

Subject Area: GEOGRAPHY

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Year 9

Topics/ Content Overview	Core knowledge/ key vocabulary	Core Principles	Assessments/ checkpoints (where relevant)	Careers' Links
<p>Our Unequal World</p> <p>How is globalisation affecting the development gap?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is globalisation? What is deindustrialisation and how has it affected the UK? What is a TNC? How is China a global economic power? Has Nike been a positive or negative force in China? <p><i>Interdependent, economic, social, cultural, political, technology, trade, investment, deindustrialisation, primary sector, secondary sector, tertiary sector, quaternary sector, mechanisation, technology, policies, TNC, supply chain, surplus, deficit, infrastructure, connectivity, opportunities, challenges, headquarters, outsourcing, labour, host country, sweatshops, working conditions.</i></p>	<p>People & Place Human & Physical processes Sustainability Interactions Scale Development</p>	<p>Knowledge check End of topic assessment</p>	
<p>Our Dangerous World</p> <p>Why do the impacts of tsunamis differ?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What causes tsunamis? What happened in the Indian Ocean on 26/12/04? Why was the Indian Ocean tsunami so devastating? Can we minimise the impacts of tsunamis? What happened in Japan on 11/3/11? How did the two tsunamis differ? <p><i>plate margin (boundary), magma, constructive, destructive, conservative, subduction, ocean trench, mid-ocean ridge, fold mountains, rift valley, mantle, distribution, diffraction, perpendicular, wave height/ length, impacts, social, economic, environmental, LIC, aid, poverty, magnitude, hazard management cycle, mitigation, preparedness, recovery, response, boondoggle, seismic waves, P-waves, S-waves, stress, nuclear power, radiation, half-life</i></p>	<p>People & Place Human & Physical processes Sustainability Interactions Scale Development</p>	<p>Knowledge check End of topic assessment</p>	<p>Seismology Hazard Management Oceanography Development/ aid worker</p>

<p>Our Dynamic World</p> <p>What are the world's geographical challenges?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where is the Middle east? What is happening in the Middle East? – Conflict. What are the impacts of conflict in the Middle East? Why are Wilderness areas under threat? Why are deserts getting bigger? Are palm oil plantations good or bad? <p><i>Desertification, conflict, Gaza Strip, Palestine, Israel, religious conflict, wilderness, conservation, sustainability, deforestation, social, economic, environmental, erosion, precipitation.</i></p>	<p>People & Place Human & Physical processes Sustainability Interactions Scale Development</p>	<p>Knowledge check End of topic assessment</p>	<p>Journalist Aid worker</p>
<p>Our Local & Urban World</p> <p>Is Bradford a typical city?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How does wealth differ in Bradford? How multicultural is Bradford? How has regeneration impacted Bradford? What is the impact of crime in Bradford? How does Bradford deal with its waste? Keighley incinerator – a local conflict? <p><i>Development, wealth, poverty, culture, regeneration, crime, waste, impacts, sustainable, renewable, sanitation, incinerator, environmental, dereliction, greenfield sites, diversity, social, economic.</i></p>	<p>People & Place Human & Physical processes Sustainability Interactions Scale Development</p>	<p>Knowledge check End of topic assessment</p>	<p>Council worker Town planner</p>
<p>Our Natural World</p> <p>How important are Tropical rainforests?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ecosystems exist at a range of scales and involve the interaction between biotic and abiotic components. Tropical rainforest ecosystems have a range of distinctive characteristics. Deforestation has economic and environmental impacts. Tropical rainforests need to be managed to be sustainable. <p><i>Abiotic, biotic, consumer, decomposer, ecosystem, food chain, food web, nutrient cycling, global ecosystem, producer, biodiversity, commercial farming, debt reduction, deforestation, ecotourism, logging, mineral extraction, selective logging, soil erosion.</i></p>	<p>People & Place Human & Physical processes Sustainability Interactions Scale Development</p>	<p>Knowledge Check Individual exam Qs</p>	<p>Conservationist Renewable energy engineer</p>