

Year 10 Geography Preview Sheet

AQA Geography (8035): GCSE Geography 2017
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Assessment: There are 3 exam papers: assessment will take the form of multiple-choice, short-answer and extended prose responses.

Paper 1: Living with the Physical Environment
(1 hour 30 min exam)

Paper 2: Challenges in the Human Environment
(1 hour 30 min exam)

Paper 3: Geographical Applications (1 hour 15 minutes)

Text book: Students will have access to the AQA GCSE Geography Online Student book through Kerboodle.

In Year 10 students will study material for Paper 1 and Paper 3.

Module 1:

Risks from natural hazards: (p8)
Weather hazards & Climate Change: (*Global atmospheric circulation p22; Tropical storms p24-30; UK weather extremes p32-38 and flooding p34-36; management and mitigation p38*)

Module 2:

Tectonic hazards: (*processes causing and impacts of earthquakes and volcanoes p10-12; response, mitigation and management p16-20*)
Ecosystems: (p52-56)

Module 3:

Tropical rainforests: (*characteristics p58; causes, impacts and management of deforestation p60-66*)
Cold Environments: (*characteristics p78; opportunities, challenges and risks p80-86*)

Module 4:

UK diverse landscapes: p90
River landscapes in the UK: (*processes, landforms, management p114-130*)
Fieldwork planning, preparation and processes:
Rivers

Module 5:

Coastal landscapes in the UK: (*processes, landforms, management p92-112*)

Module 6:

Decision Making Exercise: Coasts (p302)
Fieldwork planning, preparation and processes:
Urban landscapes

Geographical skills will be taught and assessed throughout course (p326-342)