

Geography Revision Plan 2026

After-school revision:

Mondays in H9 and H2

Week	What to Revise	Key Dates
19/01 – 25/01	<p>PAPER 2 - Urban Issues and Challenges</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Global pattern of urban change and factors affecting urbanisation, megacities 2. Lagos: Regional, national and international importance + causes of growth 3. Opportunities and challenges (social, economic and environmental) 4. Example of how urban planning is improving the quality of life – Makoko School 	
26/01 - 01/02	<p>PAPER 2 - Urban Issues and Challenges</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UK City: Manchester: location and importance + impacts from migration 2. Opportunities and challenges (social, economic and environmental) 3. Example of an urban regeneration project – Salford Quays 4. Overview of population and distribution of major cities and features of sustainable urban living + urban transport strategies 	
02/02 - 08/02	<p>PAPER 2 - The Changing Economic World</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ways to classify the world and economic and social measures of development + their limitations 2. Demographic Transition Model 3. Causes and consequences of uneven development 4. Strategies to reduce the development gap + Tunisia tourism example 	
09/02 – 15/02	<p>PAPER 2 - The Changing Economic World</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NEE case study: Nigeria - importance and wider context + Changing industrial structure 2. Advantages and disadvantages of TNCs (Shell) 3. Nigeria - changing trading relationships + types of aid 4. Nigeria - Impacts on people and environment from economic development 	
16/02 – 22/02	<p>PAPER 2 - The Changing Economic World</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Changing economy UK - de-industrialisation, decline of traditional industries, globalisation and gov. Policies 2. Moving to new economy – finance, research... 	February half term

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Impacts of industry on the physical environment 4. Nissan – example of environmentally sustainable 	
23/02 - 01/03	<p>PAPER 2 - The Changing Economic World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Social and economic changes in the rural landscape (one place that grows, one that loses people) 2. Improvements and new developments in road and rail, port and airport 3. North South divide + strategies to resolve regional differences 4. UK place in the wider world (EU and Commonwealth) 	
02/03 – 08/03	<p>PAPER 1 - The Living World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Small-scale UK ecosystem – Epping Forest as example (consumers, producers, food chain and web, nutrient cycle) 2. Tropical rainforest – climate, water, soil + animal and plant adaptations – issues related to biodiversity 3. Causes and impacts of deforestation – Amazon Rainforest 4. Value of TRFs and strategies to manage them sustainably 	
09/03 – 15/03	<p>PAPER 1 - The Living World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Alaska – characteristics and interdependence of climate, soil, animals and plants + their adaptations 2. Development in Alaska – opportunities and challenges 3. Value of cold environments + why they should be protected as well as strategies to protect them 	
16/03 – 22/03	<p>PAPER 1 - Physical Landscapes in the UK – Coasts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Waves – types and characteristics 2. Weathering, erosion, mass movement types 3. Transportation (longshore drift) 4. Discordant coastlines – bays and headlands, wave cut platforms 	
23/03 – 29/03	<p>PAPER 1 - Physical Landscapes in the UK – Coasts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sand dune formation + spit and bar formation 2. Holderness coast – what landforms formed there and why 3. Hard and soft engineering methods Example of coastal management strategies – Walton-on-the-Naze 	
30/04 - 05/04	<p>PAPER 1 - Physical Landscapes in the UK - Rivers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Long and cross profile of a river 2. Erosion, transportation and deposition 3. Waterfalls, gorges, interlocking spurs 4. Meanders and ox-bow lakes 5. Levees, flood plains and estuaries 	Easter

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. River Tees as example for major landforms of erosion and deposition (High Force waterfall) 7. How human and physical activities affect flood risk 	
06/04 – 12/04	<p>PAPER 1 - Physical Landscapes in the UK – Rivers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Flood hydrographs 2. Hard and soft engineering 3. Shrewsbury as example of flood defences 	Easter
13/04 – 19/05	<p>PAPER 1 - The Challenge of Natural Hazards</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Natural hazards – definition, types and factors affecting them 2. Plate tectonic theory, global distribution of earthquakes and volcanic eruption 3. Plate boundaries (constructive, destructive and conservative) - landforms that form 4. Primary and secondary effects + immediate and long-term responses to Nepal EQ (LIC) 5. Primary and secondary effects + immediate and long-term responses to Japan EQ (HIC) 6. Reasons why people live in areas at risk of tectonic hazards 7. Monitoring, prediction, protection and planning to reduce risks from a tectonic hazard 	
20/04 – 26/04	<p>PAPER 1 - The Challenge of Natural Hazards</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General atmospheric circulation model: pressure belts and surface winds 2. Global distribution of tropical storms (hurricanes/cyclones/ typhoons) 3. Relationship between tropical storms and general atmospheric circulation 4. Causes of tropical storms and sequence of formation and development 5. Structure and features of a tropical storm 6. How climate change can affect their distribution, frequency and intensity 	
27/04 – 03/05	<p>PAPER 1 - The Challenge of Natural Hazards</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Primary and secondary effects of tropical storms 2. Immediate and long-term responses to tropical storms 3. Example 4. Monitoring, prediction, protection and planning can reduce the effects of tropical storms 5. Overview of hazards experienced in the UK 6. Example of UK weather event – causes, impacts and management strategies to reduce risk 7. Evidence that weather is becoming more extreme in the UK 	

04/05 – 10/05	PAPER 1 - The Challenge of Natural Hazards <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Climate change – evidence from Quaternary period 2. Causes – natural and human 3. Effects on people and the environment 4. Managing climate change: mitigation and adaptation 	
11/05 – 17/05	PAPER 2 - The Challenge of Resource Management <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Significance of food, water and energy to economic and social well-being + global inequalities of supply 2. Food in the UK – agribusiness, demand for seasonal and organic food, opps and challenges 3. Water in the UK – water quality and pollution, matching supply and demand (transfer schemes) 4. Energy in the UK – moving to renewables, less gas and oil, coal 5. Economic and environmental issues with exploring new energy sources 	Paper 1 – Wednesday 13th May
18/05 – 24/05	PAPER 2 - The Challenge of Resource Management <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Global distribution of energy consumption and supply + reasons for increasing energy consumption 2. Factors affecting energy supply 3. Impacts of energy insecurity 4. Renewables (biomass, wind, hydro, tidal, geothermal, wave and solar) and non-renewables (fossil fuels + nuclear) 5. Gannet oil field - advantages and disadvantages 6. Energy conservation strategies 7. Microhydro Nepal - example of renewable energy scheme in LIC 	
25/05 – 31/05	PAPER 3 – Geographical skills and fieldwork <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fieldwork – Salford Quays (human) 2. Fieldwork – Talacre sand dunes (physical) 3. Evaluation 	May half term
01/06 – 07/06		Paper 2 – Wednesday 3rd June
08/14 – 14/06		Paper 3 – Thursday 11th June