

# A LEVEL GEOGRAPHY

## WHAT DO I NEED TO STUDY THIS COURSE?

The entry requirements for this course is at least Grade 6 in Geography and 5 GCSEs at grade 4 or above including Maths and English Language

## IS THIS COURSE FOR ME?

"Geography is the subject which holds the key to our future" - Michael Palin

There has never been a better or more important time to study A-level Geography. Dealing with vital issues such as climate change, migration, environmental degradation, social issues and natural hazards, A level Geography is one of the most relevant subjects you could choose to study. Students enjoy the scope of the material they cover in geography, the insights it can provide into the world around us and the highly contemporary nature of the issues it tackle.

## WHERE WILL THIS COURSE TAKE ME?

Geography is a highly respected academic A level. As well as Geography-based degrees, it can support a wide range of other studies such as Biology, Business Studies and Economics.

## WHAT WILL I LEARN?

In Year 1 you will learn about Tectonic hazards, further developing knowledge from GCSE. You will also learn about Diverse places which is about the difference between places caused by things such as politics and migration. You will also learn about coastal landscapes and globalisation

In Year 2, you will be working on the NEA – a piece of coursework that involves students designing their own Geographical study. Alongside this, you will learn about global issues around water. You will also learn about global superpowers and how they are affecting our world and also build on Year 1 by learning about migration, sovereignty and identity.

## HOW WILL I BE ASSESSED?

There are 3 written exam papers as well as a piece of coursework that is worth 20% of the final grade.



## FURTHER INFORMATION

See Mr Greenslade