



THE GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT.



Year 9 will build on the skills and content knowledge they acquired in their middle school



Welcome

The UK physical landscape – focusing on the impacts of geology, glaciation, tectonics and water on what we see today.

Changing Places: How has industrial change affected the economic, social and environment structure of the local area?

Global issues: resource use, sea level rise, water scarcity

Paper 1: The challenge of natural hazards: Plate Tectonics, Tropical cyclones, Extreme weather and Climate Change

Paper 1 - The Living world: Ecosystems, World biomes such as Rainforests, Cold environments

Paper 1 - Physical landscapes in the UK: What is the physical landscape of the UK?
Coastal landscapes: How do coasts shape this landscape.



Paper 1 - River landscapes: How are and river landscapes changing? How is this change being managed effectively?

Paper 2: The challenge in the human environment:

The changing UK Economy – how and why has the UK economy changed – what impact has this had?

Year 10 mocks will help you make your own targets and track progress

Paper 3: Geographical application

1 fieldwork day: Biddulph Brook river investigation



Regular knowledge tests and recapping past topics will help you learn all your case study facts



Paper 2: The urban world: What are the causes and challenges of rapid urban change in Rio?



Paper 3: Geographical application

1 fieldwork day: Bakewell investigation



Geography develops transferable skills which can lead to the most varied career paths

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In the past, geography graduates have forged careers in finance, planning, environmental services, sustainability analyst, NGO'S, Army Officers, GIS specialist, civil engineering, meteorologist, flood risk planner and many more.

Geography is one of the broadest subjects you can study at university. The various strands of the subject include economic, cultural, social and political geography as well as the synopticity of concepts. All of these topics can be studied at local, national or international levels.

You will have three exams at the end of Year 13. Revise throughout the 2 year course

Y13 Topics: Water insecurity, Carbon Cycle, Superpowers, Health, human rights and development

UCAS
Visit universities and make your choices

At least 4 days of fieldwork experience to prepare you the NEA.

A level coursework will make up 20% of your overall grade and be chance to explore an area of the specification which has interested you.



As part of your A Level you are encouraged to read around your topics: this will give you a better understanding ready for the exams



The department has a wide range of resources to help you with your studies



Y12 Topics: Tectonic Hazards, Coastal Landscapes, Regenerating Places, Globalisation

A Level geography is split into two human and physical topics. Each side will be taught by a different teacher over Y12 and Y13 and examined in different papers at the end of course.



Factfulness – how accurate is data and geographical representations. What misconceptions do we have about the world?

You will examine sources of geographical information, include graphs and maps and learn how to analyse them effectively.



A Case Study of India– how has India developed in recent decades from a 'developing country' to an emerging country?

Refine and perfect your revision techniques ready for your exams

In year 9 you will be able to choose whether to continue your journey with geography and start your GCSE

Paper 2 - The development gap: Why is development uneven? How can the gap be reduced?

Paper 2 - Sustainable urban development – how can cities become more sustainable?

Students will gain an understanding of how people respond to tectonic and weather disasters.

Year 10

GCSE's begin



Map skills: 4/6 figure grid references; scale



Year 9



Year 12

Paper 2 - Resource management: How are resources managed in the UK and how is energy managed?

Paper 2 - Nigeria – a newly emerging economy
How and why has Nigeria been able to develop and what impacts has this had?

Attend BHS Sixth Form Open Evening and see what it is all about

Paper 2: The challenge in the human environment: Urban change in the UK - how and why do cities change and become more sustainable?



Geography has been integrally related to political and economic decision-making for centuries.

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Year 13

