

What should I already know?

- I can use near, far, left or right to describe the location of features and routes on a map.
- I know what an aerial photograph is and that I can use these to recognise landmarks and basic physical and human features.
- I can devise simple picture maps and talk about what they show.
- I can use observation skills to look at the school grounds thinking about what human or physical features are there.

What will I know by the end of the unit?

- I will know how to use an aerial photograph to identify what human and physical features there are in and around the town of Warwick, where Warwick Castle is.
- I will know what a plan perspective map is and can describe its features.
- I will be able to create my own plan perspective map of Warwick Castle.
- I will be able to use a simple key to explain what the shapes represent on my plan perspective map.
- I will be able to follow a given plan perspective map.
- I will be able to create my own key to explain what the different areas of the school grounds are if our school was actually a castle.

Geography Knowledge Organiser

Topic: Medieval Madness



Castles around the UK

Warwick Castle– England



Edinburgh Castle Scotland



Caernarfon Castle– Wales



Carrickfergus Castle– Northern Ireland



Vocabulary

Aerial view

An aerial view is when we look at something from above. It can sometimes be called a 'bird's eye view'.



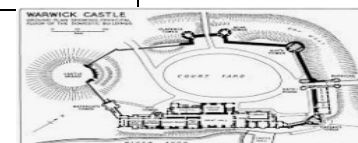
Key

A key is used on a map to explain what the symbols mean.



Plan Perspective

A plan perspective is a simplified picture of an aerial view map, that help us to understand where things are located.



Symbols

Map symbols represent real objects and landmarks. They are used because they are easier to draw on a map.



Geographical skills and fieldwork

- To use aerial view maps to identify human and physical features of Warwick.
- To use aerial view maps to create plan perspectives with a simple key and symbols of Warwick Castle
- To visit Warwick Castle and use the map to locate where different the different attractions are.
- To use compass knowledge to know which direction to walk in to reach required attraction points, such as the Falconry Show and the Great Hall whilst at Warwick Castle