

Geography Long Term Curriculum Plan

Year 9 Intent	Students physical geography knowledge develops into resource management and economic development. They will consider the conflict between physical, economic and human challenges and opportunities, through a more diverse lens. Students will develop their moral, ethical and environmental judgement on dilemmas facing the world.				
	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5
Learning Cycle Title	Russia	UK Landscapes	Natural Resources	Climate Change	Middle East development
Themes and concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Influence of the physical geography of Russia on its human geography. Economic activity in the Arctic. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Glacial landscapes. Tourism in the UK. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geology of the UK. Biosphere, hydrosphere, lithosphere –providing natural resources. Alternative forms of power. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Causes and consequences of a climate emergency. Indicators of a warming world. Future of the planet. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conflict and controversy in the Middle East. Reasons for the diverse demographics. Diversifying the economy in the UAE. Humanitarian Aid for Yemen crises.
Key knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tundra Taiga Plateau Plain Exclusive Economic Zone Permafrost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Honey Pot Disposable income Corrie Tarn Arete Zone of ablation Snout 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hydro-electric power Nuclear reaction Aeroponics Hydroponics Geothermal Sustainability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mitigation Greenhouse effect Ice sheets Protocol Policy Consequence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diversifying Forced migration. Refugee Humanitarian
Skill development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contextual world knowledge of locations, places and geographical features. Sophisticated OS map skills of symbols, complex contour patterns and secure use of 4 figure grid references 6 figure grid references. Fieldwork – hypothesise, data collection, result presentation, analysis and evaluation Describe and explain changes over time to physical landscapes, populations and economies. Complex connections made between a variety of scales of places, including the impact of these connections on people and the environment. 				