Geography (KS4)

CurriculumMap - 2025-2026

Year 10 – Term 1

- Tectonic hazards
- Weather hazards
- Rio de Janerio case study

Hazards key concepts: Hazard risk. Causes of hazards. Effects of hazards. Hazard examples. Benefits of hazards. Impact of climate change on hazards. Sustainable management.

Year 10 – Term 2

- Assessment - Hazards and Urban Issues
- Liverpool case study
- Tropical rainforests

Urban issues key concepts: Urbanisation. Social, economic and environmental opportunities and challenges in a city in a NEE and UK. Sustainable urban living.

Living world key concepts: Physical characteristics of tropical rainforests and hot deserts. Opportunities for development. Human threats.

Year 10 – Term 3

- Hot deserts
- Resources in the UK
- The global water resource
- Year 10 Mock
- Conduct fieldwork

Resources key concepts: Issues with food, water and energy resources in the UK. Global water supply and insecurity. Sustainable water supply. Wakel River and Lesotho examples.

Year 11 – Term 1

- Write-up Fieldwork
- Rivers
- Year 11 Mock Exam 1

Fieldwork key concepts: Selecting a suitable question for geographical enquiry. Risk assessment. Methodology. Data presentation. Data Analysis. Conclusion. Evaluation.

Year 11 – Term 2

- Coasts
- Development gap
- Nigeria economy
- Year 11 Mock Exam 2
- UK economy
- Issue evaluation

Physical landscapes key concepts: UK's rivers and mountains. River / coastal processes. Formation of river / coastal landforms. Identifying landforms on an O.S. map. Management of river flooding and coastal erosion.

Economic world key concepts: Causes, effects and reducing the development gap. Economic issues in a rapidly developing country - Nigeria case study. Economic issues in the UK. Case study.

Issue evaluation key concepts: Decision making exercise. Description. Explanation. Evaluation.