



## Our Local Area

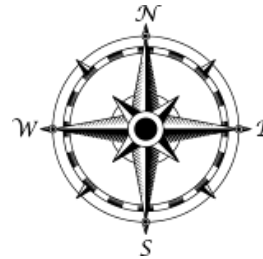
Burwell is the **village** where our school is located. It is a big village with several shops. The closest **city** to Burwell is Cambridge. There are many different **human features** and **physical features** to see in Cambridge.

## Key Vocabulary

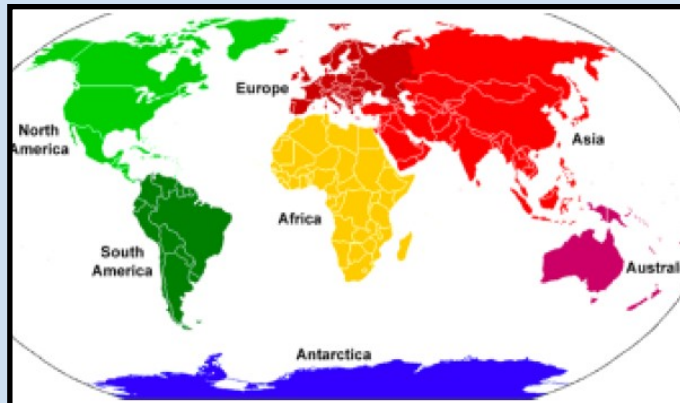
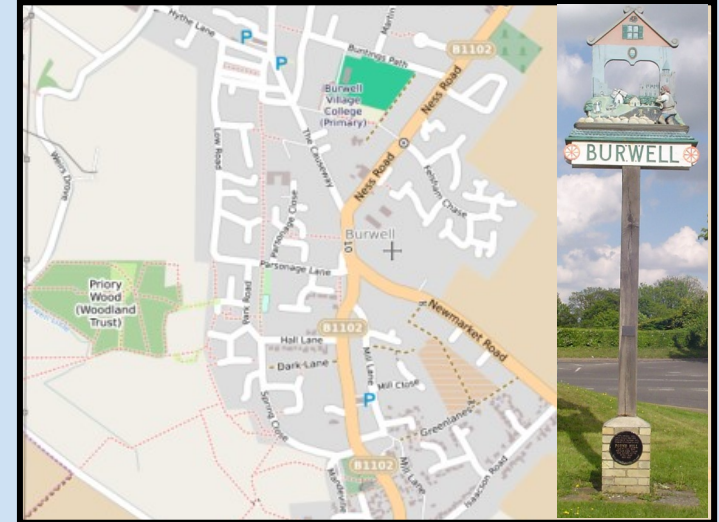
- human features** something made by humans
- physical features** something that is naturally formed  
(hills, rivers)
- village** a small group of houses
- town** a group of houses and shops, which are larger than a village
- city** a place where many people live close together  
(London)
- political map** a map that shows how the world is split into different countries
- memorial** Something made to remember an event or person from the past

## Compass

In Year 1, we learn the main 4 compass points on a compass. These are north, south, east and west.



*Naughty elephants squirt water.*



## Burwell Barn Fire

In 1727, nearly 300 years ago, there was a fire in Burwell Barn. There is a **memorial** plaque in Burwell to remember the people that died.

Before this in 1666, there was also a huge fire in London known as the Great Fire of London.

