

Geography Read and Watch List 2019-20 – For students in years 7-11

Geography is the subject which holds the key to our future. *Michael Palin*

Geography Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term First half-term	Autumn Term Second half-term	Spring Term First half-term	Spring Term Second half-term	Summer Term First half-term	Summer Term Second half-term
Year 7	What is Geography?	What are the benefits and challenges of living in areas at risk from tectonic hazards?	Are hazardous weather and climate change only the result of human activity?	How do economic activities vary around the world?	How are our coastlines changing?	What forms of conflict are there in the wider world?
Year 8	Ecosystems – How do humans affect the natural world?	Why is global population changing?	What is life like in an LIC? – Africa	How does water change the landscape?	How do landscapes differ in India and Russia?	How has China controlled their rapidly growing population?
Year 9	Section 1A: The challenge of natural hazards. Climate change	Section 1B: The Living World. Desertification in the Thar Desert	Section 2B: The Changing Economic World. UK Change	Section 2A: Urban Issues and Challenges. Urban Change in the UK Manchester/ BedZED/ Hulme	Section 1B: The Living World. Deforestation in Malaysia	Section 1A: The challenge of natural hazards. Weather Hazards Typhoon Haiyan
Year 10	Section 1A: The challenge of natural hazards. Natural Hazards Haiti (Nepal) Christchurch (Japan)	Section 2A: Urban Issues and Challenges. Rio	Section 1C: Physical Landscapes of the UK. Coasts Holderness	Section 1C: Physical Landscapes of the UK. Rivers Banbury Flood.	Section 3B&C: Fieldwork and Geographical skills. Understanding human and physical fieldwork	Section 2B: The Changing Economic World. Nigeria
Year 11	Section 2C: The challenges of resource management. Food Makueni Kenya/IBIS	Section 3B&C: Fieldwork and Geographical skills. Application of human and physical fieldwork.	Investigating the impacts of Earthquakes. Exploring global biomes.	Investigation urban change around the world. Analysing economic changes. Analysing the ability to cope with weather hazards and climate change.	Section 3A: Issue Evaluation. Pre-release topic to be confirmed 12 weeks before the exam.	

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Below you will find books, articles, clips and films to accompany the St Cuthbert's Geography curriculum.

Use this watch and read list to broaden your knowledge of key topics and places.

Read list:

KS3 reading	KS4 reading
<p>A Short History of Nearly Everything – Bill Bryson Horrible Geography – Anita Ganeri No one is too small to make a difference – Greta Thunberg There is no Planet B – Mike Berners-Lee Mission Explore – T Morgan Jones The Amazing Pop-up Geography Book – Petty & Maizels</p>	<p>Geography: Danny Dorling & Carl Lee How Population will transform our World – Sarah Harper There is no Planet B: Mike Berners-Lee No one is too small to make a difference – Great Thunberg Adventures in the Anthropocene – Gaia Vince When the Rivers Run Dry – Fred Pearce</p>
Further reading: Aspiring Geographers	
<p>Philippe Legrain : Immigrants, Open World, Aftershock, Joseph Stiglitz : Globalisation and its Discontents, Making Globalisation Work, Jeffrey Sachs : The Price of Civilisation, The End of Poverty, Common Wealth, Paul Collier : The Bottom Billion, William Easterly : The White Man's Burden Thomas L. Friedman : The World is Flat, Hot, Flat and Crowded, Naomi Klein : No Logo, The Shock Doctrine, Charles Fishman : The Wal – Mart Effect, Richard Girling : Rubbish!, George Alagiah : A Home From Home, A Passage to Africa, Robert Winder : Bloody Foreigners Bill Clinton : Giving, Muhammad Yunus : Banker to the Poor, Creating a World Without Poverty, Amartya Sen : Development as Freedom, Bjorn Lomborg : Cool It, The Sceptical Environmentalist, Smart Solutions to Climate Change, Eric Schlosser : Fast Food Nation, Joe Bennett : Where Underpants Come From, Al Gore : Earth in the Balance, Harold L. Sirkin : Globality, Robert Calderski : The Trouble with Africa, Alan Greenspan : The Age of Turbulence, Giles Bolton : Aid and Other Dirty Business, Matthew Syed : Bounce, Entine : Taboo, Malcolm Gladwell : Outliers, Jonathan Watts : When a Billion Chinese Jump.</p>	

