

# Year 11 Geography

*Overview: Year 11 students will study the topics of Economic Inequality and Resource Management, Environmental Challenges created by economic activity and Tectonic Hazards. They will critically reflect on their geography knowledge and apply their skills to issue and fieldwork evaluation.*

## Term 1:

In Term 1, students will further develop their geographical skills through a human fieldwork investigation in the local area to develop the skills of data collection, analysis and evaluation for elements of both physical and human geography.

In Term 1 students, will also be exploring development and resource issues including; causes and consequences of global economic inequalities and how these are measured at a global scale, regional economic inequalities within the UK and a low income country to contrast impacts, and the challenges that come from unequal access to and demand for an adequate water supply.

## Term 2:

In Term 2, students will study a range of Environmental Challenges linked to Consumerism and its Impact on the Environment. These include the concept of ecological footprints, air miles for food produce and the management of ecosystems impacted by tourism.

Also in Term 2, students will master their ability to make judgement of the challenges humans face or create when living with the physical environment. Students will critically assess real life studies into a range of tectonic hazards, including volcanic and seismic activity, looking at causes, effects and the management of responses to these hazards.

## Term 3:

In term 3, students will focus on consolidating their knowledge and understanding of both physical and human elements of the course and fieldwork enquiries, through a broad range of revision and recall activities in order to prepare for their final examinations.