

Year 7	Autumn 1	What skills do I need as a geographer? How can we use maps to locate places? How can we show features on a map? Careers: The importance of understanding maps for Cartographers, Surveyors, Urban planners, Explorers and members of the Armed Forces
	Autumn 2	What is weather and climate and how is it different around the world? What is the difference between weather and climate? What factors influence the UK's climate? How does air pressure results in different types of weather? What are the challenges and opportunities of Siberia's climate? Maritime: The importance of ocean currents in determining weather and climate Eco Futures: Understanding of how climate varies around the world Careers: How can weather and climatic data be used by Meteorologists, Climate Scientists and Weather Reporters?
	Spring 1	What is the Geography of the UK? What are the major physical and human features of the UK? How has relief and geology influenced settlement, land use, population and economic activity in the UK? What are the differences between urban areas and rural areas, their characteristics and land use? How has migration impacted diversity, space and the economy of the UK? Careers: How can Historian's tell us about urban planning in the past? How do Town Planner's help to organise the Geography of the UK?
	Spring 2	How do rivers shape the land and the lives of people who live there? How are waterfalls, meanders and floodplains formed? How can the risk of flooding be managed? How do flood risks compare in different parts of the world? Maritime: Importance of rivers Eco Futures: How can we manage flooding management sustainably? Careers: How do Hydrologists, Flood Risk Managers, Civil Engineers and Environmental Consultant work to manage rivers?
	Summer 1	Are we prisoners of our geography? How is wealth spread around the world? Why do people live in poverty? How do physical features such as mountains, deserts, and other physical barriers affect transport, settlement, and economic activity? How can improvements in education, healthcare, and infrastructure help long-term development? Maritime: Importance of coastlines Careers: How important are International Development Officers, Humanitarian Aid Workers and Foreign Policy Advisors when it comes to shaping international development?
	Summer 2	Why is Africa so diverse and dynamic? Why is the River Nile important and how it is used by people and the surrounding settlements? Why is the population distribution across Africa uneven? What are the consequences of uneven development in Africa? Careers: How do Economist's measure variations in development? How can Environmental Consultant's help to manage the sustainable use of resources?
Year 8	Autumn 1	How do plate boundaries link to volcanoes and earthquakes? How can we reduce the dangers of earthquakes and volcanoes? Why do tropical cyclones present a greater hazard risk in the future? Careers: The role of geographers in making decisions during hazardous events
	Autumn 2	
	Spring 1	Can we save the Great Barrier Reef? Can tourism be sustainable? Can we build a waste free world? Maritime: Formation, threats and sustainable solutions about conservation of coral reefs Eco Futures: Extended piece of evaluative writing to allow student to make, justify and evaluate a decision about sustainable eco solutions for an issue of their choice Careers: The role of geographers creating sustainable solutions to issues linked to biodiversity
	Spring 2	
	Summer 1	How do glaciers change landscapes? How do people use glacial landforms? How is Antarctica under threat? Eco Futures: Impact of human activities on polar landscapes
	Summer 2	How does Globalisation affect our local place? How are places around the world becoming increasingly linked through trade? How is China becoming an increasingly globalised country? Maritime: Globalisation of shipping routes Eco Futures: Is environmental globalisation a force for good?
Year 9	Autumn 1	How long will non-renewable resources last? How can we be more sustainable with our use of resources? How does oil influence the Middle East? Maritime: Development of renewable energy Eco Futures: What are the consequences of overconsumption of resources? To what extent can technology help to stop us running out of resources? Is Masdar a sustainable city?
	Autumn 2	
	Spring 1	How do we know that the climate was different in the past? How are coastlines at risk from climate change? What can be done in the future to cope with climatic changes? Maritime: Risks to coastlines around the world Eco Futures: Are humans causing climate change? What have we done about climate change? Careers: Consideration of importance of role of geographers with sustainable solutions to issues linked to climate change
	Spring 2	
	Summer 1	Why do people not have enough food? What is the future of food security? Are there really plenty more fish in the sea? Maritime: Global challenge of overfishing Eco Futures: Is organic food better than intensive commercial farming? How do biofuels exploit farmland?
	Summer 2	How do physical and human factors influence where people live in Russia? What factors affect the wealth of Russia? Why did Russia plant their flag on the seabed of the North pole? Maritime: Exploration of the Arctic for oil Eco Futures: How does Russia's supply of energy influence geopolitics?