## **Settlements and our Local Area of Chorley**

## **Key knowledge**

- An urban area has lots of people living there. Towns, cities and suburbs are all urban areas.
- A rural area has fewer people living there. Rural areas include the countryside, villages and hamlets.
- An Ordnance Survey map is used to help people find their way around an area.
- Enter key knowledge about your school grounds and local area here

## What will we be learning?

- 1. What sort of area do I live in?
- 2. What are the main features of our school grounds?
- 3. What can I find out about my local area?
- 4. How can I describe my local area?
- 5. How can a map show what a place is like?
- 6. How do we make a map of the local area?
- 7. How is our local area changing?
- Differences between urban and rural areas.
- Features of our school grounds.
- Features of our local area.
- How to identify Ordnance Survey map symbols.
- How to create a map of our local area.
- Describe changes in the local environment.



Place names	Geographical terms and processes	Locational terms	Terms
England	building	east	Capital
North West	map	local	City
Lancashire	office	north	Town
Chorley	route	south	Village
	street	west	Hamlet
	symbol		Urban
			Rural

## **Glossary**

map symbol: a small picture on a map that shows you where different things are (such as a bus station or a school)

route: how you get from one place to another (for example, "you walk up the hill and turn towards the school when you get to the top)"

settlement: a place where people live