



Geography Year 8	
Term	Curriculum Outline
Term 1	<p><u>RIVERS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where does the rain go? • Rivers and Drainage Basins - rivers of the world • How rivers shape the land • Floods and flood plains
Term 2	<p><u>HAZARDOUS WORLD AND CLIMATE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The causes and effects of some of the natural hazards that affect people and communities around the world. Focus on Japan. • The threats that our planet could face in the future. How people prepare for an emergency. • The arguments and issues surrounding the debate about Global Warming and Climate Change. How to reduce the carbon footprint. World weather challenges.
Term 3	<p><u>INDIA</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do we know about India • Physical Geography of India • Human Geography of India • Climate of India • Development of India
Term 4	<p><u>ECONOMIC FOCUS ON CHINA</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do we mean by development? How can we measure development? • Child Labour in LEDCs • Location and data • Population distribution and 3D maps. The One Child Policy.
Term 5	<p><u>BRITISH OR EUROPEAN?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where are the places I identify with? • What are the important features of the UK? • How much do I know about Europe? • Where do we visit in Europe?
Term 5	<p><u>BRITISH PHYSICAL LANDSCAPES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coastal, glacial, woodland and mountain landscapes in the UK • What are the processes that have produced these landscapes? • How humans have adapted to live in these different landscapes. • Develop skills using OS maps of UK • Fieldwork on Coastal and River management – Seaford Bay and the Cuckmere. • Coastal erosion and deposition.