

## Curriculum Sequencing - Year 9



Year 9 Term 1a: Extreme Weather		
<b>Topics covered:</b> Causes, impacts and responses to tropical storms, tornadoes and drought.	<b>How it links to what has been studied before:</b> Revisiting the terms primary and secondary effect from tectonics in year 8. It ensures their knowledge of key concepts such as “cause, effect and response”. Linking back to key concepts in our ‘Weather’ unit in year 7. Students will explore how the economic development of countries studied in year 8 can impact the outcomes of extreme weather events Map skills from year 7, direction, map symbols and grid references.	<b>How it links to what will be studied:</b>  It is also their second unit on “hazards” which sets them up for their work in Challenge of Natural Hazards at GCSE.
<b>Key words:</b> Cause Primary and Secondary effects Immediate and Long term Responses Distribution Hurricane, Cyclone, Typhoon High and low pressure Tornado Drought Climate change		<b>Key skills:</b> Labeling diagrams,Sorting information Use of coordinates to plot a track on a map Use of symbols on a map,Use of the internet for valuable research, Creating images from text to show understanding, Selecting information from video research, Classifying information to make judgements.
<b>Assessment focus</b> Using independent research to write factual reports. How people prepare for a tropical storms		<b>Revision tips</b> Keyword Glossary Geography Google Site
<b>Why we study it:</b> To reinforce key geographical skills and to develop a sense of awe and wonder of the power of the natural world. To gain prior knowledge for GCSE ‘The challenge of natural hazards’		
<b>Mastery in this subject</b> A clear understanding of causes, effects and responses to a range of extreme weather events. Be able to explain why effects and responses may differ in LIC and HIC countries. Using research skills effectively to produce factual reports on named extreme weather events.		

Year 9 Term 1b: Population		
Topics covered:	How it links to what you have studied before:	How it links to what you will study:
Key words:		Key skills:
Assessment focus		Revision tips
Why we study it:		
Mastery in this subject		

Year 9 Term 2a: Rivers		
Topics covered:	How it links to what you have studied before:	How it links to what you will study:
Key words:		Key skills:
Assessment focus		Revision tips
Why we study it:		
Mastery in this subject		

Year 9 Term 2b: Urban Areas		
Topics covered:	How it links to what you have studied before:	How it links to what you will study:
Key words:		Key skills:
Assessment focus		Revision tips
Why we study it:		
Mastery in this subject		

Year 9 Term 3a: Tourism		
Topics covered:	How it links to what you have studied before:	How it links to what you will study:
Key words:		Key skills:
Assessment focus		Revision tips
Why we study it:		
Mastery in this subject		

Year 9 Term 3b: Issues Evaluation		
Topics covered:	How it links to what you have studied before:	How it links to what you will study:
Key words:		Key skills:
Assessment focus		Revision tips
Why we study it:		
Mastery in this subject		