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Watch list:

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What is geography?	Geographical Skills	Learn Geography with Dr Binocs - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G5xk-r3Bo9I
Continents & Oceans	Geographical Skills	Continents & Oceans - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KDosftdo0rY
Structure of the Earth	Tectonic Hazards	Everything you need to know about planet Earth - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JGXi_9A_Vc
Volcanoes	Tectonic Hazards	Volcanoes 101 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yDy28QtdYJY What is a Volcano? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WgktM2luLok
Earthquakes	Tectonic Hazards	Earthquakes 101 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e7ho6z32yyo
Living in Danger Zones	Tectonic Hazards	Why do people live in hazardous areas? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pBZXQ6941Zs
Tsunamis	Tectonic Hazards	Tsunamis 101 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oPb_9gOdn4 The Science of Tsunamis - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wx9vPv-T51I
The Water Cycle	Weather & Climate	How does rain form & what is the water cycle? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zBnKqwnn7i4
Britain's Climate	Weather & Climate	Climate of the UK - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CUDJ0L0Fvu0
Forecasting the Weather	Weather & Climate	How to decode a weather forecast - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IITCF3UPVU4 Weather Instruments - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ySSyT44nma4
Climate Change	Weather & Climate	Global Warming 101 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oJAbATJCugs Causes and Effects of climate change - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G4H1N_yXBiA
UK's Changing Employment Structure	Economic Activities	Future Jobs and Industry - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ITJUQre19Mg
Globalisation	Economic Activities	The upside - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5SnR-e0S6lc Good or bad? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s_iwrt7D5OA
Bangladesh's Clothing Industry	Economic Activities	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W1mvcFuiTts https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vB3IOyyBfOU
Features of the Coastline	Coasts	Landforms: Coasts - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZWEJq03NBao
Weathering, Erosion & Deposition	Coasts	Weathering & Erosion - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R-lak3Wvh9c
Longshore Drift	Coasts	How rivers shape the land - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8ISfVu8Y-GY

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Changing Borders: Germany & Poland	Conflict	How Germany's border changed - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JHW29Wiqpf0
Changing Borders: Israel & Palestine	Conflict	Israeli Settlements explained - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E0uLbeQLwjj
Food Chains	Ecosystems	Food Chains – BBC Teach https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7AZCcf4Fv14
Biomes	Ecosystems	Biomes of the World - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0fb8143ndo8
Tropical Rainforests	Ecosystems	Rainforests – BBC Teach https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UlbplCn8-zs
Amazon Deforestation	Ecosystems	Amazon deforestation – BBC News https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nYlnoxggEwo
Hot Deserts	Ecosystems	Hot Deserts – BBC Teach https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2QdIF6Ld1oc
World Population Distribution	Population & Urbanisation	Where do people live? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5dWeZtJqz9Y
World Population Growth	Population & Urbanisation	The Human Explosion Explained - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QsBT5EQt348
Urbanisation Around the World	Population & Urbanisation	Urbanisation and the future of cities - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fKnAJCSGSdk
Life in the Slums	Population & Urbanisation	Inside Rio's Favelas - Vox https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c3BRTIHFpBU
Impact of Globalisation on Africa	Africa Exploration	Globalisation – trade and poverty - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9MpVjxxpExM&t=10s
World Cup in Africa	Africa Exploration	South Africa – World Cup Legacy - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P98VpSiHlcY
Aid in Africa	Africa Exploration	The problem with foreign aid - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dxhj4Jg3dzU
A Rivers Profile	Rivers	Different stages of a long river profile - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8JM71mcw_LI
Causes of Flooding	Rivers	Causes of Flooding - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8zhBISqeGqA
Flood Management	Rivers	Flood Defences - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IE-o1UzBteI
Rural to Urban Migration in India	Indian Exploration	Urbanisation in India – BBC Teach https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XxuUtkOJm2Y
GeoChina: Physical Features	China Exploration	Geography of China - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J6lrkUvJxio
China: Migration	China Exploration	China: The largest migration in history https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KNXg-kYk-LU
Chinese Manufacturing	China Exploration	
Three Gorges Dam	China Exploration	National Geographic: Big, Bigger, Biggest - Dam https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j3J196bLP5E

