

Curriculum Summary Document Year 9 Geography

Module/Unit of Learning	Term Taught	What will students learn?	How will this build a broad and strong foundation?	Links to other subjects
Glaciation	1	Exploring Polar regions, adaptations of fauna and flora, indigenous people and change.	Glaciation is an alternative section C on the physical paper	Science; thermodynamics and adaptations of species
Energy	2	Energy usage, fossil fuels, alternatives, the issues of fracking and the future of energy	Understanding of the energy crisis will enable pupils to succeed at that section of the GCSE and have wider world explanations	Science; energy carbon based fuels and issues.
The Middle East	3	The climate, human geography, oil and conflict plus a case study on Dubai	Political geography and understanding of history, conflict and development in the area.	History; colonialism War WII modern conflicts. Business; trade and development.
New India	4	Perceptions, physical and human characteristics, globalisation, economy and the future of India	Knowledge and understanding of development and trade. Dispelling misconceptions	Business; Trade and development.
Tropical Rainforests	5	Location and value, deforestation and protection.	Staple of the Natural world section. May include field trip to Eden	Science; ecosystems/ biodiversity.
The Geography of Crime	6	Mapping crime, Jack the Ripper, Heroin, Illegal logging, Environmental terrorism.	The practical aspects and applications of geography in real world employments	History, RSE ethically issues.