

# Home Sweet Home

# Key Knowledge Fact Sheet - Year 3

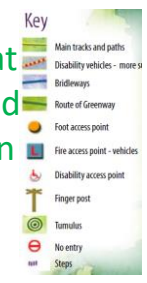
Canford Heath is a SSSI - a Site of Special Scientific Interest.



Canford Heath is managed by Urban Heath Partnership to preserve it.



An Ordnance Survey map shows an aerial view of an area.



A key shows what different lines and symbols mean on a map.

It is one of the largest remaining heathlands in Dorset.

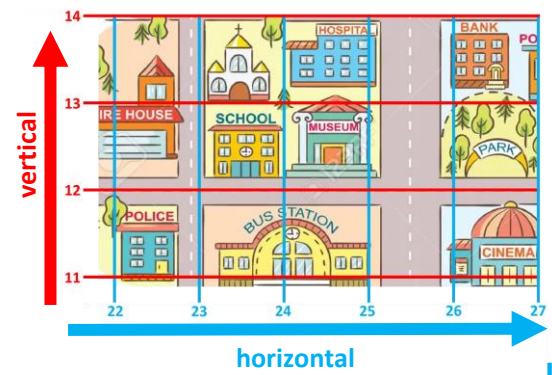


Houses in Canford Heath are built on land that used to be heathland.



These maps are not to scale - these areas are much larger in real life.

For map reading, you can use a grid reference to find a location.



The needs of humans, like housing and shops, have to be balanced with preserving (saving) natural habitats.

We can protect and preserve the heath by:



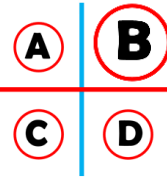
keeping to paths



closing gates behind us



and picking up litter.



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These are called co-ordinates.

