

A Level Geography

Why study Geography?

The world as we know is changing rapidly and Geography gives us the tools to see how and why these changes are occurring and the solutions to adapt to them.

Geography combines the art and science subjects to provide a broad based, flexible subject that develops skills that are an asset to any future progression, whether university or the work place.

What is the course structure?

A Level Examination	
Component 1: Physical Geography	
Hazards	
Component 2: Human Geography (2 hour 30 minutes exams, 40% of A Level)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Divided into 3 human geography topics:• Global systems and global governance.• Changing places.• Contemporary urban environments.	
Component 3: Geographical Investigation (3-4,000 words, 20% of A level)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Individual investigation involving answering a question relating to any part of the specification.• Data collection.	

Which activities will I be engaged in during the course?

- Debate and discussion
- Interpreting and analysing data sources
- Compulsory fieldwork investigation (visit – location TBC.) – data collection, presentation and interpretation
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How can I prepare for the course?

To aid you through the study of A Level Geography, please consult the table below. We expect this preparation to be of