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Subject: Geography

Year 8 Curriculum Map 2024 - 25

Week Commencing	Topic (including links to additional resources)	Assessment Window
Staff INSET 02/09 Students Return 03/09	Introduction & Expectations	
09/09/2024	How has the climate changed over time? Evidence of Climate Change	
16/09/2024	Natural Causes of Climate Change Global Warming	
23/09/2024	Learning Checkpoint 1 Critical Reflection	
30/09/2024	Carbon Footprints Global Impacts of Climate Change	
07/10/2024	Global Impacts of Climate Change – Debate Climate Change in the UK	
14/10/2024	Why is food & water a vital natural resource? Renewable Energy – Solar, Wind, Geothermal & Hydro-Electric	
21/10/2024	Renewable Energy Decision Making Exercise AR1 Revision	Achievement Round 1
October Half Term		
04/11/2024	AR1 Assessment AR1 Critical Reflection Wave 1	Achievement Round 1
11/11/2024	AR1 Critical Reflection Wave 2 What is Tourism?	
18/11/2024	What are tourism factors? The Butler Model	
25/11/2024	The Butler Model vs. Blackpool Impacts in the Lake District	
02/12/2024	Management of Honeypot Sites	
09/12/2024	Mass Tourism Mass Tourism vs. Jamaica Part 1	

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16/12/2024	Mass Tourism vs. Jamaica Part 2 Extreme Tourism in Antarctica	
Christmas Break		
06/01/2025	Eco Tourism in the Galapagos Islands Dark Tourism	
13/01/2025	Dark Tourism – Evaluation UK Coastlines & Grid References	
20/01/2025	Waves & Tides Fluvial Processes; Erosion, Transportation & Deposition	
27/01/2025	AR2 Revision AR2 Assessment	Achievement Round 2
03/02/2025	AR2 Critical Reflection Wave 1 AR2 Critical Reflection Wave 2	Achievement Round 2
10/02/2025	Longshore Drift Erosional Landforms – Headlands & Bays	
February Half Term		
24/02/2025	Erosional Landforms – Cave Arch Stack & Stump Depositional Landforms – Spits & Bars	
03/03/2025	OS Map Challenge – Dorset Coast How are people affected along the Holderness Coast?	
10/03/2025	Holderness Coast – Extended Writing Coastal Management – Hard & Soft Engineering	
17/03/2025	Learning Checkpoint 3 Critical Reflection	
24/03/2023	What is development? African Biomes	
31/03/2025	The Horn of Africa: Drought Why do people live in poverty?	
07/04/2025	Riders for Health Solving healthcare in LICs – Extended Writing	
Easter Break		
28/04/2025	Kibera Slums – Challenges Kibera – A Slum of Hope	
05/05/25	Hydro-electric Power in Madagascar – Part 1 Hydro-electric Power in Madagascar – Part 2	
12/05/2025	How can we help countries to develop? What's the physical landscape of Russia like?	
19/05/2025	What is the climate like in Russia? Where do people live in Russia?	
May Half Term		

02/06/2025	Is Russia's geography a blessing or a curse? Is Russia's geography a blessing or a curse – Extended Writing	
09/06/2025	AR3 Revision	
16/06/2025	AR3 Revision AR3 Assessment	Achievement Round 3
23/06/2025	AR3 Critical Reflection Wave 1 AR3 Critical Reflection Wave 2	Achievement Round 3
30/06/2025	Local Fieldwork Enquiry – Key Questions & Methodology	Achievement Round 3
07/07/2025	Local Fieldwork Enquiry – Data Collection & Presentation	
14/07/2025	Local Fieldwork Enquiry – Analysis, Conclusion & Evaluation	
21/07/2025	Geography in the News Takeover Whole School Enrichment	