Year 3 - Geography

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Local Geography



What makes Wymondham special?

Vocabulary	
County	A geographical region of a country, for example Norfolk.
Border	The real or imagined line that separates geographical areas.
Services	Useful features in a geographical area, such as schools, doctors, transport.
Landmark	A recognizable natural or human feature that stands out.
City	A human settlement larger than a town. Normally densely populated.
Town	A human settlement, larger than a village but smaller than a city.
Coastline	The land along the coast.
Broads	A network of rivers and lakes.
Aerial Photograph	A photograph taken from the sky.
Кеу	A way of describing the features of a map.
Digital Map	A map available on a computer.



England has 27 counties.

Norfolk is the fourth largest.

Norfolk has a long coastline – touching the Wash in the north and the North Sea in the East.

It also has lots of countryside, with many villages and towns. Norwich is the county's city.



Wymondham is a market town, situated in South Norfolk. It has a population of roughly 17,000.

It is about 10 miles from the nearest city – Norwich.



It is well connected by road and rail services.

It has many local landmarks – such as Wymondham Abbey and the Market Cross.

It has services that provide the population of Wymondham with what they need for day-to-day life. Examples: food shops, train station, petrol stations, leisure centre, parks, schools and more.