

Geography Department Learning Journey

Learning is a journey and journeying through Geography at Henley will go amazingly quickly. This map shows you the whole journey from September in Year 7 to being ready to take A-Level Geography!! The end point of this journey is to be the best geographer you can who is able to make a positive difference to our world...



Start A Levels

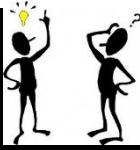
GCSE
Results Day

Go to
College



8. Paper 3 – Pre-Release

We will end the year taking a look at our pre-release which will be given to us sometime before the exams. This could be on anything but will be in paper 3.



Revision:

Is built in all the way through the course. As we approach the exams there are paper walk throughs, 9-mark question practice and pre-exam sessions. You are always free to drop into any member of the Geography department who will help you if you have a question

Exams

- ❑ Paper 1 Physical, 37.5 % always 1st
- ❑ Paper 2 Human, 37.5 % always 2nd
- ❑ Paper 3 Skills, DME and Fieldwork, 25% always 3rd

7. Paper 2 Resources

We will then continue with the Human geography with a study into how the key resources of food, energy and water are distributed around the world and the areas that have a surplus and deficit.



6. Paper 1 - Hazards

We will start the GCSE off by looking into natural hazards, weather hazards and climate changes impact on the world.

5. Paper 2 - Changing Economic World - We will study different countries and their development. We look at how tourism has helped Jamaica develop, how Shell as a TNC has impacted Nigeria and finally how the UK has changed post industrial development. Followed by looking at how the UK has changed and developed after the industrial change where the UK moved from secondary industry to tertiary and quaternary jobs being the most common.

Year 11

Getting ready for your next steps...



Year 10

Becoming a Key Stage 4 Geographer

1. Paper 1 – Living World

We will start the GCSE off by looking biomes and ecosystems. We will journey through the TDW, rainforest and hot desert biomes

2. Paper 2 – Urban Environments

We will study different countries and their development. We will investigate Rio, Birmingham and Freiburg for its sustainable features.

3. Paper 1 – Coasts and Rivers

In-depth study of physical landscapes of coasts and rivers. Identifying the processes and features created.

4. Paper 3 - Fieldwork:

Human and physical fieldwork which will be vital for you to complete for your paper 3 in the summer. We will investigate if towns are Great Places and small-scale ecosystems. We will also study unseen fieldwork

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11. Physical world – Glaciers and Hazards

We will look at the glaciers of the UK and then move more globally as we look at some of the physical hazards in the world. From earthquakes of Nepal to the dangerous Tsunamis and Volcanoes.

10. Development in The Rainforest/Peru

Investigation into whether or not they should build a highway which cuts through the Amazon Rainforest.

9. Environmental Problems

This half term we will study a vast variety of problems which face our world from the big bad Climate Change to the dangers which are affecting the Coral Reefs of Oceania.

Year 9

Developing your love and understanding of Geography...



Year 8

Learning to think like a Geographer

5. Physical World – Coasts

An exploration of UK physical features and contemporary issues through coasts and coastal management as a result of sea level rise

6. Asia and Middle East

In-depth study about life in Asia With a focus on the Middle East. From the physical features such as biomes and to the different ways of life in China and the UAE. From the China one child policy to the way life has changed in the harsh north Russia.

7. Weather

We will spend a couple of HTs looking at everything weather. We will begin looking at the basics of weather before looking in depth at the hazards and dangers weather poses. From Hurricanes to Tornadoes right here in the UK.

8. Africa

In-depth study about life in Africa. From the physical features such as the Nile and to the different ways of life in the Horn of Africa.



4. Diverse Landscapes – Rainforests, Deserts and Tundra

Many of you will looked at parts of this topic at primary school however, we will give you an in-depth look at the three key biomes of the world. From the rainforests in Brazil to the Arctic Tundra in northern Russia we will cover a wide variety of countries and continents. We will look at everything from climate to how plants and animals have adapted. We will also look at how Humans are able to survive in such inhospitable biomes.

3. Physical World – Rivers

An exploration of UK physical features and contemporary issues through the hydrological cycle and rivers.

2. UK Geography

This topic will give you an introduction to geography at secondary school including a look at both human and physical features of the UK include a tourism project for you to complete.

1. Map Skills

During this topic you will learn the key skills needed to be an amazing geographer and fully read and understand what every map is showing you.

Year 7

Welcome to Henley!

