

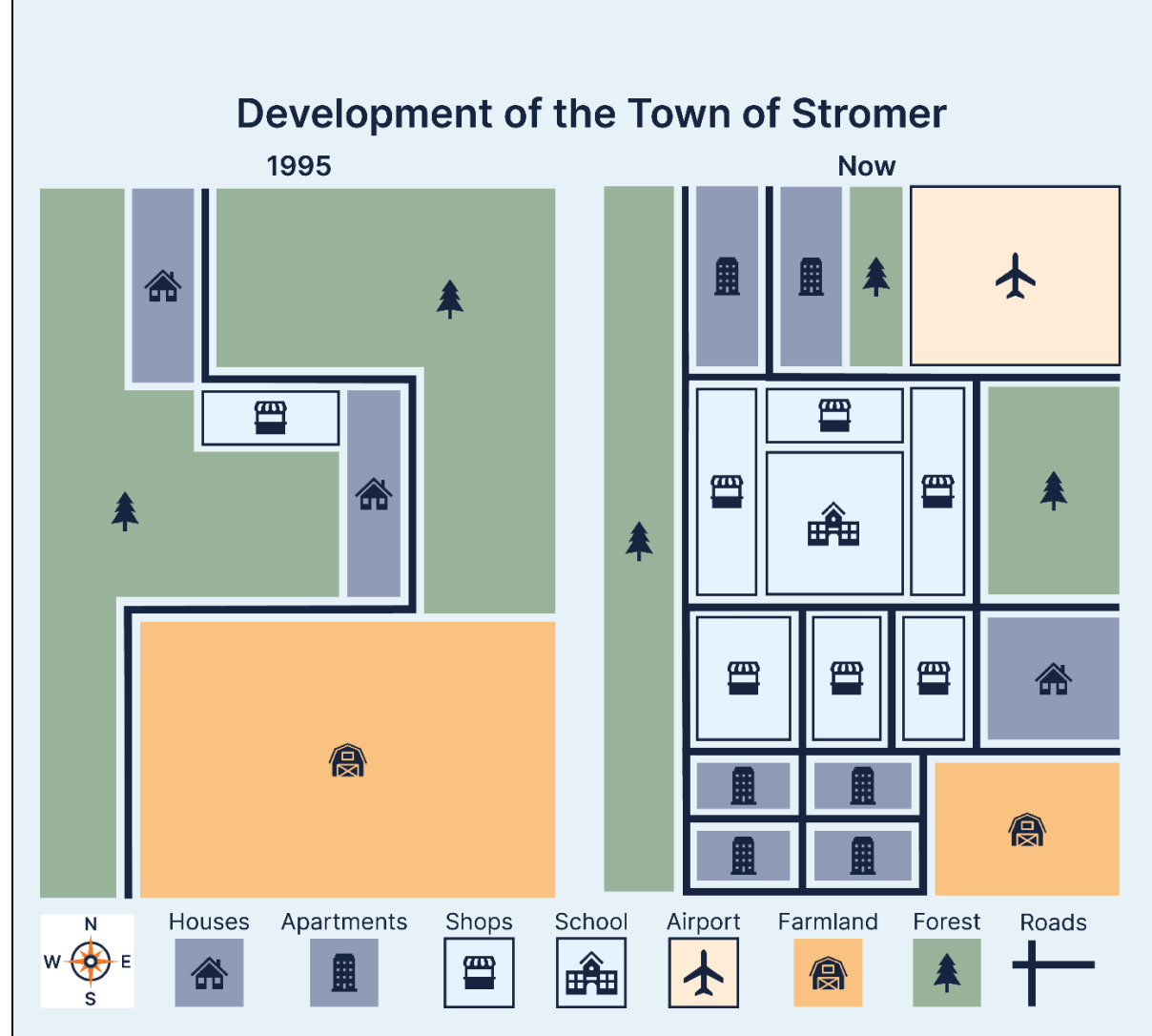
Task 1

Model Response

Question

The map below shows the development of the town of Stromer between 1995 and now.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparison where relevant.



This map illustrates the changes that have taken place in a town called Stromer between 1995 and now. Overall, it is clear that there has been significant development in the town, with a large increase in the number of roads and buildings.

In 1995, the land around the town of Stromer was made up of large areas of forest in the north and a substantial portion of farmland in the south-east. There was only one main road which ran through the centre of the town with a small commercial area and residential blocks to the north-west and south-east of the shops.

In contrast, the current map of Stromer includes significantly more buildings, including shops, houses, apartments, a school and an airport. The area of farmland that can be seen in 1995 has shrunk considerably and the amount of forest land is also much smaller. An airport has been constructed in the north-east, where there was once forest in 1995, and in the centre of the town a school has been built. Around the school, a number of new shops have been established in areas which used to have forest or farmland and, in the north and south, new apartment buildings have appeared.