

Knowledge Organiser — Year 4 Settlements



Key Vocabulary

in an area, including Romans Vikings and Anglo Saxons

Settlement A village, town or city

where people live.

Agriculture The farming of crops or

animals.

Industrial Businesses that provide

products and services.

Leisure Use of free time for en-

joyment

Demographic The structure of popula-

tions.

Compass Points One of the 32 marks on

the dial of a compass that show direction, for example north, south, east, and

west.

Key Aim: To describe and understand key aspects of human geography including types of settlements and land use, economic activity including trade links, the distribution of resources such as food and water in both the context of the needs of early settlers and comparing land use in different settlements.





We will look at why early settlers chose to settle where they did, how settlements grew and changed and how the use of land has changed. We will use grids, symbols and keys (including the use of ordinance survey maps) to build on our knowledge of the United Kingdom, identifying links between settlements.