

Year 6 - Geography/History

Term 1 - Greatham - A Local Case Study

Key vocabulary:

- Human features
- Physical features
- Chronology
- Trade
- Timeline
- Century
- Settlement





What the children should already know:

- How to locate
 Hartlepool on a
 map or in an atlas
- About the physical and human features of our local area
- That physical and human features change over periods of time
- That life for human-beings has changed over time

Historical Knowledge and Skills -

What the children should know at the end of this unit:

- How to use dates and historical vocabulary to describe the periods studied
- What life was like for a Saxon villager in Greatham
- How life for human-beings changed over periods of time and why these changes took place
- How settlers made decisions on where they should settle
- Various types of settlements and how Greatham has evolved over time
- How to study primary and secondary evidence to form conclusions from the past and compare it to the present day

Geographical Knowledge and Skills -

What the children should know at the end of this unit:

- Use the 8 points of a compass
- Read OS maps effectively and recognise relevant symbols
- Use a 6 figure grid reference when locating points of interest on a map
- Record primary evidence through note taking and sketching
- How to describe and understand key aspects of: Human geography, including settlements, land use, economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural resources (food, minerals and water supplies)
- Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography