

Year 9 Geography



Year 9 Geography Curriculum Information

	Key Question:	Specification:	Skill Focus:
Term 1: Dynamic Planet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why is planet earth so Hazardous? Why are some locations more hazardous than others? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types of Hazards Plate tectonics Tropical cyclones Management of Hazards 	<p>Writing skill: <u>AO2: key chain explanations</u></p> <p>Geographical skill: <u>AO4: analysing figures</u></p>
Term 2: Mind the Gap	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why is global development so uneven? How has Asia developed? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development Indicators World levels of development Human and physical reasons for the development gap The Geography of Asia How development in Asia has changed 	<p>Writing skill: <u>AO3: assessment</u></p> <p>Geographical skill: <u>AO4: analysing figures</u></p>
Term 3: Natural Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Are natural resources a blessing or a curse? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fossil Fuels Resource curse theory The Geography of Russia and the Middle East. 	<p>Writing skill: <u>AO1: Key chain explanations</u></p> <p>Geographical skill: <u>AO4: GIS</u></p>

Year 9 Geography Assessment Information

Assessment	Time/Venue	What will be assessed?
1: Assessment covers all teaching in term 1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment held in-class 1hr Teacher assessed 	Section 1: Vocabulary Section 2: Extended Explanation Section 3: Assessment
2: Assessment covers teaching from term 1 and 2.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment held in-class 1hr Teacher assessed 	Section 1: Vocabulary Section 2: Extended Explanation Section 3: Assessment
3: Assessment covers teaching from term 1,2 and 3.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment held in the Exam Hall 50 minutes Teacher assessed 	Section 1: Vocabulary Section 2: Extended Explanation Section 3: Assessment

