


Year 12: Human Geography	Curriculum Intent: Students will develop a firm understanding of human processes in Year 1 and will build on the knowledge and understanding gained at GCSE. Many of these topics will re-appear and be built upon in year 13. Students will develop their understanding through many relevant and contemporary examples to allow them to develop both broad range and depth of geographical concepts. There will be a progression in skills as the content allows and interleaving embedded throughout.					
Unit title: A Level Human Geography Year 1	Term 1 <i>Globalisation & Regenerating Places</i>		Term 2 <i>Regenerating Places & Superpowers</i>		Term 3 <i>Superpowers & PPE Prep</i>	
Topic Titles (in order of delivery)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Causes of globalisation 2. Acceleration of globalisation 3. Key Players 4. Global mechanisms 5. TNCs and globalisation 6. Measuring globalisation 7. Global Shift 8. Deindustrialisation and environmental degradation 9. International Migration 10. Costs and benefits of migration 11. Cultural diffusion 12. Cultural erosion 13. Globalisation and uneven development 14. Social, political and environmental tensions 15. Controlling the spread of globalisation 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Place and classifying economies 2. Inequalities and quality of life 3. London Docklands regeneration 4. Change in London 5. Measuring change 6. Local Place: Bletchley 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bletchley regeneration 2. Successful regions 3. Unsuccessful regions 4. Rural places and engagement 5. Conflict between stakeholders 6. Media representations 7. Role of national government 8. Northern Powerhouse 9. Role of local government 10. Rebranding – Contrasting Place: Birmingham 11. Birmingham Fieldwork 12. Birmingham Data Analysis 13. Revision 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Superpowers 2. Balance of power 3. Post-colonialism 4. Emerging superpowers 5. Influence on IGOs 6. Influence on TNCs 7. Emergence of middle class 8. The Arctic 9. Intellectual property and Russia 10. South China Sea 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. China and Africa 2. The Middle East 3. PPE prep 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Revision 2. End of Year Examination

	<p>16. Localism, ethical consumerism and consumer society</p> <p>17. Sustaining globalisation</p>					
<p>Key knowledge / Retrieval topics</p>	<p>World Trade Organisation</p> <p>International Monetary Fund</p> <p>World Bank</p> <p>European Union</p> <p>ASEAN</p> <p>China's Open Door Policy 1978</p> <p>KOF & AT Kearney indices</p> <p>TNC: Amazon</p> <p>Sub-Saharan Africa or North Korea</p> <p>Environmental degradation China and India</p> <p>Detroit Case Study</p> <p>Russian oligarchs to London</p> <p>Indian/Nepalese to UAE/Qatar</p> <p>McDonalds</p> <p>Paralympic athletes</p> <p>Orang Asli/Semai of Malaysia</p> <p>GNI, HDI, air pollution indices</p> <p>Gini Coefficient and Lorenz Curve</p> <p>Right-wing extremists in Europe</p>	<p>The UK post 1980</p> <p>North-South Divide</p> <p>Classifications of economies</p> <p>London Docklands Case Study</p> <p>IMD and Spearman's Rank</p> <p>Local Place (Bletchley) Case Study</p>	<p>Local Place (Bletchley) Case Study</p> <p>Perceptions of identity</p> <p>Berkshire Case Study</p> <p>Detroit Case Study</p> <p>Cornwall Case Study</p> <p>Northern Powerhouse/HS2/3</p> <p>Contrasting Place Case Study (Birmingham)</p>	<p>Characteristics of superpowers</p> <p>Soft vs hard power</p> <p>Mackinder's Heartland Theory</p> <p>Uni-, bi -, or multi-polar</p> <p>Core-periphery theory</p> <p>World systems theory</p> <p>Dependency theory</p> <p>Imperial maintenance of power</p> <p>Global economic system players</p> <p>Alliances – military and economic</p> <p>UN role</p>	<p>Neocolonialism</p> <p>Types of FDI</p> <p>Demand for resources</p> <p>Rise of China</p> <p>Chi Squared test</p>	

	<p>Trans-boundary water conflicts (The Nile) China's Firewall Japanese resistance to immigration First Nations of Canada French cultural laws Totnes Transition Town and Bristol Pound</p>					
<p>Understanding / Sequence of delivery</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Causes 2. Key players 3. Measuring globalisation 4. Switched on, switched off 5. Global Shift 6. Environmental impacts – deindustrialisation 7. Costs and benefits migration 8. Cultural diffusion and erosion 9. Uneven development 10. Tensions 11. Controlling globalisation 12. Localism and consumer society 13. Sustaining globalisation 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Varieties of places in UK and inequalities 2. Changing function of places 3. Measuring change 4. Regional and national Influences 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Social and economic changes on identity 6. Successful places 7. Unsuccessful places 8. Variations of lived experience 9. Evaluating regeneration 10. Policy decisions: national, regional and local 11. Rebranding 12. Measuring success of regeneration 13. Stakeholders judging success: urban vs rural 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Characteristics of power 2. Patterns of power over time 3. Emerging powers 4. Influence on global economic system 5. Influence on international decision making 6. Disproportional influence on environment 7. Tensions and conflict 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rising importance of emerging economies 2. Economic restructuring and challenges to power 	
<p>Assessment</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Key players FMW 2. TNCs role in globalisation FMW 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Change in London FMW 2. Bletchley regeneration FMW 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Engagement and perceptions FMW 2. Role of national 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Balance of Power FMW 2. Weekly independent study exam 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Middle-class consumption FMW 2. Weekly independent 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PPE exams

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Impact on developing China FMW 4. Sustaining globalisation FMW 5. Weekly independent study exam question practice 6. End of unit POP test 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Weekly independent study exam question practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> governments FMW 3. Role of local government FMW 4. Rebranding FMW 5. Weekly independent study exam question practice 6. End of unit POP test 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> question practice 3. End of unit POP test 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> study exam question practice 3. End of unit full papers 	
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