



Year 9 Geography Curriculum Map						
Half Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Big Themes	Why do earthquakes impact people differently?	What is globalisation?	How is our climate changing?	Who are our global superpowers?	Why are resources running out?	How can I revise effectively? Why is fieldwork so important?
Knowledge and skills covered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definitions of natural events / hazards / disasters Skills: describing distribution of earthquakes Structure of the earth / causes of tectonic plate movement Types of plate boundaries Causes of earthquakes How can earthquakes be managed? Case study: causes / impact / management of Nepal 2010 earthquake 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition and causes of globalisation Skills: Interpreting UK employment structure graph History of globalisation The global supply chain / the global shift in location of manufacturing Positive and negative social impacts of globalisation (e.g. trans national corporations / cultural erosion / multiplier effect / deindustrialisation) Case study: What are the impacts of globalisation in India and the UK? Environmental impacts of globalisation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definitions of climate change / global warming Past climate change (ice ages / milankovitch cycles) Evidence for climate change The greenhouse effect Human causes of climate change Consequences of climate change Climate refugees Solutions to climate change: personal and political actions Global response and management of climate change (e.g. Paris climate agreement) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define superpowers and the types of power Past, current and future superpower Causes of superpowers Positive and negative impacts of superpowers How can superpowers impacts be managed? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are natural resources? Why are resources important for humans? How can we classify resources? Causes of resources running out? Impacts of resources running out Managing resources sustainably 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is fieldwork? Why is fieldwork important? How to create enquiry question? How to collect data? How to present data? How to interpret data? How to improve your enquiry?
Knowledge organisers and more detailed topic resources can be found on all student Google Classrooms						



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