KS4 Curriculum 2024-2025: Geography

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|  | Year 10 | | Year 11 | |
|  | Knowledge and skills | Enrichment | Knowledge and skills | Enrichment |
| Cycle 1 | **Physical Landscapes in the UK: Coasts**  -The UK’s relief and landscapes  -Wave types and characteristics  -Coastal processes  -Coastal erosion landforms  -Coastal deposition landforms  -Landforms case study: Swanage  -Coastal management  -Management case study: Lyme Regis  **Physical Landscapes in the UK: Rivers**  -River landscapes: drainage basins  -River valleys: long profile and cross profile  -River processes  -Landforms: erosion and deposition  -Landforms case study: River Tees  -Factors affecting flood risk  -Hydrographs  -Flood management case study: Tewkesbury |  | **Weather hazards and Climate Change-**  -Tropical storms  -Case study: Typhoon Haiyan  -Weather hazards in the UK  -Case study: Somerset Floods  -Climate change  **Changing Economic World: NEE – Nigeria, Africa and HIC – UK**  -The development gap  -Demographic Transition Model  -Changing population structures  -Causes of uneven development  -Reducing the development gap  -Case study: Tourism in Jamaica  -Case study: Nigeria (NEE)  -The changing UK economy: industry, science and business parks, infrastructure and the North-South divide |  |
| Assessment: End of cycle test | | Assessment: End of cycle test | |
| Cycle 2 | **The Living World: Hot Deserts and Rainforests**  -Ecosystems  -Tropical rainforest characteristics  -Case study: Malaysia’s Rainforests  -Managing tropical rainforests  -Hot desert characteristics  -Case study: The Thar Desert  -Desertification |  | **Urban Issues and Challenges:**  -Urbanisation  -Emergence of megacities  -NEE city case study: Rio de Janeiro  -Urban change in the UK  - HIC city case study: Bristol  -Urban regeneration case study: The Temple Quarter Regeneration  -Sustainable development |  |
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| Cycle 3 | **Urban Issues and Challenges:**  -Urbanisation  -Emergence of megacities  -NEE city case study: Rio de Janeiro  -Urban change in the UK  - HIC city case study: Bristol  -Urban regeneration case study: The Temple Quarter Regeneration  -Sustainable development |  | **Year 11 Consolidation**  -Revision of all GCSE topics |  |
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