

Year 8 Geography Curriculum Overview

Themes: Our Developing World / Our Changing World								
ADVENT 1 POPULATION AND URBANISATION	ADVENT 2 MIDDLE EAST	REVIEW OF LEARNING / DIRT / SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT	LENT 1 ECONOMIC WORLD	LENT 2 OUR RISKY WORLD	REVIEW OF LEARNING / DIRT / SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT	PENTECOST 1 OUR RISKY WORLD	PENTECOST 2 EXPLORING AFRICA	END OF YEAR ASSESSMENT
<u>Unit Intent</u> Where people live How has the population grown globally? How is the global population measured? How are people distributed around countries and continents? How are the causes and the impacts of a city growing? Deep focus: UK, India and China Assessment Population	<u>Unit Intent</u> Landscapes, populations and ecosystems What countries are within the Middle East? What are the physical features and population distributions in the Middle East? What are the climates and eco-systems of the Middle East? What are the opportunities and challenges within the Middle East? Assessment Middle East	<u>Disciplinary Knowledge</u> Enquiry Interpretation Processes and landforms Sense of Place Continuity & Change Learning is revisited and retrieved through low stakes quizzes, Do it Now activities, formal testing. CST Participation Stewardship of Creation	<u>Unit Intent</u> Introduction to development:: Economic sectors and activity How is the UK economy structured? How has the economy changed over time? Why are countries rich and poor? What historical causes create the economic world of today? Assessment Eco- nomic World	<u>Unit Intent</u> Tectonics, Rocks, Weathering and Soil What are plate tectonic hazards? How to tectonic hazards impact people? What are the processes which create rocks, weathering and soil? Why are these processes important for society? Assessment Tectonic hazards	<u>Disciplinary Knowledge</u> Enquiry Interpretation Processes and landforms Sense of Place Continuity & Change Learning is revisited and retrieved through low stakes quizzes, Do it Now activities, formal testing. CST Participation Stewardship of Creation Common Good Option for the Poor Solidarity	<u>Unit Intent</u> Weather hazards, climate change and ecosystems What are the hazards linked to weather? How do weather hazards impact people? What is climate change? How will climate change impact people in the future? The impact of changes in climate and weather. Assessment Climate change	<u>Unit Intent</u> Landscapes, populations and ecosystems What countries make up Africa? What are the physical features of Africa? How is the population distributed? What climates and ecosystems are found in Africa? Research Project on African country: History Ecosystems Cities / Culture Africa project assessed	<u>Disciplinary Knowledge</u> Enquiry Interpretation Processes and landforms Sense of Place Continuity & Change Learning is revisited and retrieved through low stakes quizzes, Do it Now activities, formal testing. CST Participation Stewardship of Creation Common Good Option for the Poor Solidarity Subsidiarity Rights and