



DOVER COLLEGE

#ONLINE

#MAPREADING

If you are keen to explore the world outdoors then **Map Reading and Navigation** are important skills to learn. But even if you are not into walking and hiking map-reading and navigation is a skill that everyone should learn. Maps help us to know distances so that we know how far away one thing is from another. We need to be able to estimate distances on maps because all maps show the earth or regions within it as a much smaller size than their real size.

There is nothing more exciting and fulfilling than being able to compare the drawn world with the real world and understanding how to relate map to ground.

Try either of these links to get you started on the road to outdoor discovery...

<https://getoutside.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/guides/beginners-guides-map-reading/>

<https://www.pureoutdoor.co.uk/activity/peak-district-navigation-courses/free-online-map-reading-navigation-course>