

Year 13 Geography

Overview: Year 13 students will cement their geographical knowledge and skills in preparation for their final examinations. They will critically reflect on their geography knowledge and apply their fieldwork skills to complete their NEA.

Term 1:

In the first term of year 13, our current Y13 students following the AQA A Level will spend some time working on their NEA based on the fieldwork completed in Year 12.

Also in Term1, students will examine their final piece of human geography with topic of **Global Systems and Global Governance**. Students will unpick the concept of globalisation through looking at the complexities of world trade and global governance. They will cement this understanding by examining the impact of globalisation on Antarctica and investigating how global governance is seeking to manage these threats.

Term 2:

The first part of the second term will be spent on completion of the NEA and then the final section of course content.

Students will finish their study of physical geography with the topic of **Natural Hazards**. They will not only look at a broad array of natural hazards, they will also look at recent case studies that illuminate the impacts that natural hazards have on humans and how humans can prepare for and respond to these hazards. Most importantly, they will deepen their understand of the geographical processes that bring about these hazards. Hazards will include tectonic hazards (both earthquakes and volcanoes), tropical storms and forest fires.

Term 3:

The final term will be dedicated to preparing students for their final examinations, revising and recapping Hazards, Coasts, Carbon Cycle and Water Cycle, Contemporary Urban Environments, Changing Places and global Systems and Global Governance.