

The aim of the geography department is to “stimulate an interest in and a sense of wonder about places”. By exploring their own place in the world, and their values and responsibilities, it is hoped that pupils will be inspired to become global citizens.

KS3 Curriculum Summary

Year 7

Why are South America and South Africa two pieces of the same jigsaw? – Autumn Term

Why are some countries dry while others flood? – Spring Term

Do you really know where you live? – Summer Term

What does my area need? – Summer Term

Year 8

Does money make the work go around? – Autumn Term

How extreme is our planet? – Spring Term

How sustainable is our coastline? – Summer Term

Why does the weather change? – Summer Term

Year 9

Development – Autumn Term

Migration – Spring Term

Tourism – Spring Term

Population – Summer Term

KS4 Geography Curriculum Summary

The current KS4 are following the AQA Syllabus A. This includes two tiers of paper and two examination papers together with one fieldwork project determining the final award. The syllabus takes an exciting and modern approach to geography and is focused on being relevant to the 21st century. This also includes two tiers of paper and two examination papers together with one fieldwork project determining the final award.

The topics covered include:

The Restless Earth – Autumn Term, year 10

Changing Urban Environments – Autumn Term, year 10

Tourism – Spring Term, year 10

Population Change – Summer Term, year 10

Ice on the Land – Spring Term, year 11

Living World – Spring Term, year 11

The coursework element is completed during the autumn term in year 11.

This will be changing for the year commencing their Geography in September 2016