YEAR 10 GEOGRAPHY CURRICULUM PROGRESSION OVERVIEW

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Topic	URBAN ISSUES &	NATURAL HAZARDS	LANDSCAPES OF	LANDSCAPES OF	CHANGING	FIELDWORK
	CHALLENGES		THE UK	THE UK & CHANGING	ECONOMIC WORLD	
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Core	1. Recap urban growth in	1. Natural Hazards	18. Consolidation and	8. Holderness	5. Reducing uneven	1. The Bradshaw Model
Knowledge/	NEEs. 2. Recap exam technique	2. Plate movement3. Plate margins	summative assessment 19. Natural climate change	9. Coastal management strategies	development 6. Brazil introduction	and Counter- urbanisation
Threshold	in urban growth in NEEs. 3. Importance of	4. Haiti EQ, LIC 5. Japanese Tsunami	20. Enhanced climate change	10. Management conflicts11. Coasts formative	7. Brazil 'A changing country'	 The scientific method Statistical analysis of
Concept	Newcastle 4. Urban change 1: the environment	6. 3Ps EQ7. Consolidation and summative assessment	21. Mitigation and adaptation	assessment 12. River profiles 13. River Tees profile	8. TNCs in Brazil9. Aid10. Impacts of	results
	5. Urban change 2: urban sprawl	8. GAC 9. Hadley Cell	Distribution of population in UK	14. Upper course landforms 15. lower course landforms	Development on Brazil 11. Post-industrial UK	
	6. Consolidation and formative assessment	10. Structure TS 11. Typhoon Haiyan	2. Landscape processes3. Factors affecting rates	16. Consolidation and formative assessment	12. Impacts of industry13. Rural changes	
	7. Challenges in Newcastle8. Regeneration in Newcastle	12. 3Ps TS 13. Extreme Weather in the UK	of erosion 4. Consolidation and formative assessment	17. Hydrographs 18. Flood management on the River Leven	14. The north-south divide15. UK transport links16. UK links to the wider	
	9. Sustainable urban living in Newcastle	14. Consolidation and summative assessment	5. Waves6. Erosional landforms on	What is development	world	
	10. Sustainable traffic management	15. Natural climate change16. Enhanced climate	the coast 7. Depositional landforms	Development indicators		
	11. Consolidation	change 17. Mitigation and adaptation	on the coast	3. DTM and pop pyramids4. Causes of uneven development		





Why this learning now?

Beginning with *Urban* Issues and Challenges enables was chosen due to levels of accessibility. The topic builds from earlier understanding from Y9 so that exam technique can be emphasised and focussed upon as the content is a familiar format with ideas of HIC/LIC contrasts. sustainability and pollution. This develops outwards to the unfamiliar in the second part of the sustainability.

This then explains why *Natural Hazards* follows this as some of the case studies are familiar from KS3. The alternating between physical and human topics is for means of engagement - students will frequently have strengths in one area or another and this approach enables early and effective interventions on areas of weakness in terms of this division in geographical themes, whilst also maintaining engagement when topics are deemed "difficult".

50:50 ratio of human to physical geography with an element of both in at least 2 lessons of each topic to emphasise connections.

Revisiting of key geographical themes throughout these topics will enable additional complexity to be brought in and consolidate. *Natural Hazards* builds upon 2 topics from year 9 (tectonics and weather hazards). Weather and Climate and LAG/from Y7 in considerably more depth.

This time we do not skip back to human. Landscapes of the UK builds on content from Y7 Coasts and Settlement and from Y8 Rivers. The timing of this unit is in part to align with fieldwork in the summer. term so that this crucial knowledge has been learnt in advance of this and so it can be recapped appropriately so it is embedded- and because students typically find Natural Hazards and Landscapes very knowledge heavy. The positioning of this unit here enables more time for recall before external examinations. Interventions can be planned based on formative and summative assessments that assess this understanding frequently, in order to close any gaps by class teacher.

In the summer term with many fieldwork opportunities happening, we need a fairly straightforward unit that the students feel is familiar. This uses the hook of A Contrasting World from Y9 and Population from Y8 so they already feel that the distant, global half of the unit is more familiar. Then the more familiar UK element of the unit can be done and stopping for fieldwork is not such an issue to pick up from and the flow is easier to find again. In the summer term with many fieldwork opportunities happening, we need a fairly straightforward unit that the students feel is familiar. This uses the hook of A Contrasting World from Y9 and Population from Y8 so they already feel that the distant, global half of the unit is more familiar. Then the more familiar UK element of the unit can be done and stopping for fieldwork is not such an issue to pick up from and the flow is easier to find again.

This is embedded amongst Changing Economic World and is timed around the actual fieldwork days in order to maximise these opportunities outside of the classroom. Both build on theories from earlier in the vear so act as recall and develop these in more detail.

All of the statistical tests are also done by the maths department prior to this time, so that the maths is recapped for them and students do not find it overwhelming when not delivered by non-subject specialists in maths so the same terminology is used and methods of calculating.









