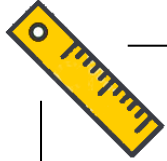


There are lots of ways you can enhance your child's learning at home!



Use the internet to safely search and discover any facts you are able to about settlements and how they differ from each other.

Explore any maps or atlases you have at home and study different sorts of settlements.

Look at the map keys and symbols that show the amenities in the settlement. What do they offer the community?

Compare old and new maps of the same settlement to see how it has changed over the years.

Get out and about in the community and local area to explore how land is used and how the settlement of Somerton (or wherever you live) has changed over time.

Create a sketch map of where you live.



Our Learning Journey Settlements & Communities

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Some of the questions that we hope to answer this term.

In Topic

Explain why settlements develop in certain locations
Use maps to identify settlements built by invaders
Compare different settlements
Use maps to identify links between settlements
Create maps of settlements

In Science

Describe the movement of the Earth and other planets
Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth
Understand that the planets are spherical
Learn about the rotation of the Earth

Understand the force of gravity
Identify the effects of water and air resistance and friction.
Recognise how some mechanisms use a smaller force to produce a greater effect.

In RE

We will be studying about the religion of Hinduism and what Hindus believe about Darma, Deity and Atman.

Towards the end of term, our studies will be related to Advent and the Christmas Story.



Our Learning Journey

Our topic will begin think about our school value 'Community'. We will begin with looking at ideas around 'Be Yourself', 'Think Positive', 'Aiming High' and 'Together Everyone Achieves More'. These topics help us to consider our place and role within in our community.

From there we will move into considering communities and settlements and how they have evolved over time.

We will learn about why settlements began in the locations they did, how they changed over time, different types of settlements and why settlements have the names they do.

Children will compare land use between different settlements and plenty of map work to enhance our geography skills whilst identifying links between settlements.

We will conclude by using our knowledge and skills to create our own village plan.