

Curriculum Map: Year 11 teacher 1 Subject Geography

Topic	Key Knowledge What will all students KNOW by the end of the topic?	Key Skills What key skills will be learnt/developed by the end of the topic? What will all students be able to DO by the end of the topic?	Assessment Opportunities What are the key pieces of assessment? How will students be assessed?
Urban fieldwork	The experience of fieldwork helps students to develop new geographical insights into the two contrasting environments required for this qualification and to apply their geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to these environments. This fieldwork revisits changing cities by looking at Manchester.	1. Formulating Enquiry questions Students must have an opportunity to develop understanding of the kinds of questions that can be investigated through fieldwork in river environments. Students must have an opportunity to develop a question(s) based on their location and the task. 2. Fieldwork methods Fieldwork data collection must include at least: ● one quantitative fieldwork method to measure river discharge ● one qualitative fieldwork method to record landforms that make up the river landscape. Human interaction: students must develop their understanding of the implications of river processes for people living in the catchment area. 3. Secondary data sources ● A flood risk map e.g. Environment Agency flood risk map. ● One other secondary source	Exam practice is carried out every 2 – 3 weeks, plus there is a mid and end of unit test.
Energy and Resource management	This covers an overview of the global and UK distribution of food, energy and water and one detailed study of either energy resource management at different scales.	 Information gathering Map interpretation Infographic interpretation Assess Pie chart analysis IT skills Listening skills 	Exam practice is carried out every 2 – 3 weeks, plus there is a mid and end of unit test.

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		Memory	
		Assess	
		Literacy	
		Exam skills	
		 Graphs 	
UK challenges	This is an interleaved unit,	Atlas and map skills:	In this unit students assess current
	Students are required to draw across their	 recognise and describe distributions and patterns of 	understanding and teachers ascertain
	knowledge and understanding of the UK, from the	both human and physical features at	which areas we must recap in our
	physical and human geography drawn from	a range of scales using a variety of maps and atlases	bespoke revision lessons.
	Components 1 and 2, in order to investigate a	 draw, label, annotate, understand and interpret 	
	contemporary challenge for the UK.	sketch maps	
	Students are required to have a geographical	 recognise and describe patterns of vegetation, land 	
	overview of the four UK challenges in Topic 8 from	use and communications	
	which the assessment context will be drawn.	infrastructure, as well as other patterns of human and	
	This unit is a recap of previously thematically	physical landscapes	
	taught content.	 describe and identify the site, situation and shape of 	
		settlements	
		Graphical skills:	
		 label, annotate and interpret different diagrams, 	
		maps, graphs, sketches and photographs	
		 use and interpret aerial, oblique, ground and 	
		satellite photographs from a range of	
		different landscapes	
		 use maps in association with photographs and 	
		sketches and understand links to directions	
		Data and information research skills:	
		 use online census sources to obtain population and 	
		local geo-demographic information	
		Investigative skills:	
		 identify questions or issues for investigation, 	
		develop a hypothesis and/or key questions	
		 consider appropriate sampling procedures 	
		(systematic vs random vs stratified) and sample	

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		size	
		 consider health and safety and undertake risk 	
		assessment	
		• select data collection methods and equipment to	
		ensure accuracy and reliability, develop	
		recording sheets for measurements and observation	
		• use of ICT to manage, collate, process and present	
		information, use of hand-drawn	
		graphical skills to present information in a suitable	
		way	
		 write descriptively, analytically and critically about 	
		findings	
		develop extended written arguments, drawing well	
		evidenced and informed conclusions	
		about geographical questions and issues.	
Revision	A programme in class revision programme based on		
	identified needs of students in each class		