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One Child Policy	China Exploration	Why China Ended its One-Child Policy https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fg7jIjmLyWs
Evidence of Climate Change	Climate Change	2018 – Year in Review: Is wild weather proof of climate change? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fT5FDoomVg4 Climate change 1010 with Bill Nye - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EtW2rrLHs08
Natural Causes of Climate Change	Climate Change	Natural vs manmade causes - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jy9ZIsFqo2c Understanding Natural Climate Cycles https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qKY7AN3tB_s
Human Causes of Climate Change	Climate Change	Before the Flood - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tQZfP517E2c
Adaptation	Climate Change	Climate Change Adaptation: It's time for decisions now https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FO46sPwm4xk
Global Ecosystems	Hot Deserts	AQA GCSE Global Ecosystems – Revision https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l_RhR694LLw Living World Ecosystems https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o4nESO9Oqnw
Desertification	Hot Deserts	Desertification https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w9RxnuBiFbg Desertification – What are the causes? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ygeg_JsqH9U
Causes of Economic Change		The Changing Economic World: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cS9Sy7y0214&list=PLQ8_L4E7S8mneHj0NebxdVnKrsruiIIN
Post Industrial Economy	UK Economic Change	How the UK changed into a post-industrial economy https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UYKTX-gQc-4
Environmental Impact of Industry	Urban Change in the UK	AQA GCSE Revision – the environmental impact of industry https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vzCPp3vLDTk
Rural Economies	Urban Change in the UK	The future of rural economies - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2paall8sGMA
UK Infrastructure Development	Urban Change in the UK	UK Infrastructure – Institute of Civil Engineers - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IX-kAMldfRQ How do we deal with Britain's battered infrastructure? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YDvw8dYEp8A

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North South Divide	Urban Change in the UK	North South Divide – Manchester and London - https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/north-south-divide-manchester-london-16346816
UK in the Wider World	Urban Change in the UK	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=itH1m8lxLdc
World Population Growth	Urban Change in the UK	Human population through time - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PUwmA3Q0_OE How will we survive when the population hits 10 billion? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rmfzwwrCrrU
Urban Change	Urban Change in the UK	Urban change in the UK – AQA https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rfFxCSBrhJQ
Mega Cities	Urban Change in the UK	Urbanisation and the rise of the megacity https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JDS_BqDeZ4k The megacities of 2050 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_jnMivEZ8gc
Manchester Sustainable Transport	Urban Change in the UK	Greater Manchester 2040: The Way Ahead https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nogeK7rBXaU
Hulme Urban Regeneration	Urban Change in the UK	Hulme – City Challenge https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ly_4ZPPD-cE
Sustainable Urban Environments	Urban Change in the UK	Urban Environments: Sustainable Cities https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cusn3ea4fJ4
Causes of Deforestation	Tropical Rainforests	Deforestation: Facts, Causes & Effects https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aS_IRabpggw
Amazon Deforestation	Tropical Rainforests	Threat to the Amazon Rainforest - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rWggrFDIX6c
Global Atmospheric Circulation	Weather Hazards	Global atmospheric circulation - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KykRj_Ccz40 Understanding Global atmospheric circulation - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PFxpJkMXhwg
Tropical Storms	Weather Hazards	Causes of tropical storms - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3KyuAEHyd28 The structure and features of a tropical storm https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e9JWOwQyuMc
Typhoon Haiyan	Weather Hazards	The Earth's Biggest Super Typhoon - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2DxYbnWmM-0
UK Extreme Weather	Weather Hazards	AQA GCSE Revision – UK extreme weather over time https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YwjogWGGtpY

