

Unit Purpose

The unit of work will **explore** how to to **orientate** a map, locate points on the map, then travel to them and record what they find.

Pupils will learn how to **collaborate** with others and work as a team to complete the **challenges.**

Inspire Me

Did you know... that the first international governing body for orienteering was the International Orienteering Federation, formed by eleven nations in 1961. The first world championships were held in 1966.



Key Success Criteria

P Pupils will develop their ability to orientate a map and locate points, returning to base as quickly as possible.

C Pupils will develop their understanding of what makes an effective team and understand how important teamwork is when orienteering.

S Pupils will develop life skills such as respect and communication as they collaborate with their team to successfully complete the orienteering challenges.

W Pupils will develop their ability to remain positive and try their best in every challenge. Pupils will begin to show leadership attributes.



GG Vocabulary for Learning

Navigate: means to find a way through a planned course often by using a map.

Teamwork: Teamwork is the combined effort of a group to achieve a goal or complete a task in the most effective and efficient way.

Strategy: is a planned set of actions that are used by a team or individual to achieve a long-term goal. We plan a strategy and then use specific tactics to help us achieve our goal.

Tactics: Tactics are a carefully planned set of actions that are used by a team or an individual to attaining a certain goal.

Communication: Is the method of transferring information from one person or a group to another. Types of communication include: verbal, nonverbal, written and visual.



Orienteering: is a sport that requires navigational skills using a map and/or a compass to navigate from various points.

Symbol: Symbols are small images marked on a map that have been designed to look like what it represents. Map symbols are conventional signs as can be understood by everyone.

