

How can you practise being a geographer whilst at home?

How are places and spaces different in your home? (Duration: 1 Week)

Knowledge:

- What makes up a space
- How can we describe places?

Skills

- Description
- Mindfulness of our space

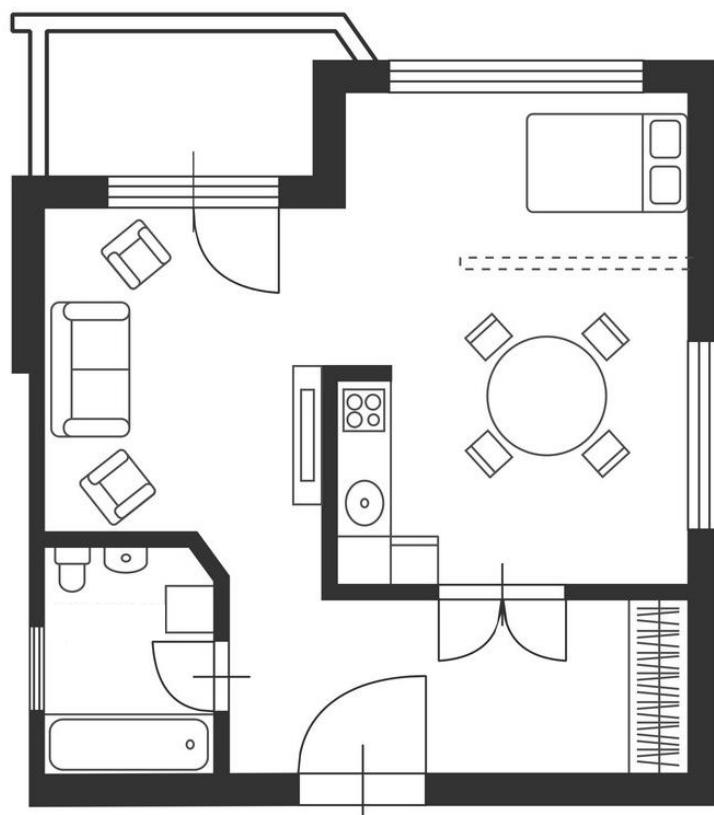
Equipment

- Pen and Paper

Task 1:

First you must draw a plan of your house, showing all the different spaces. Make sure to include all areas or rooms, gardens, hallways and cupboards etc.

Here is an example of a flat that you can see as an example. You can either use simple symbols to help you identify each of the rooms, or you can label the different rooms.



Now you have your house map you can start thinking about and recording what the spaces are like!

Task 2: Thinking about space and place.

Your task now is to adventure around your house thinking about what it is like in each space.

As you walk around the rooms, complete the table thinking about what the space is like.
(You can add additional places at the bottom as well)

I have completed the first one as an example.

| Room | What 3 adjectives could you use to describe this space? | 4 Senses: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Smell• Sight• Noise• Feel | What is your favourite memory of this room? |
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| Kitchen - example. | Busy Tasty Fun | Smell: The kitchen smells like coffee as I have just made a cup. Sight: The Kitchen looks bright as morning sunshine is pouring through the window. Noise: I can hear the radio playing music. Feel: The kitchen surface feels cool and smooth. | My favourite memory is turning out my sister's birthday cake last year. I had worked really hard and the first 2 times it had fallen apart, but this time it came clean out and looked great! |
| Kitchen | | | |
| Living Room | | | |
| Bedroom | | | |
| Bathroom | | | |
| Hallway or stairs | | | |

(There is example of this table ready to print at the end of the document, if you need it).

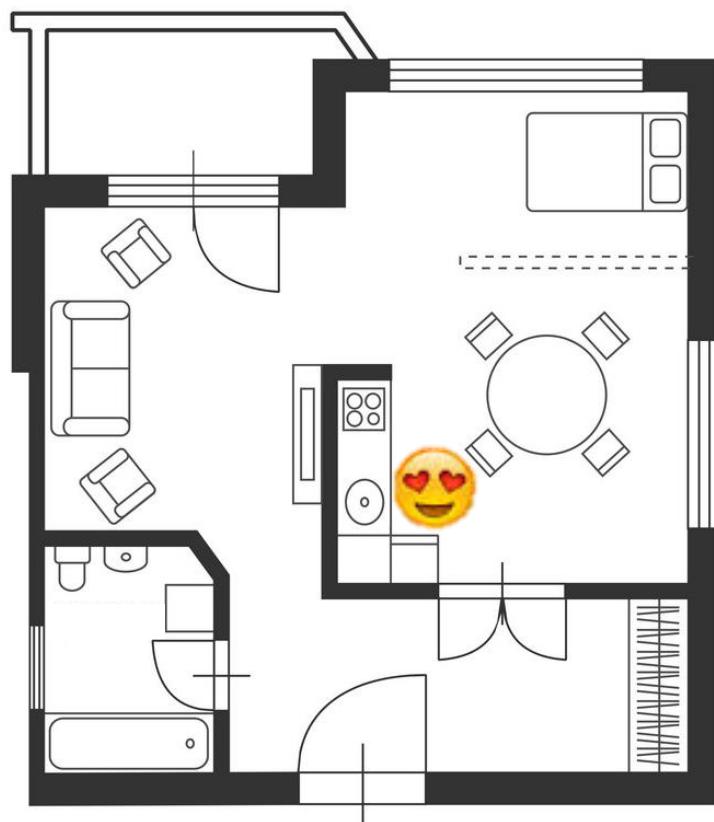
Task 3:

Now you have thought about the different places in your house, you must add some points to your blueprint.

Your challenge is to select and draw an emoji for each room. You can draw any emoji you want but here is a small selection to get you started.



Here is an example of mine!



The kitchen makes me very happy as this is where I made my sister's birthday cake!

Ext: Add a brief sentence to explain your emoji, like I have done.

Resource 3

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