

Dear Year 6, Parents & Carers,

Here is our enquiry question for this half term.
Please use these ideas to help your research or
bring things into class to support your learning.

Have Fun!

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Upper Key Stage 2 ~ Autumn 1

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Where would be the best location for a cycle café?



As AUTHORS we will:

- Design a persuasive advert to encourage tourists to visit Warkworth
- Write a tourist information letter
- Carry out a detailed project to be presented to the cycle café owner

As GEOGRAPHERS we will:

- Define what a settlement is
- Explain what makes a location a good place to live
- Recognise different types of settlement
- Discover why people settled in particular places - looking at key features that are attractive to settlers
- Compare and contrast locations using our map skills
- Use aerial photographs to look in detail at Warkworth and Wideopen
- Understand land usage, including the types of buildings and layout, in Wideopen and Warkworth
- Learn to use ordnance survey maps and understand the map symbols used
- Make a map of Warkworth using the symbols we have learned
- Understand how to use 4 point and 6 point grid references to describe location

As COMPUTER SCIENTISTS we will:

- Use Google Maps street view to look in detail at locations
- Research how locations have changed

As CITIZENS we will:

- Go on a trip to Warkworth and empathise with the residents regarding changes to their local area
- Understand advantages and disadvantages of these changes

As HISTORIANS we will:

- Look at how Wideopen and Warkworth have changed over time using old maps and aerial photographs
- Discover the past and present uses of the Waggonways and Weetslade Pit Heap

As READERS we will:

- Read texts relating to journeys e.g. Northern Lights by Phillip Pullman

As SPEAKERS we will:

- Debate which location is most suitable for a cycle café

As MATHEMATICIANS we will:

- Plan and calculate the cost of a trip to Warkworth
- Study surveys and graphs
- Use compass points to describe movement and direction

As ARTISTS we will:

- Make sketches of Warkworth castle and the view along the river bank whilst on the trip