

Geography Knowledge Organiser

UK (Oundle)

Yr 2

Place Knowledge / Human and Physical Geography

What should I already know?

- The **town** I live in is called Oundle.
- Oundle is in England.
- Oundle is in Northamptonshire and near Peterborough.



Information about Oundle

- Oundle is a **town**.
- It is near Peterborough which is a **city**.
- Oundle used to have a train station.
- Oundle hosts an annual Literature week.
- The **River Nene** runs through Oundle.
- There is a **market place** and a **museum** in Oundle.
- Oundle hosts a weekly market every Thursday.
- There are many **farms** around Oundle.

Vocabulary

aerial view	a view from above
factory	where goods are made in large quantities
farm	an area of land used to produce crops or to breed animals and livestock.
hill	a naturally raised area of land, which is not as high as a mountain.
house	a building designed for people to live in.
human geography	features of land that have been impacted by human activity
map	a drawing of a particular area such as a city or a country
market	a place where people gather to buy and sell goods
office	a building of rooms where business and work is carried out by office workers.
physical geography	natural features of land
river	a large, natural stream of fresh water that flows into the sea or a lake.
shop	a building in which goods are sold. For example, supermarkets, clothes shops and toy shops.
town	a large group of houses , shops and buildings where people live and work. Towns are larger than villages but smaller than cities. Oundle is a town .
train station	a place on a railway line where trains stop for people to get on and off trains.
village	a small group of houses , perhaps with a few shops, that are often in the countryside.

Human Geographical Features



Physical Geographical Features



What can I find in Oundle?

- **shops:**
 - Co-op (supermarket)
 - Waitrose (supermarket)
 - Cafe
 - petrol station and repair shop
- parks including Barnwell Country Park
- swimming pool
- schools
- houses
- church
- library
- farms
- museum
- pubs

Geographical Skills and Fieldwork

- Go on a tour of the school using a **map** and then look at an **aerial view** photograph - can you label it to show where the different classrooms are?
- Take a walk around Oundle using a **map** to help you. What symbols are on the **map**? What do they mean?
- Look at an **aerial view** photograph of Oundle - can you label it using symbols and create a key?
- Can you draw a **map** that includes your **house**, the school and the Country Park? Can you label your **map** or use symbols?
- Can you use words like near/far and right/left to describe where places are?
- Take a walk down Market Place and West Street - what **shops** do you notice? How are they different from the **market**?