Year 4	Knowledge Organiser: Land Use	Term 1

Key Vocabulary

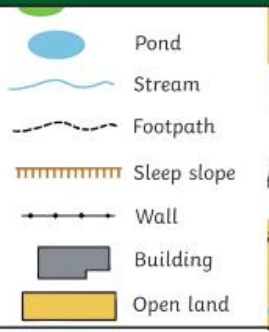
agriculture	Another word for farming. The growing and harvesting of crops and/or breeding animals.
counties	Areas that countries or states are divided into.
recreation	An activity done for pleasure e.g. playing golf, hiking.
retail	Shops where people can buy items.
rural	Countryside or farmland.
symbol	Pictures or icons.
urban	Towns and cities.

Sketch Map

- Title
- Labels/annotations
- Simple lines
- Enough detail to give a rough idea
- A 'not to scale' note
- A north arrow

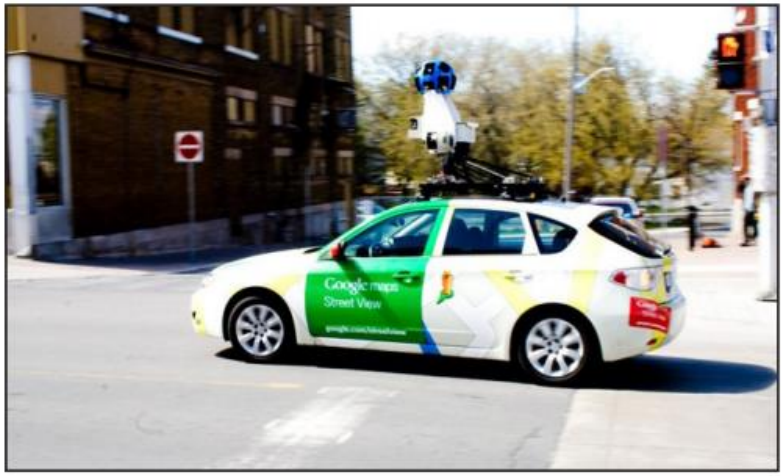
Key

- Maps often use symbols to represent things.
- The key explains what the symbol shows.



Cartographer

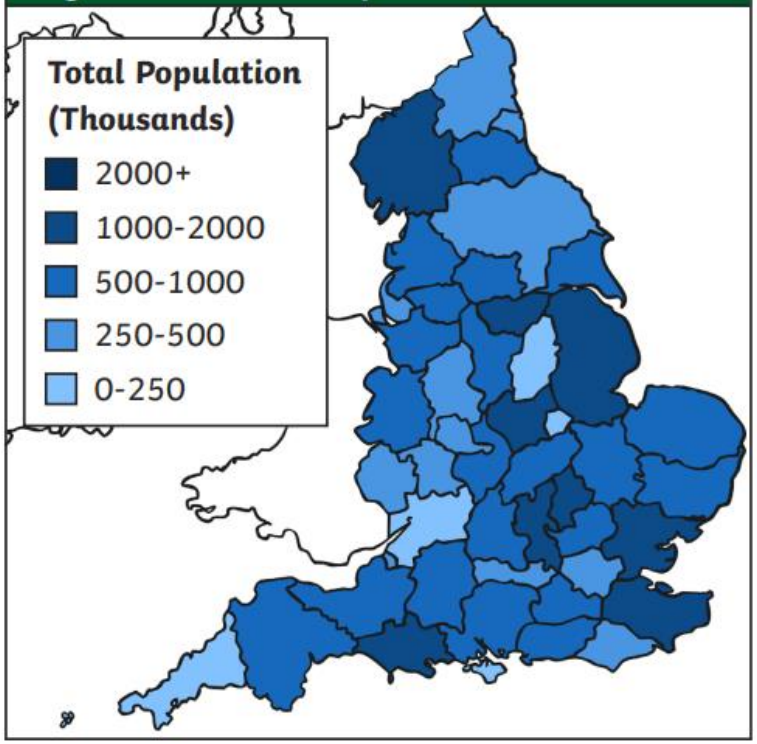
- A cartographer is someone who draws or produces maps.
- James Cook (1728 – 1779) was a British explorer and cartographer.
- Today, technology helps to produce maps using photographs and videos of the area.



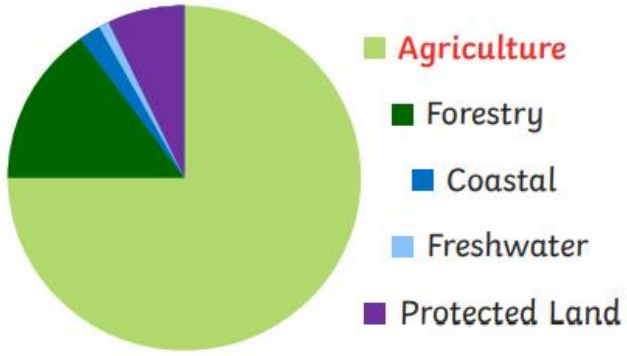
Topographical Map

A topographical map shows the shape and features of the land including mountains, rivers, lakes and valleys.

England Counties Population



How Rural Space Is Used in the UK



Large Urban Areas in England

- London
- Birmingham
- Manchester
- Liverpool
- Leeds
- Newcastle

Farming

- Growing grains
- Growing fruit and vegetables
- Growing flowers
- Growing grass
- Breeding animals for meat and other produce e.g. milk and eggs

How is Land Used?

90% of land in the UK is rural.	10% of the UK is urban.
• Housing	• Housing
• Factories	• Factories
• Education	• Education
• Recreation	• Recreation
• Business	• Business
• Farming	• Healthcare
	• Transport
	• Retail