

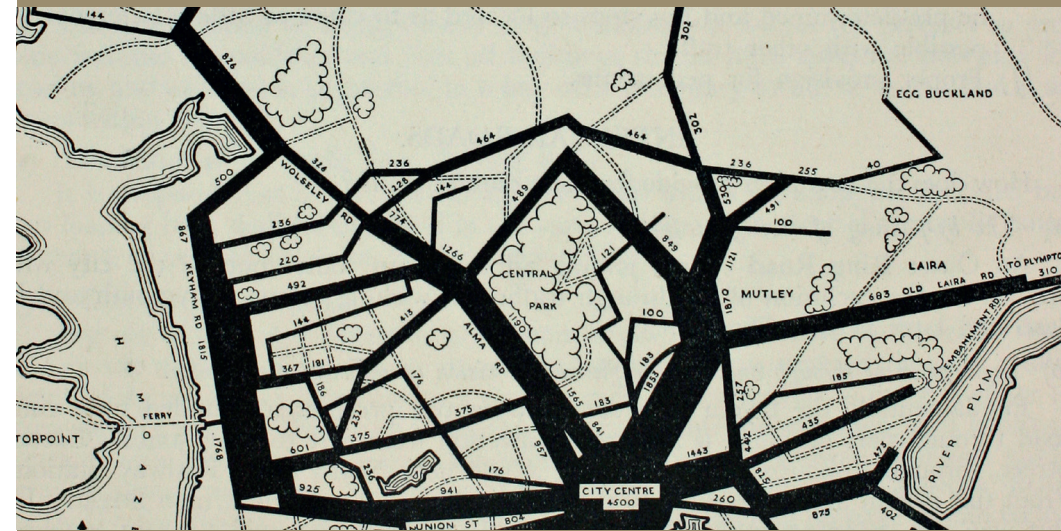
# Creative Curriculum Challenge 9

## Making Strange Maps (Geography)

This challenge will take you somewhere a little strange... You probably know what a regular map looks like, but this one from our collection shows 'Bus Traffic Intensity'. The thicker lines represent heavier bus traffic on certain roads.

Find a map of the area where you live and print a copy. There are lots of straight lines already on it, aren't there? Grab a mug and a pencil, then place the mug onto the map and draw around the bottom of it. This will be our walking route - a circle! Obviously you can't walk through houses, rivers or across main roads, so try your best to follow the route, making sure you stay safe. How easy was it to walk in a circle? **If you don't have a printer, ask an adult to help you screenshot a map on their phone, and use your photos app to draw a circle with your finger.**

# THE BOX



### Stretch Challenge

Using Google Maps (if you haven't already got an account, ask an adult to help make one so you can edit your own map), challenge yourself to map something different for a few days - smells, colours, sounds - even bus traffic intensity like our map. Pin them to your map and give them different symbols and descriptions. Use a printed version and stickers or pens if you prefer. Try drawing other shapes on the map and following different routes.

Once you've completed your challenge, send us a photo to [theboxlearning@plymouth.gov.uk](mailto:theboxlearning@plymouth.gov.uk) by the end of Sunday. We'll pick a lucky winner (under 18s only) to receive a bag of goodies from our shop! Make sure you add it to your school home learning book too.