

Geography Year 3 Summer — Field Study: Graves Park

Key knowledge to know and use

A park is a public area of land with grass and trees, usually in a town or city, where people go in order to relax and enjoy themselves.

Graves Park is located south of the city centre between the districts of Norton, Woodseats and Meadowhead.

Graves Park has many physical features including natural vegetation, woodland, stream and hills

Graves Park has many human features including paths, bridges, ponds, a café, play areas and gardens.

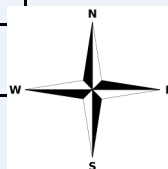
Graves Park has many purposes including recreation and business

Different symbols are used on an OS map to show features.



This is Graves Park on an Ordnance Survey map. Symbols and letters are used to identify features:

- FB** means there is a footbridge - - - - - means there is a path
- P** parking ★ tourist feature



A map of Graves Park showing some of its features



Graves Park: This 248 acre park is the largest in Sheffield. The park was bought for the people of Sheffield by J. G. Graves, who developed it between 1926 and 1936, to protect the thousand year old woodland from building development.

Key vocabulary to remember and use in your learning

Word	Definition
purpose	Why an object or place is used the way it is.
recreation	An activity done for pleasure e.g. walking, cycling or football.
business	An activity that makes money by providing goods or services e.g. café,
OS map	Ordnance Survey (OS) produce lots of different types of maps of Great Britain, which can be used for different purposes.
survey	A list of questions designed to find out information about someone or something.
scale	Distance on a map compared to the actual distance on the ground.