

Year 1/2 Knowledge Organiser-Fun at the farm

Key Terms

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| farm | An area of land and its buildings, used for growing crops and rearing animals |
| arable | Land used for growing crops |
| dairy farm | A farm which has cows producing milk |
| livestock | Animals (such as cows, horses, and pigs) kept on a farm |
| barn | A building on a farm that is used for storing grain and hay and for housing farm animals or equipment |
| tractor | A large vehicle that has two large back wheels and two smaller front wheels and that is used to pull farm equipment |
| countryside | Land that is away from big towns and cities |

Farms are very important because they provide us with a lot of the food we eat.



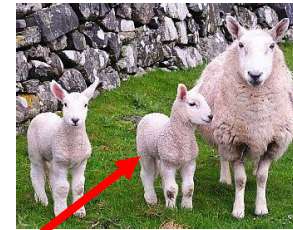
Dairy farms use the milk from cows, goats and other animals to create products like cheese, yogurt and butter.



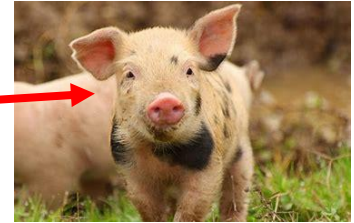
Use of farms



Arable farms grow wheat, oat, barley, fruits, vegetables and many other plants.



Livestock farmers rear animals for meat or for other products such as wool or eggs.



Farms are usually surrounded by fields which the farmers use to grow crops or to let the animals graze in.



Farms need lots of space so they are usually in the countryside.



As well as homes for the animals, the farm also has the farmhouse for the farmer and his family.



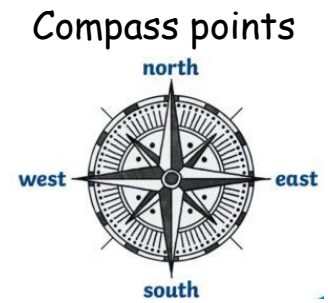
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| The four seasons | Many parts of the world have four seasons in a year. They are spring, summer, autumn, and winter. The weather is different during each season. |
| harvest | The season when crops are gathered from the fields. |
| compass | A tool for finding direction. |
| compass points | Directions listed on a magnetic compass. The four main points on a compass are North, South, East and West. |
| navigate | To find the way from one place to another. |
| map symbols | Pictures and lines on a map to tell us about the surroundings e.g. contour lines, buildings, water features, forests and clearings. |



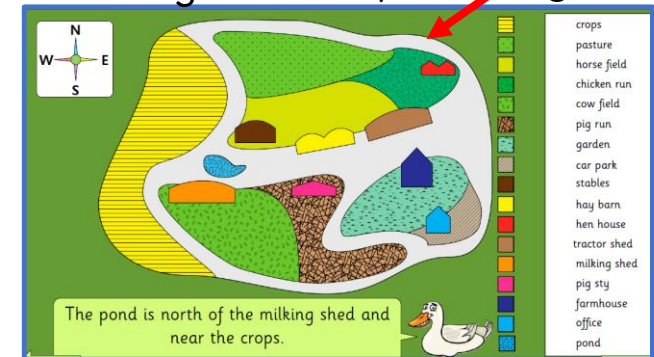
The arrow on a compass always points North (towards the North Pole).



A picture from the air



A drawing A map with symbols



Lots of baby animals are born in springtime.



In Autumn, most of the crops are ready to be harvested.