

Social Studies, Grade 2
Unit V: Lesson C4

Maps: **Changes to My Community**



Talk to someone who has lived in your neighborhood or community for many years. Ask him or her to go with you to different parts of your neighborhood or community and tell you what changes have taken place. Write down the most interesting things he or she tells you.

Compare the way the community and neighborhood has changed. Think of some of the reasons for the changes.

Make two maps. One map should show the neighborhood or community as it was years ago. The other map should show the community or neighborhood as it is now. Make a key for the maps. Make a title that helps explain why the changes happened. Display the maps.