

Vocabulary

Atlas	A book of maps
Continent	One of the large land masses of the earth
Capital city	The main city in a country where the government is based
Region	A large area of a country
District	An area of a city
Land use	The way land is used in an area
Physical features	The natural features of a country (e.g. lakes, rivers, mountains)
Human features	The man-made features of a country (e.g. roads, bridges, buildings)
Economic activity	The way that people make money
Green Space	An area of grass or trees in a city
Field work	Go out of school to investigate the main human and physical features in the local area
Sketch map	A map drawn from what you see
Questionnaire	A list of questions that someone asks you in order to find out your opinions
Bar chart	A graphical display of data using bars of different heights
Table	A chart showing information
Tally	A count or a record
Graffiti	Things that people write or draw on the walls of public buildings
OS map	A detailed map of a city or district that shows lots of detail including buildings, roads, and green spaces
Grid reference	The numbers on a map used to identify which square of the grid certain features are in
Key	Information you need for a map to make sense
Vandalism	Destroying or damaging other people's property
Community	a group of people who live in the same area or have something in common
Present	Tell people information in an interesting way

Key Facts

Locate Europe on a world map and identify some of the main countries in Europe (France, Germany, Spain...).

The United Kingdom is made of 4 counties (**England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales**).

The Capital of England is **London**, the capital of Wales is **Cardiff**, the capital of Scotland is **Edinburgh** and the capital of Northern Ireland is **Belfast**.

The 8 points on the compass are **North, East, South, West (Never Eat Slimy Worms)** and **North East, North West and South East and South West**.

Bristol is a city in the **South West** of the United Kingdom.

Other key cities in the South West region are **Bath, Plymouth, Exeter, Swindon, Bournemouth, and Truro**.

Easton is a **district** of the city of Bristol.

Easton has a range of **human** and **physical** geographical features that can be identified on an **OS map**.

There is a range of different types of **housing** in Easton. Different types of housing can be represented on a **bar chart**.

Stapleton road has a range of **shops and businesses**. Different types of shops can be shown on a **sketch map**.

Lots of different people live in Easton. Questionnaires can be used to find what people's opinions of Easton as a place to live.

Easton has some green spaces. Sketch maps can be used to map green spaces and questionnaires can be used to find out what people think about the green spaces in Easton.

Graffiti is an art form which is used around our local area. Some graffiti is **legal** and some is **illegal**.

Geographical skills and understanding

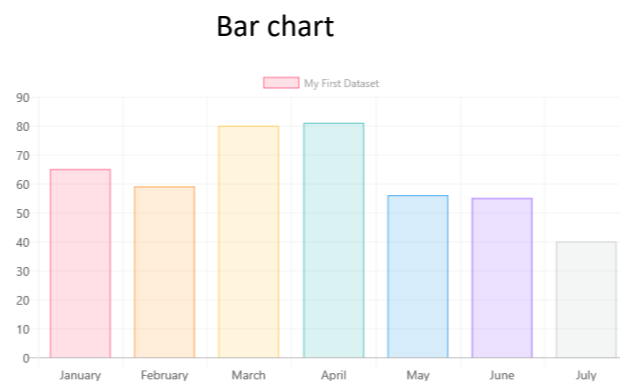
We are being geographers by:

- Identifying countries in Europe in an atlas and on a map
- Using an atlas to describe where the UK is located and name and locate its 4 countries and capital cities
- Using a map to locate Bristol and an OS map to locate Easton as a district of Bristol
- Understanding the natural, physical and human features of Easton
- Recognising how land is used in Easton and what activities take place there
- Giving direction instructions up to 4 compass points
- Carrying out fieldwork in the local area
- Making simple sketch maps and present information gathered in fieldwork using a simple graph

Maps and Diagrams



Sketch map



Bar chart



The United Kingdom



The South West