

Year 7 Term	Unit	Assessment	Knowledge	Skills	SMSC / Mental/ Physical Development	National Curriculum links	Careers links
Autumn Term 1	Introduction to Geography/ Map Skills	Baseline test	Human, Physical and Environmental Geography Atlas skills Longitude/Latitude Continents Oceans and Seas OS maps Reading a map Global connections	Compass directions Four figure grid references Six figure grid references Scale Measuring distance Map symbols Contour lines	Place Culture Celebrating diversity	Locational knowledge Place knowledge  Human and Physical Geography  Geographical skills	Town planning Cartography Driving Haulage
Autumn Term 2	Map Skills	Map skills test					
Spring Term 1	What are the challenges and opportunities facing Africa?	Newspaper report	Africa's demography/ physical and human geography Development indicators Economy of Africa Population Urbanisation Resources Conflict in Africa Health Female education HIC LIC Economic growth	Atlas skills Compass directions Social factors Environmental factors Economic factors Short and long term impacts Sustainability Using facts to support your answers Looking at different sources Analysing both sides of an argument Costs and benefits Rejecting a solution Justifying Coming to a conclusion	Place Culture Celebrating diversity Understanding social differences around the world Population	Locational knowledge Place Knowledge  Human and Physical Geography  Geographical skills	Demographer Economist Accountant Health worker Politics Education-teacher
Spring Term 2	What are the challenges and opportunities facing Africa?	Decision making exercise					
Summer Term 1	Environmental Geography	Speech/report	Recycling Reduce Reuse Sustainability Tourism Carbon footprint Emissions Pollution Landfall sites Solutions to waste	Using data to support your argument Balanced argument PEEL Justifying Coming to a conclusion Persuasive writing Using key words Linking to your wider knowledge	Sustainability Environmental responsibility Awe and wonder of the world	Locational knowledge Place knowledge Human and Physical Geography Geographical skills	Politics Waste management Council Farming Business owner Local government
Summer Term 2	Tourism and the environment- Flatford and Dedham fieldwork	Fieldwork write up	Sustainability Tourism Pollution Waste Noise pollution Conducting a Geographical enquiry	Fieldwork skills EQA Field sketches Litter counts Pedestrian counts Traffic counts Hypothesis Data collection Data analysis Conclusions Evaluations 4 and 6 figure grid references Map symbols/ OS maps	Sustainability Culture Identifying different social situations Being in the natural environment Drawing  Visiting John Constable's inspiration.	Locational knowledge  Place knowledge  Human and Physical Geography  Geographical skills  Fieldwork	RSPB Conservation Tourism Retail Travel Farmer Artist Data analyst

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Autumn Term 1	Natural Hazards- Earthquakes	Newspaper report	Plate tectonics Plate boundaries Social, economic and environmental impacts Management HIC/LIC Development Earthquakes Volcanoes	Map skills Social factors Environmental factors Economic factors Short and long term impacts Sustainability Using facts to support your answers Looking at different sources Analysing both sides of an argument Costs and benefits Rejecting a solution Justifying Coming to a conclusion	Place Culture Social impacts of natural disasters Perception of natural disasters	Place Locational knowledge  Human and Physical Geography  Geographical skills	Seismologist Geologist Volcanologist Army Emergency services Health worker Politics
Autumn Term 2	Natural Hazards- Volcanoes	Speech/Report		Using data to support your argument Balanced argument PEEL Justifying Coming to a conclusion Persuasive writing Using key words Linking to your wider knowledge			
Spring Term 1	Weather and Climate	Fieldwork- Microclimate/Decision making	Difference between weather and climate Microclimates Measuring the weather People affected by the weather Aspect/Physical features/Shelter/Surface Impermeable/Permeable Conducting a fieldwork enquiry Map skills Russia's climate Climate graphs How climates link to ecosystems	Climate graphs Analysing data Planning a fieldwork investigation Hypothesis Methods Map skills Data presentation Using facts to support your answers Looking at different sources Analysing both sides of an argument Costs and benefits Rejecting a solution Justifying Coming to a conclusion	Being in the natural world Awe and wonder of the World	Place  Locational knowledge  Human and Physical Geography  Geographical skills  Fieldwork	Meteorologist Farmer Truck driver Doctor Shop worker Data analyst Travel agent
Spring Term 2	Weather/Ecosystems	Russia report		Using data to support your argument Balanced argument PEEL Justifying Coming to a conclusion Persuasive writing Using key words Linking to your wider knowledge			

<b>Summer Term 1</b>	Ecosystems	Essay	Biomes Ecosystems Plant and animal adaptations Deforestation Sustainability Management Shifting cultivation/ Slash and burn Short and long term Locational detail Map skills	Using data to support your argument Balanced argument Social/economic/environmental factors Short and long term Management PEEL Justifying Coming to a conclusion Persuasive writing Using key words Linking to your wider knowledge Key words Paragraphs	Sustainability Looking after the environment Learning about different cultures and people at different levels of social development	Place Locational knowledge Human and Physical Geography Geographical skills	Travel agent Cattle rancher Rubber tapper Miner Factory worker Farmer
<b>Summer Term 2</b>	Ecosystems	Fieldwork- Colchester zoo	Endangered animals Management Sustainability Conservation Conducting a fieldwork enquiry	Fieldwork skills EQA Field sketches Hypothesis Data collection Data analysis Conclusions Evaluations 4 and 6 figure grid references Map symbols/ OS maps	Being in the natural world Experiencing culture	Place Locational knowledge Human and physical geography Geographical skills Fieldwork	Zoo keeper Tourism Retail Animal trainer Vet