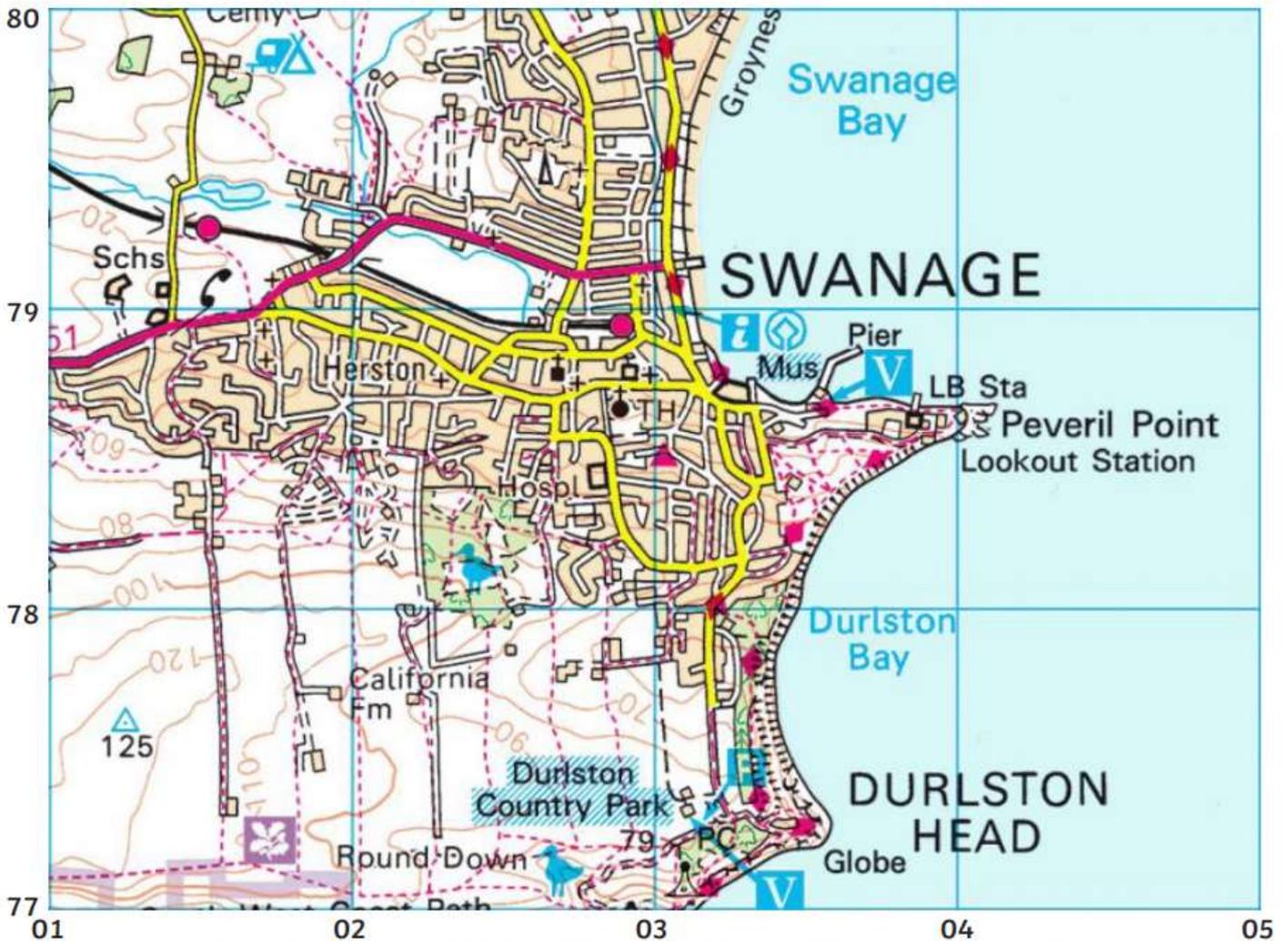# Swanage Map **Four-Figure and Six-Figure Grid References**

What is the purpose of grid references?

Grid references help us to _____

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Complete the paragraph below:

more	four-figure	location	six-figure

Four-figure grid references are used to find a grid square but we can use _____ grid references to find an exact _____ within a grid square. Six-figure grid references are much _____ accurate than _____ grid references.

Answer these questions using the map of Swanage.

1. Find Swanage Pier on the map. Which of these is the correct four-figure grid reference?

   a) 0378

   b) 0377

   c) 0279

2. Find Durlston Country Park on the map. Which of these is the correct four-figure grid reference?

   a) 0377

   b) 0277

   c) 7703

3. What is the name of the bay which is found in grid square 0379?

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4. What is located at six-figure grid reference 013776?

   a) a church

   b) a triangulation pillar

   c) a school

5. What is located at six-figure grid reference 015793?

   a) a railway station

   b) a hospital

   c) a campsite

Extension

Name four features that can be found in grid square 0179.

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