

Key Knowledge Organiser - Geography - Year 2

Why is our world wonderful?

Learning Sequence	Self-assessment	Teacher assessment
1. To identify geographical characteristics of the UK.		
2. To locate some of the world's most amazing places.		
3. To know the names of the five oceans and locate them on a map.		
4. To understand how to draw human and physical features on a sketch map.		
5. To investigate local habitats and record and present findings.		
6. To understand how to present findings in a bar chart.		

Key knowledge

Our world is wonderful. It gives us everything we need to **survive** and is home to some wonderful animals and plants. It is important to **protect** our world and our **natural habitats**.

Natural habitats

A **natural habitat** is where an animal calls home. It is where, in the wild, that animal lives. The species **adapt** to living in the environment.



OS Maps

Ordnance survey maps are produced by the national mapping agency of Great Britain. They can be used by explorers to plan routes.



Key Vocabulary

location	A particular place or position
landmark	Anything that is easily recognisable.
aerial photograph	Taking a photo from an aircraft or other airborne platforms.
sea	The expanse of salt water that covers most of the earth.
river	A large natural stream of water flowing in a channel to the sea.
lake	A large area of water surrounded by land.
map	A diagrammatic representation of an area or land.
symbol	A mark that represents an object or place.
directional language	Words that show place
habitat	The natural environment a plant or animal usually lives.