

Mapping Memories

Worksheet

What makes a place matter?

Choose one place on the map that matters to you, your family, your school or your community.

It does not need to be dramatic or “important” in an official sense: It could be a path, harbour, hill, beach, playground, viewpoint, fishing area, sports place or family place.

Discuss in the group:

1. What place did you choose?
2. What memories, activities or stories are connected to it?
3. Has it changed, or could it change in the future?
4. What would be lost if people could no longer use or recognise this place?

Create “memory cards” about your place:

- Name the place
- Ad one short memory/story
- Ad one actual or possible change
- Write one message to adults, planners or decision-makers about the future of this place