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Somerset Flooding	Weather Hazards	Case study: Flooding on the Somerset Levels and Moors 2013/14 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sWHL3V1XL-A
Plate Tectonic Theory	Tectonic Hazards	BBC Geography – Plate Tectonics https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ugwf6laE_k Plate Tectonics Explained - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kwfNGatxUJI
Continental Drift	Tectonic Hazards	Continental Drift - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rM8KrmRedSw Continental Drift – 3.3 Billion Years - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UwWWuttntio
Plate Boundaries	Tectonic Hazards	Plate Boundaries – Different Types - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wp-hZ0QCoQY
Earthquakes	Tectonic Hazards	AQA GCSE Revision – Earthquakes, Volcanoes and Tectonic Plates https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1CQogw_09_U
Haiti vs Christchurch	Tectonic Hazards	Haiti earthquake – facts, impacts and responses - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pD32sKwulVY Christchurch earthquake – facts, impacts and responses - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Tpx2Ep4ZpH0
Living in Hazardous Areas	Tectonic Hazards	Why do people live in hazardous areas? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pBZXQ6941Zs&t=21s AQA – Living with Volcanoes - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oOwcFuv2xKE
Managing Hazards	Tectonic Hazards	Managing tectonic hazards - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aDOFsizdQIM
Prediction – Planning - Protection	Tectonic Hazards	Assessing the effectiveness of prediction, planning and protection - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sNTV_eQIXKA
Urban Growth in LICs	Urban Change in an LIC	Urban growth – Rio - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EaqML7t8BTc
Challenges in Rio	Urban Change in an LIC	AQA GCSE – Challenges in Rio - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-_FMyRXHtyc
Weathering & Mass Movement	Coasts	AQA GCSE – Waves, weathering and mass movement - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HeWZxg9WnjE
Erosion	Coasts	Coastal Erosion – Processes and Cliffs https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A5VoTgwEsWE
Coastal Management	Coasts	AQA GCSE – Coastal Management – hard and soft engineering https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BjnvkArg_60 AQA GCSE – Coastal Management – managed retreat https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=roQcQihx8E8

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River Features	Rivers	AQA GCSE – River landscapes, upper/middle/lower course - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CGTplOSkhfc
Flood Management	Rivers	Case study – AQA Boscastle flood management - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=02p0jEe-w3Y AQA GCSE – Flood Management techniques - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ghFNNllgqrE Example of river flood management - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tTcnZujP3Co
Physical Landscapes of the UK	Rivers	AQA GCSE – Physical Landscapes in the UK- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RmU0ybfCrDg BBC – Resource management – Energy - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cnZ9tYpkEfM
Global distribution of resources	Resource & Food Management	AQA GCSE – Global distribution of resources – resource management https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dID_iMaidL0
Food in the UK	Resource & Food Management	AQA GCSE – Food in the UK - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HuL2PhKdjsw
Water in the UK	Resource & Food Management	AQA GCSE – Water in the UK - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HM2j5g9Kblo
Energy in the UK	Resource & Food Management	AQA GCSE – Energy in the UK - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kpRgAr5f3NE
Global Food Insecurity	Resource & Food Management	The state of food security and nutrition in the world - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zkyIDfqlf2Y
Sustainable Food Supply	Resource & Food Management	Organic sustainable farming is the future of agriculture - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hWkYtZxpQUo What is sustainable food? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YuYRFSzECEw
Exploring Nigeria	Changing Economy in an NEE	Nigeria – a newly emerging NEE - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xOIThdjzhs4
Manufacturing in Nigeria	Changing Economy in an NEE	AQA GCSE – Changing employment structure - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IUmpdeNd-2E
Aid to Nigeria	Changing Economy in an NEE	AQA GCSE – Impacts of International Aid - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EE7FQ12OmAQ
TNCs	Changing Economy in an NEE	AQA GCSE – Impacts of TNCs - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gKxq3-g6i_w

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Geographical films:

- *Slumdog Millionaire* – life in within the shanty towns of Mumbai
- *Brassed Off* – industrial decline in the UK
- *The Day After Tomorrow* – climate change has never been this traumatic!
- *City of God* – the daily lives of young people in the favelas of Rio
- *Twister* – the formation and impact of a twister
- *There Will Be Blood* – industrial growth of a more economically developed country
- *Dante's Peak* – shows most of the features of a volcano
- *Lawrence of Arabia* – illustrates desert features
- *Kes* – life in 1960s Britain
- *The Full Monty* – industrial decline within the UK