

Geography • Where We Live : London *Out & About in Hackney*

Key Learning Question: Why is Hackney a great London borough to live in?

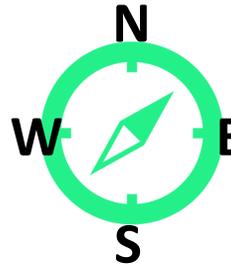


Crucial Knowledge

- Hackney is a borough of London.
- Each country in the U.K. has a capital city: England—London, Scotland—Edinburgh, Wales—Cardiff, Northern Ireland—Belfast.
- Human geographical features of Hackney include: shops, houses, flats, farms, offices, cinemas, theatres, religious buildings, sports centres
- Physical geographical features of Hackney include: River Lea, woodland, marshes, hills.
- Hackney has roads, bicycle lanes, train stations and lines, bus stops and routes to help people move around the borough quickly and easily.
- Each form of transport has its own maps.
- Grid references help us locate places on maps.

Big Ideas: Mapping • Compass directions

- Capital cities of the United Kingdom • Fieldwork
- The Human World • The Physical World



Four Point Compass:

N = North

E = East

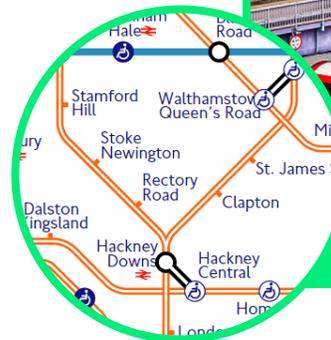
S = South

W = West

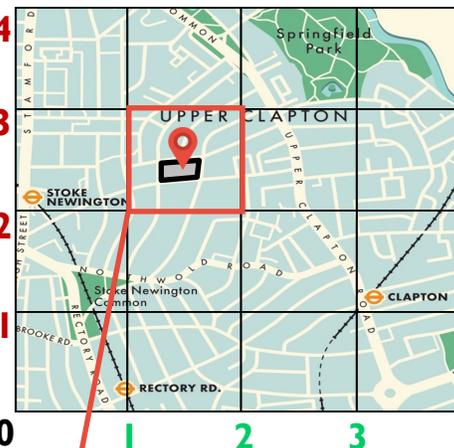


Location Maps

Hackney Central



Map of local Overground



Key:

Roads

Grass

Train Station

Jubilee

2 Figure Grid Reference Map:

Jubilee School and its surrounding area are found at grid reference **1,2**



Key Vocabulary

borough: An area of a bigger town or city. There are 32 boroughs in London. Each have local leaders and their own communities.

city: A place people live and work that is larger than a town.

capital city: A city where the government of the country is located.

transport: A vehicle that carries people or goods from one place to another.

human features: Things in our surroundings that are built by humans, such as houses, roads, canals and railways.

physical features: Earth's natural features, such as mountains, rivers, deserts and oceans.

Grid reference: Numbered lines on a map that help you find a location on a map.

Compass: A tool for finding directions including North, South, East and West.

Key: A picture or writing to help understand a map.

We Are Building Our Knowledge From

- London - Our School (Y1)

This will help when we learn about

- London – Feeding a City(Y3)
- Coding – code.org Course B (Y2)