



Year 9 Geography



THE JOURNEY OF LEARNING

Geographical Skills

- Fieldwork and Enquiry
- Analysing and Presenting data
- Map skills



Year 9 Summer Term 2

DIRT

Ecosystems: What are the opportunities for development in hot deserts?

End of year assessment

Ecosystems: What are the causes of desertification?

Ecosystems: How is desertification being managed in the Thar Desert?

Ext write: "Desertification is largely caused by poor land management." Use evidence to discuss this statement.

Fieldwork

DIRT

Ecosystems: What are the challenges of development in hot deserts?

Ecosystems: How do we reduce desertification?

Ext write: "The rainforest is more valuable when left intact than when destroyed." Using a case study, use examples to support or challenge this view.

Ecosystems: What are the characteristics of hot deserts?

Ecosystems: What are the impacts of deforestation?

Ecosystems: What are the characteristics of a tropical rainforest?

Ecosystems: How does change effect an ecosystem?

Ecosystems: What is a small scale ecosystem?

Year 9 Summer Term 1

DIRT time

Ecosystems: How can we manage the tropical rainforests sustainably?

Ecosystems: How do we manage tropical rainforests?

Ecosystems: What are the causes of deforestation?

Ecosystems: What are the characteristics of the worlds biomes?

Ext write: Why is long term planning essential to make sure resources don't run out?

Resources: Will our oil run out?

Resources: What is the global distribution of food?

Resources: What happened in the BP oil spill?

Resources: Should Turkey dam the River Tigris?

Resources: What are the global patterns of water supply and demand?

Adapting to Adversity: How do we classify extreme environments?

Adapting to Adversity: Why is the Middle East an extreme environment?

Adapting to Adversity: Who visits Antarctica?

Adapting to Adversity: Why is Antarctica an extreme environment?

Glaciation: What are the features of a glacial environment?

Glaciation: What is the future for glaciers?

Glaciation: How are glaciers formed?

Glaciation: When was the British Isles glaciated?

Glaciation: Is it beneficial living in a glacial environment?

Glaciation: What evidence is there to show the Lake District was glaciated?

Ext write: Is it beneficial living in a glacial environment? Discuss

Year 9 Spring Term 2

DIRT time

Adapting to Adversity: Can the Middle East rely on oil in the future?

Adapting to Adversity: Why is the Middle East an extreme environment?

Adapting to Adversity: How do people live in the Middle East?

Adapting to Adversity: Why is Antarctica melting?

Adapting to Adversity: Why is Antarctica an extreme environment?

Mid Year Assessment

Year 9 Spring Term 1

Ext write: For an Extreme Environment you have studied, assess whether the future of that Environment is sustainable. You should consider Social, Economic and Environmental impacts on them.

Year 9 Autumn Term 2

DIRT

Climate Change: How has climate change impacted Tuvalu?

Climate Change: How do we mitigate climate change?

Climate Change: What are the impacts of climate change? (1)

Climate Change: What are the human causes of climate change?

Climate Change: What are the impacts of climate change? (2)

Climate Change: How is the UK impacted by climate change?

Climate Change: How can we be more sustainable?

Ext write: Choose *either* the risk of reduced water supply or rising sea level. For the issue chosen, evaluate examples of strategies used to manage them.

Climate Change: What are the natural causes of climate change?

Year 9 Autumn Term 1

Climate Change: What evidence is there of climate change?

Climate Change: How has our climate changed through time?

Summer Holidays

- Closed-Book Assessment
- DIRT
- Mid or End of Year Assessment
- PSHE Topics
- Careers-Related Topics
- British Values Topics
- Cultural Capital Topics
- Fieldwork