Assessment Opportunities:	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.	Formative, low-stakes assessment underpins every lesson.
	1. Rio Exam Question 2. Rio & Newcastle minitest	1. Mini test tectonics 2. Mini test weather hazards	3. EoU test1. Coasts mid-unit test	 Coasts and Rivers EoU test Recall assessment 	1. Development mini- assessment	1. Mocks in class 2. Fieldwork exam
Learning at Home	3. EoU test Home learning will ada	pt and respond to the arising	needs of learners but will focu	s on consolidation quizzes and t	WEX ime to demonstrate applied go	eographical understanding.
Key Vocabulary	ITS Urban sprawl Regeneration Sustainability	Plate margin Tsunami Hadley Cell Mitigation Adaptation	Abrasion Hydraulic action Longshore drift Fetch Lateral erosion Impermeable		Uneven development Population pyramids Manufacturing Service sector Deindustrialisation	Bradshaw model Counter-urbanisation Method Conclusion
Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural concepts covered	Students are encouraged to understand their role in society, by considering different viewpoints, values and attitudes through the topics that cover Topics of study include climate change, poverty, deprivation, global shifts in economic power and the challenge of sustainable resource use. The aim of this course is to develop an understanding of the factors that produce a diverse variety of environments; the dynamic nature of these environments that change over time and the need for sustainable management; and the areas of current and future challenge and opportunity for these environments; the direct and indirect effects of human interaction with the Earth and the atmosphere. Students will develop a critical perspective on the issue(s) studied, consider the points of view of the stakeholders involved, make an appraisal of the advantages and disadvantages, and evaluate the alternatives; the wider political, social, cultural and environmental context within which various examples and countries are placed. Students will develop and extend their knowledge of locations, places, environments and processes, and of different scales including global; and of social, political and cultural contexts.					
Links to careers and the world of work	Detailed insights into the dai		sical Geographical careers. Stu Visual reminders of Geograph	dents invited to KS5 events and ay careers and avenues.	lectures. EA jobs and apprent	iceships highlighted in River





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Topic	CHANGING ECONOMIC WORLD & RESOURCES & FOOD	RESOURCES & FOOD & THE LIVING WORLD	THE LIVING WORLD	PRE-RELEASE & SKILLS	EXAMINATIONS	EXAMINATIONS
Core Knowledge/ Threshold Concept	 The north-south divide UK transport links UK links to the wider world Water supply Water pollution Energy mix Energy futures The importance of food Food miles Food insecurity 	 8. Increasing food supply 9. Sustainable food 10. Reducing food waste 11. Almeria 12. Jamalpur 1. Ecosystems 2. Small scale ecosystem 3. Rewilding 4. Biomes 5. TRF characteristics 6. TRF adaptations 7. Interdependence 8. Value of TRF 9. Causes of deforestation 10. Solutions to deforestation 	 Characteristics of hot deserts Interdependence in hot deserts Adaptations in hot deserts Biodiversity Development in hot deserts Desertification 	Unseen fieldwork practice Pre-released information analysis – 4 lessons and practice Exams start mid-May – recall and consolidation.	Recall and consolidation.	Recall and consolidation.
Why this learning now?	In terms of content this unit is a nice contrast to the fieldwork in terms of the skills required and is not too dissimilar to Changing Economic World. We recap the last unit ahead of	Content wise again, this unit has the least case studies so students find this reassuring ahead of the January mock exams and it acts as a confidence booster – hence its	The Living World has a lot of overlap with content covered in Biology GCSE and dual-award science. This means that this information can be delivered quicker as it is	This is determined by the exam board as it is only released on a certain date. Having covered and recalled all crucial knowledge from Paper 1		





	mocks and to consolidate after the holidays, culminating in a 'walking talking mock' to aid recall of examination skills.	positioning due to these softer reasons rather than the content building on previous knowledge as a priority	recalling and consolidating information that has already been covered; we are 'piggy-backing off of science's hard work. This physical unit again feels 'safe' and familiar for the students in the buildup to the examinations so we can nit-pick technique whilst still maintaining confidence that has been built.	and 2, we now focus on Paper 3. We take a week to prepare and then the pre-release is digested over 4 – 6 lessons depending on timing of exams, we then practice exam technique in these unfamiliar circumstances before recapping skills for the fieldwork and unseen fieldwork elements of Paper 3.		
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	2. Mocks in class	1. Mini-test ecosystems	3. Mocks			
Learning at Home	Home learning will adapt and respond to the arising needs of learners but will focus on consolidation quizzes and time to demonstrate applied geographical understanding.					
Key Vocabulary	Deindustrialisation Energy mix Food insecurity	Hydroponics Green revolution Biotic/abiotic Rewilding	Sustainable management Desertification	Depends on information given: Evaluate Compare Describe Explain	All of them	All of them





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Links to careers and the world of work	Detailed insights into the daily activities of human and physical Geographical careers. Students invited to KS5 events and lectures. EA jobs and apprenticeships highlighted in River Leven case study How does this person link to Geography? Visual reminders of Geography careers and avenues.



