

BOWTHORPE: HOW DOES OUR LOCALITY SERVE ITS PEOPLE?



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KEY VOCABULARY

Amenities	Useful or desirable feature (shop/service) of a place.
Land use	The way an area of land is being used, such as living, farming, business, retail, or industrial.
Settlement	An area of land that is lived on and has communal facilities.
Coordinate map	An area that has been divided up into a set of letters and numbers that show you a position on a map .
Community	A community is a group of people living or working together in the same area. People in communities might go to the same schools, shop in the same stores and do the same things.
Suburban	Residential areas at the outer edges of a city.

Population (how many people live there)	11,683 (2011 census)
County	Norfolk
Region	East
Country	England
Sovereign state	United Kingdom

Bowthorpe is a **suburban village** to the west of Norwich, in the county of Norfolk, England. It is primarily a **residential area**, but includes a large **industrial estate** (Bowthorpe Industrial Estate; occupied by mix-use commercial business) and one small out-of-town shopping centre, containing a supermarket and various smaller **retail outlets**. A **police station** and **community hall** are situated close to Bowthorpe village centre. Most of present-day Bowthorpe has been developed from the 1970s onward.

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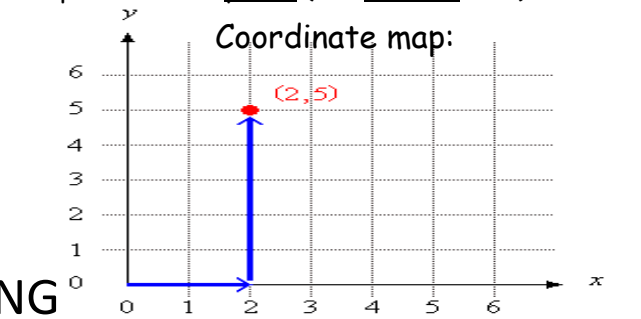
A little bit about what's in Bowthorpe...

Kettle Crisps- having this factory in Bowthorpe is good because it provides local people with jobs.

3 very good schools- this is important because the area is home to a lot of families with children. The schools educate the children so they can have successful working lives.

Community centre- this is a place where local people can gather together to take part in activities and find out information.

You can record or find an area on a coordinate map by looking how far along it is on the **x axis** (the horizontal axis) and how far up it is on the **y axis** (the vertical axis).



QUESTIONS TO DEEPEN YOUR LEARNING

Character	Critical Thinking	Creativity	Communication	Citizenship	Collaboration
What is it like to live in Bowthorpe?	Compare and contrast a different locality with Bowthorpe	What new amenities would you like to see in Bowthorpe?	Create a poster or speech persuading a family to move to Bowthorpe	Who are the people who help our community?	Plan a journey around Bowthorpe using a coordinate map