

First Level – Primary 4

Learning in the social studies will enable me to:

- learn how to locate, explore and link features and places locally and further a field

Through activities in my local area, I have developed my mental map and sense of place. I can create and use maps of the area. **SOC 1-14a**

Making and using maps

I can:

- Use left and right in reference to landmarks marks, to give directions (mainly oral)
- Complete an 8 point compass rose
- Make a change in direction using a 90° turn
- Turn an object through 90° clockwise or anticlockwise (both on paper and using solid materials)
- Locate positions on a map using grid references (letter/ number) to locate a square e.g. A6, A9
- Use an index to locate page in an atlas of places or features in Britain using alphabetical order to first letter
- Devise symbols for points of reference (e.g. shop, church) and lines (e.g. paths, roads, railways) to use on my own maps
- Transfer pictorial information to a simple map using point and line keys
- Colour to categorise similar features on a map (e.g. street plan)
- Make sketch maps; with simple symbols, key and title of route between points in the immediate area around the school.
- Make detailed sketch maps with symbols, key and title of the routes between points in the immediate area around and in the school
- Establish locations and features from pictures and/ or stories and present as a sketch map with appropriate symbols, key and title
- Locate the capital cities of the UK and Eire
- Locate the bodies of water around Scotland
i.e. North Sea, Atlantic Ocean, Irish Sea, Firth of Clyde, Firth of Forth
- Locate the rivers Clyde, Forth, Dee and the lochs Lomond and Ness
- Locate Larkhall, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Dundee, Inverness on the map of Scotland

I know

- That a right angle equals 90°
- And understand that large scale maps show a small area in great detail and small scale maps show a larger area in great detail.
- The names of the capital cities of the UK and Eire
- The Names of the bodies of water around Scotland
i.e. North Sea, Atlantic Ocean, Irish Sea, Firth of Clyde, Firth of Forth
- The names of the main rivers in Scotland, i.e. Clyde, Forth, Dee and the lochs Lomond and Ness

Suggested resources to support the above (please add)

- Google Maps