

# 5-year curriculum overview

## Geography



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### Year 7

| Block 1                                                                                                                   | Block 2                                                                                                                  | Block 3                                                                                                                      | Block 4                                                                                                                       | Block 5                                                                                                                      |
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| <b>What is my place in the world?</b><br>An understanding of specific locations, using a range of cartographical content. | <b>How has the UKs landscape formed?</b><br>How the physical process of the world works and how people interact with it. | <b>Why do people visit the Lake District?</b><br>How people respond to the environment and the impact they can have upon it. | <b>Are there enough resources to support the world's population?</b><br>The relationship between places, process, and people. | <b>What are the issues of Climate Change?</b><br>How people respond to the environment and the impact they can have upon it. |

### Year 8

| Block 1                                                                                                             | Block 2                                                                                                            | Block 3                                                                                                                   | Block 4                                                                                                                                                                                 | Block 5                                                                                                                                        |
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| <b>What is weather and climate?</b><br>How the physical process of the world works and how people interact with it. | <b>How is population changing?</b><br>How the physical process of the world works and how people interact with it. | <b>What ecosystems make up our planet?</b><br>How people respond to the environment and the impact they can have upon it. | <b>How influential is the Middle East?</b><br>Understand a range of cultures, how these are similar or different to our own and building respect to become responsible global citizens. | <b>Can we ever know enough about volcanoes to live safely?</b><br>How the physical process of the world works and how people interact with it. |

### Year 9

| Block 1                                                                                                                         | Block 2                                                                                | Block 3                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Block 4                                                                                           | Block 5                                                                                                        |
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| <b>What is Russia's place in the world?</b><br>An understanding of specific locations, using a range of cartographical content. | <b>What is globalisation?</b><br>The relationship between places, process, and people. | <b>What are the challenges and opportunities facing Africa?</b><br>Understand a range of cultures, how these are similar or different to our own and building respect to become responsible global citizens. | <b>What is the geography of disease?</b><br>The relationship between places, process, and people. | <b>How does Geo-politics influence world affairs?</b><br>The relationship between places, process, and people. |

### Year 10

| Block 1                                                                                                                       | Block 2                                                                                                                                                                            | Block 3                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Block 4                                                                                                                                                                              | Block 5                                                                                                                                                                                         | Block 6                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| <b>Resource Management</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the unequal distribution of resources and the impact this has. | <b>Natural Hazards: Climate Change</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the causes and impacts of climate change, and how countries are adapting and mitigating these problems. | <b>Economic World: Development/UK</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the changes to Economies, the impact this has on the country and how Governments are trying to improve this through the development of infrastructure. | <b>Physical Landscapes: River</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Assessing the physical processes that shape the landscape and the human and physical environment that impacts a river. | <b>Urban Change: HIC Case Study (City)</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the opportunities and challenges of living in a UK city and how the city is changing to become more sustainable. | <b>Physical Landscapes: Coasts</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Assessing the physical processes that shape the landscape and the human and physical environment that impacts the coastline.<br><b>Fieldwork</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>To link the learning in the classroom to real life examples. To further enhance Geographical Skills to support their understanding of Geography. |

### Year 11

| Block 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Block 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Block 3                                                                                                                                                                                | Block 4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Block 5                               | Block 6    |
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| <b>Living World: Ecosystems and Rainforests</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the causes and impact of human activities on the fragile places, such as the rainforest, and what is in place to protect them.<br><b>Urban Change: LIC Case Study (City)</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the opportunities and challenges of living in a LIC city and how the city is changing to improve the lifestyle of the population of the city. | <b>Natural Hazards: Weather</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the causes and impacts of weather hazards, and how countries/ regions are reducing the impact of these hazards.<br><b>Economic World: Nigeria</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the changes to Economies, the impact this has on the country and how Governments are trying to improve this through the development of infrastructure. | <b>Natural Hazards: Tectonics</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the causes and impacts of tectonic hazards, and how countries/ regions are reducing the impact of these hazards. | <b>Living World: Cold or Hot Environments</b><br><b>Key Knowledge:</b><br>Explain the causes and impact of human activities on the fragile areas, how people have adapted to live in these places and what strategies are there to protect the landscape. | <b>Pre-Release, Revision and Exam</b> | <b>N/A</b> |