



# Armfield Academy – Department of Geography



## 2021-22 Year 7 Curriculum Overview

### Half Term 1

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Why is the world so significant? / How does the Chocolate Industry support development in Africa?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> September	What is “geography”?	What is “geography”? (Baseline Assessment)
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> September	Where are the new second wonders of the world? (Describing location)	Why is Dubai such an attractive place to visit? (4 figure grid references)
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> September	What is the Great Wall of China? (Measuring Distance)	Why is Christ the Redeemer so large? (Scale)
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Why are the Blue Mountains so significant? (Height on a Map)	Review: Why is the world so significant? (Revision)
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> October	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> October	What is Africa like?	What are the different types of industry?

### Half Term 2

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – How does the chocolate industry support development in Africa? / What is the human & physical geography of the UK like?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 1 <sup>st</sup> November	Where is best to locate industry?	What impact does chocolate have on the development of a country?
WB 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Why is Child Labour used in LICs?	What is the role of HICs in supporting the chocolate industry?
WB 15 <sup>th</sup> November	What role is climate change having on the chocolate industry?	How can the chocolate industry become sustainable?
WB 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 29 <sup>th</sup> November	What is Britain?	What is Britain’s landscape like?
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Where are the UK’s major cities?	What causes cities to grow?
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> December	How is Britain’s population distributed?	What makes Britain great? (Multiculturalism)

### Half Term 3

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What is the human & physical geography of the UK like?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Was Brexit a good idea?	Was HS2 really needed?
WB 10 <sup>th</sup> January	What is the UK’s physical landscape like?	What is glaciation?
WB 17 <sup>th</sup> January	**A Glaciation Feature**	Why is the Lake District important?
WB 24 <sup>th</sup> January	What is a drainage basin?	What can you find in the upper course?
WB 31 <sup>st</sup> January	What can you find in the lower course?	Why did floods happen in Cokermonth?
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Why are rivers so significant?	Why are supply management strategies needed?

### Half Term 4

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Why is the Middle East an important world region?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> February	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> February	The middle of what, the east of where?	How does physical geography influence the region?
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> March	What problems does the climate of the Middle East create?	Why is the population of the Middle East so diverse?
WB 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Why is the Middle East a major economic region?	How has the UAE developed?
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> March	How does Yemen compare to the UAE?	How do different areas of the Middle East compare? (Consolidation)
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Why does migration in Syria matter to me? (Part 1)	Why does migration in Syria matter to me? (Part 2)

### Half Term 5

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Is Climate Change real?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> April	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 25 <sup>th</sup> April	What is the future of our planet?	What has happened to the Earth’s temperature over time?
WB 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	What is the evidence for climate change?	Why is climate change happening?
WB 9 <sup>th</sup> May	What are the consequences of climate change on the planet?	Who will suffer the most from climate change?
WB 16 <sup>th</sup> May	What does climate change mean for the UK?	What does climate change mean for the world’s Polar Bears?
WB 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	What does climate change mean for the world’s Polar Bears?	What can we do about climate change?

### Half Term 6

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What is the microclimate of Armfield Academy?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> June	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> June	What is fieldwork?	How do we plan fieldwork?
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> June	How do we collect the data?	How do we accurately complete fieldwork?
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> June	How can we present the data we have collected?	What does the data show us? (Analysis)
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> July	What have we learnt from our fieldwork? (Conclusions)	How could we do better next time? (Evaluation)
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Review: How do we produce a field report?	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Review	End of Year Quiz



# Armfield Academy – Department of Geography



## 2021-22 Year 8 Curriculum Overview

### Half Term 1

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What processes shape the coastal landscape?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> September	What does “geography” in Year 8 look like?	What is the coast? (4 figure grid references)
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> September	What is weathering?	How do different types of waves work?
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> September	What are different types of erosion?	How do headlands and bays form?
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> September	What is cliff collapse? (Contours)	How does the sea transport material? (Measuring distance)
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> October	How does deposition create spits and bars?	Why are sand dunes important? (6 figure grid references)
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> October	What is the coast used for? (Human and Physical Features)	End of Enquiry Assessment

### Half Term 2

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Why are ecosystems so significant?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 1 <sup>st</sup> November	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice	What are ecosystems and biomes?
WB 8 <sup>th</sup> November	What is the TRF and where is it located?	How has vegetation adapted in the TRF?
WB 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Why is there deforestation in the TRF?	Why is sustainability important in the TRF?
WB 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	What are deserts?	How do mesa and buttes form? (Part 1)
WB 29 <sup>th</sup> November	How do mesa and buttes form? (Part 2)	What is a deciduous woodland?
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> December	How do food chains in a deciduous woodland survive?	How does rewilding in the UK work? (Part 1)
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> December	How does rewilding in the UK work? (Part 2)	What is the Taiga?

