

Geography	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 7	What is a Geographer? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What does it mean to be a Geographer? What are the key skills Geographers use to study the world? 	Is Earth running out of natural resources? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are the different spheres of the Earth? Why is the rainforest biome important to our daily lives? How do we rely on natural resources such as oil and water? 	What is an economy? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are economic activities like at different scales? How does manufacturing work? How does the UK trade with other countries? What are the reasons for China's economic growth? 	What is weather and climate? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is the difference between weather and climate? How do we measure weather? How do Geographers conduct fieldwork? Why is the world divided up into different climate zones? 	Is the geography of Russia a curse or a benefit? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where is Russia located? How has the physical geography of Russia influenced its human geography? What is the climate of Russia? What biomes exist in Russia? Does geography help or hinder the Russian economy? What is GIS? 	
Year 8	Why are rivers important? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are rivers? How does water get to rivers? How does river erosion, transportation and deposition create different landforms? How can we identify river landforms on OS maps? 	What is development? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is development? How can we compare development across the world? What is inequality? What actions can individuals, governments and communities take to aid development? 	How are populations changing? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where does everyone live on Earth? How does population link with economic development? How do different countries try to control population change? What is migration? How do cities evolve? How is urbanisation changing lives in Karnataka, India? 	What happens where the land meets the sea? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is a coastline? Why are they important? How does coastal erosion, transportation and deposition create coastal landforms over time? How can we identify coastal landforms on OS maps? What defences can be used to protect the coast? 		
Year 9	What are the opportunities and challenges facing African countries? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is the physical and human geography of Africa? What is Africa's colonial history? What opportunities and challenges exist across different countries in Africa? 	How does ice change the world? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How does erosion and transportation create different glacial landforms? How can we identify glacial landforms on OS maps? What is the distribution of ice around the world? How has this changed? 	Will we ever know enough about earthquakes and volcanoes to live safely? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is the theory of plate tectonics? How does plate movement affect the Middle East? How do volcanic eruptions and earthquakes happen? How do scientists predict, manage and prevent these natural hazards? 	What is the future for the planet? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why is climate change a controversial global issue? What evidence is there for climate change? Is climate change natural or caused by humans? What are the social, economic and environmental effects of climate change? Is climate change causing an increase in extreme weather? What are the mitigation and adaptation strategies to climate change? 		
Year 10	The Challenge of Natural Hazards (Paper 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural hazards Tectonic hazards Weather hazards Climate change 	River Landscapes (Paper 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fluvial processes Upper, middle and lower course landforms River management Physical fieldwork enquiry: planning, preparation, visit and write-up 	The Living World (Paper 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ecosystems Tropical rainforests Hot deserts 	Coasts (Paper 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marine processes Coastal landforms Coastal management 	Urban Issues and Challenges (Paper 2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The global pattern of urban change Urban growth in Nigeria Urban challenges in the UK Sustainable development of urban areas Human fieldwork – planning, preparation, visit and write-up 	
Year 11	The Challenge of Resource Management (Paper 2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Global resource management Resources in the UK Food Geographical Applications - Fieldwork (Paper 3) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Period 6 lessons 	The Changing Economic World (Paper 2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic development and quality of life Reducing the development gap Economic development in Nigeria Economic change in the UK Geographical Applications - Fieldwork (Paper 3) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Period 6 lessons 	Geographical Applications - Pre-release (Paper 3) <p>Pre-release resource booklet available 12 weeks before date of exam - <i>topic TBC by exam board</i></p>	Revision / exams		