

Year 9 Curriculum Plan

Geography Interdependence System Risk Globalisation Sustainability Stewardship Development and Inequality



Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
PRIOR LEARNING	Cracking Coasts In year 7 Geography students covered the physical systems and processes of wicked water and in year 8 they covered wild weather showing the world is dynamic and constantly changing. This unit builds on this key concept Also the will studied UK's Coastal resort in Summer Holidays		Saving the planet In year 7 Geography students will have studied the Eden project and connecting classrooms looking at the interdependence between humans and their environments. In year 8 Geography students study Its too cold		Risky world In year 7 Geography students the theme nature presents risks to human in Wicked Water (River Flooding) and again in year 8 Geography during Wild Weather (Tropical Storms) Design technology: earthquake proof buildings		Urban Splash In Year 7 Geography students discuss people living in and moving between Rural and Urban environments in Too many people (population and Migration) and in Connecting Classrooms (development) In Year 8 Geography students discuss how urban environments impact human behaviour in the Geography of Crime		Middle East In Year 7 Geography students study deserts in the Eden project and economic development in connecting classrooms. which is also continued in Year 8 in the world of work and world sport units. Human adaptations and Extreme climates are studied in its Too cold		Geography in the News Throughout Geography year 7, 8 and 9 we cover current news stories to connect students learning to currents events.
	1. Locations 2. Coastal processes 3. Erosional Landforms 4. Depositional Landforms 5. Coastal Management Hard Engineering 6. Soft Engineering 7. Case Study: Blackpool • Map skills • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Data response • Literacy		1. Sustainability 2. Types of Resources (non-renewable / Renewable) 3. Plastic pollution problem and 3 R's 4. Water Issues and Management 5. Global Warming and Climate change 6. Causes 7. Impacts 8. Responses 9. Case Study: UK • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Graphs • Literacy		1. Earths Structure 2. Tectonic Plates 3. Types of Volcanoes 4. Impacts of Volcanic eruptions 5. Causes of Earthquakes 6. Immediate and Long-term responses 7. Why people live with tectonic hazards 8. Case Study: Monserrat Volcano 9. Case Study: Haiti Earthquake • GIS • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Data response • Literacy		1. Locations UK and Global Megacities 2. Functions, Site and situation 3. Urbanisation 4. Rural to urban migration 5. Urban opportunities 6. Urban Challenges 7. UK Case Study: Preston/Liverpool 8. Sustainable Cities 9. Counter Urbanisation • Map skills • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Graphs • Data response • Literacy		1. Locations 2. Climate 3. Desert Biomes 4. Living in the Desert 5. Opportunities in the Desert 6. Oil Money \Growth of Sport in ME 7. Case Study: Dubai / Qatar 8. Sustainable futures • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Graphs • Data response • Literacy		1. Global Pandemics 2. Brexit 3. Interdependence 4. Sustainability 5. Inequality 6. Development 7. Globalisation 8. UK Covid 19 crisis • Map skills • Photo Analysis • Numeracy • Graphs • Data response

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KNOWING HOW...	- Our World is dynamic and geographical processes change our landscape. This is works a system when we look at erosional and depositional landforms - It can be a Risk to human live and property when we look coastal erosion and flooding - We have an impact on our environment and our environment influences our actions. This is called INTERDEPENDENCE again looked at through coastal management. - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy with advantages and disadvantages to any coastal management solutions	- This can be a Risk to human live and property through looking at Climate Change - We have an impact on our environment and our environment influences our actions. This is called INTERDEPENDENCE through looking at the plastic pollution problem - Sustainability and stewardship are important solutions to the world's problems through looking at the responses to climate change. - Global Citizenship means we are all interconnected. This is called Globalisation, and we look at it through responses to climate change. - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy with advantages and disadvantages to every environmental solution.	- Our World is dynamic and geographical processes change our landscape. This is works a system through looking at the tectonics. - It can be a Risk to human live and property through at volcanic eruptions and earthquakes. - We have an impact on our environment and our environment influences our actions. This is called INTERDEPENDENCE through looking at the Responses to natural disasters - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy again when looking at the impacts and response to natural disasters in both LIC's and HIC's.	- We have an impact on our environment and our environment influences our actions. This is called INTERDEPENDENCE through location of settlements. - Sustainability and stewardship are important solutions to the world's problems which we address in sustainable cities - Global Citizenship means we are all interconnected. This is called Globalisation, and we look at this through urbanisation and the growth of Mega cities - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy when looking at the solutions the squatter settlements	- We have an impact on our environment and our environment influences our actions. This is called INTERDEPENDENCE. We look at this through desert ecosystems. - Sustainability and stewardship are important solutions to the world's problems. We look at this as many Middle eastern countries seek to become less reliant on Fossil Fuels. - Global Citizenship means we are all interconnected. This is called Globalisation. This connection is clearly shown through the world leading economies dependence on Oil and Oil Money. - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy when looking at the Middle move into the world of sport.	- Global Citizenship means we are all interconnected. This is called Globalisation. This connection is shown through many events most recently the Covid Pandemic. - There are no easy solutions as the world is often messy when looking at current news stories from around the world

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ASSESSMENT	Week 3 : Formative Assessment Online Quiz covering 1-4 Week 6 Summative Assessment: Question paper testing Knowledge understanding, Application and Skills covering 2,3,4,5,6 and 7. This includes an extended writing question (write like a geographer)	Week 3: Formative Assessment Online Quiz covering 1-3 Week 6 Summative Assessment: Question paper testing Knowledge understanding, Application and Skills. Covering 1,2 ,5,6,7,8 and 9 This includes an extended writing question (write like a geographer)	Week 3: Formative Assessment Online Quiz covering 1-5 Week 6 Summative Assessment: Question paper testing Knowledge understanding, Application and Skills covering 1-9. This includes an extended writing question (write like a geographer)	Week 3: formative Assessment Online Quiz covering 1-4 Week 6 Summative Assessment: Question paper testing Knowledge understanding, Application and Skills covering 1-9. This includes an extended writing question (write like a geographer)	Week 3: formative Assessment Online Quiz covering 1-4 Week 6 Summative Assessment: Question paper testing Knowledge understanding, Application and Skills covering 1-7. This includes an extended writing question (write like a geographer)	End of Year assessment on knowledge learnt through the year