### Half Term 3

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Where is the population of the world? / What does tourism bring to the world?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	How have wolves adapted to the cold environment?	How have wolves adapted to the cold environment? (Consolidation)
WB 10 <sup>th</sup> January	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 17 <sup>th</sup> January	What is population density and distribution?	Where are the fastest growing cities located?
WB 24 <sup>th</sup> January	What are population pyramids?	What issues does overpopulation create?
WB 31 <sup>st</sup> January	How have countries attempted to deal with over-population?	Where do people migrate to and why does migration happen?
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> February	2100 – Population of the future?	End of Enquiry Assessment

### Half Term 4

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What does tourism bring to the world? / Is money really important?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> February	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice	What is tourism?
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> February	What is tourism like in Thailand?	Where is the best location for a tourist resort?
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Mass tourism: Good or bad?	Why is eco-tourism the future?
WB 14 <sup>th</sup> March	What is voluntourism?	Would you be a medical tourist?
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> March	What is extreme tourism? (Part 1)	What is extreme tourism? (Part 2)
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> March	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice

### Half Term 5

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Is money really important?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> April	What is an economy? (Local to Global)	How has employment changed over time in the UK?
WB 25 <sup>th</sup> April	What is happening down on the farm?	Why did Nissan choose to locate in the UK? (Impact of Brexit)
WB 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	How is employment structured in other countries?	Where did the UK’s factory jobs go?
WB 9 <sup>th</sup> May	What is the truth behind your iPhone?	What is the truth behind your iPhone?
WB 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Is money really the future? (Case Study: New Zealand)	End of Enquiry Assessment
WB 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice	What is settlement?

### Half Term 6

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What is urbanisation?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Where are settlements located?	What is the Burgess land-use model?
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> June	What are the benefits and problems of growth?	What are sustainable cities?
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> June	What are megacities?	What is our hypothesis? (Introduction to fieldwork)
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> June	How can we collect data? (Methodology)	How can we present the data we have collected?
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> July	What does our data show us? (Analysis)	What have we learnt from our fieldwork? (Conclusions)
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> July	How can we do better next time? (Evaluation)	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Review	End of Year Quiz



# Armfield Academy – Department of Geography



## 2021-22 Year 9 Curriculum Overview

### Half Term 1

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – How can geography be dangerous? / What are the challenges of tectonics?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> September	What does “geography” in Year 9 look like?	What are sink holes?
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> September	Can you write your own geo-report?	What is Ebola?
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> September	How did Ebola spread?	What have we learnt about Ebola?
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> September	What is North Korea really like?	What is North Korea really like?
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> October	What are super-volcanoes?	Can super-volcanoes really be that dangerous?
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> October	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice

### Half Term 2

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What are the challenges of tectonics?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 1 <sup>st</sup> November	What is the structure of the earth like?	How do plate margins create hazards?
WB 8 <sup>th</sup> November	What are convection currents?	How has continental drift had an impact upon us?
WB 15 <sup>th</sup> November	What are shield volcanoes?	How has Iceland been impacted by volcanoes? (1)
WB 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	How has Iceland been impacted by volcanoes? (2)	What are the hazards of an eruption? (Part 1)
WB 29 <sup>th</sup> November	What are the hazards of an eruption? (Part 2)	What are composite volcanoes?
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> December	What happened to Vesuvius? (Part 1)	What happened to Vesuvius? (Part 2)
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> December	What are earthquakes?	How do earthquakes affect HICs and LICs differently?

### Half Term 3

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What are the challenges of tectonics? / How can war and conflict be geography?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	How do HICS and LICs respond differently to earthquakes?	What are tsunamis?
WB 10 <sup>th</sup> January	What are the three Ps and why are they useful?	End of Enquiry Assessment
WB 17 <sup>th</sup> January	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice	Introduction to War and Conflict
WB 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Where are modern wars found?	What causes war?
WB 31 <sup>st</sup> January	What is happening in Darfur?	Why is there war in Sudan? (Part 1)
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Why is there war in Sudan? (Part 2)	What is the turbulent history of Rwanda?

### Half Term 4

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – How can war and conflict be geography? / What are MINT countries?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> February	What effect does geography have on war?	What are child soldiers? (Part 1)
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> February	What are child soldiers? (Part 2)	Where are the Falklands and why are they significant?
WB 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Who is Treo?	End of Enquiry Assessment
WB 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice	What is development?
WB 21 <sup>st</sup> March	How rich are you?	What are development indicators?
WB 28 <sup>th</sup> March	What is the development gap?	What is happening in Mexico?

### Half Term 5

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – What are the MINT countries? / Is the geography of Russia a benefit or a curse?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> April	What is happening in Indonesia?	What is happening in Nigeria?
WB 25 <sup>th</sup> April	What is happening in Turkey?	What is the future of the world?
WB 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Is the geography of Russia a curse or a benefit?	What is the physical landscape of Russia?
WB 16 <sup>th</sup> May	What is the climate of Russia?	What biomes exist in Russia?
WB 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Where do people live in Russia?	Does geography help or hinder the Russian economy?

### Half Term 6

Date	Enquiry Question(s) – Is the geography of Russia a benefit or a curse? / Is glaciation really important in the 21 <sup>st</sup> century?	
	Lesson 1	Lesson 2
WB 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Why is Russia a threat?	What is GIS and how can I use it to investigate Russia?
WB 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Why did Russia plant their flag on the seabed of the North Pole? (Part 1)	Why did Russia plant their flag on the seabed of the North Pole? (Part 2)
WB 20 <sup>th</sup> June	End of Enquiry Assessment	Feedback, DIRT & Pupil Voice
WB 27 <sup>th</sup> June	What and where are glaciers found?	How do glaciers work?
WB 4 <sup>th</sup> July	What landforms are created by glacial erosion? (Corrie and u-shaped valley)	How are landforms created by deposition? (Erratic)
WB 11 <sup>th</sup> July	How can we see these landforms on a map?	Do glaciers matter?

