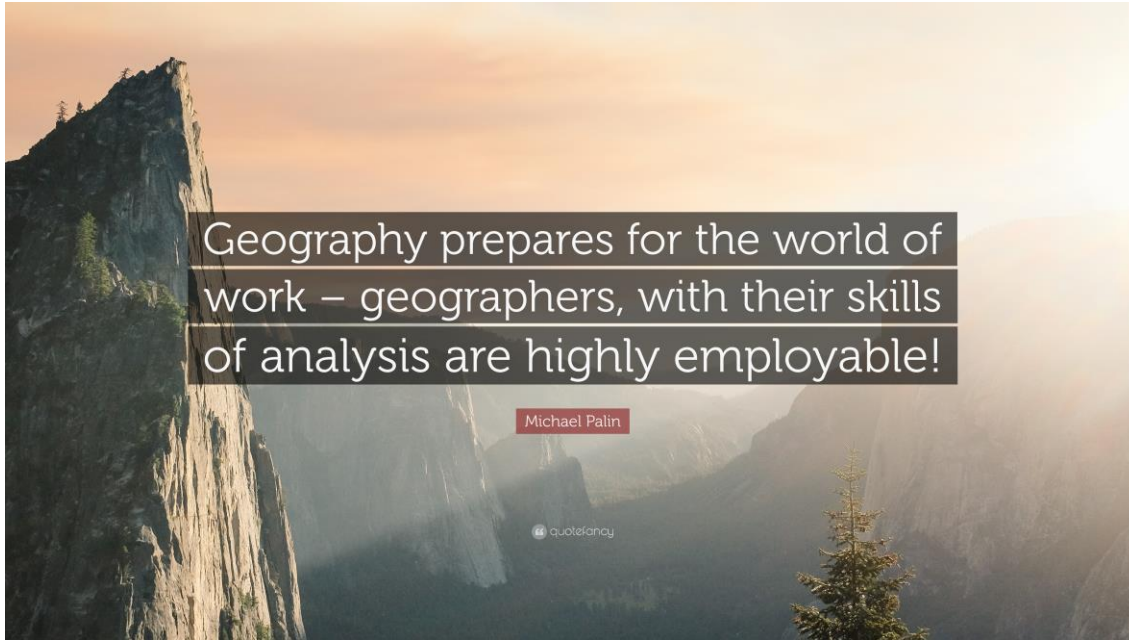
What is the school environment like?

Draw a field sketch of the school in its surroundings and label the important features.



You will find out about some of the environmental issues of the 21st Century





I like Geography best,
he said, because your
mountains & rivers
know the secret.

Pay no attention to
boundaries.

**Without geography,
you're nowhere**
unknown

