

Year 11 Geography Preview Sheet

AQA Geography (8035): GCSE Geography 2017 – 18

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: GCSE Geography AQA (OUP); Students will also have access to the AQA GCSE Geography Online Student book through Kerboodle.

Y11 Course Preview:

In Y11 students will complete material for Paper 2 and prepare for the examinations.

Module 1:

Global urban change and megacities: *(p148-150)*
Urban growth and sustainability in Rio: *(opportunities, challenges p152-162)*

Module 2:

Urban change and sustainability in the UK: *(opportunities, challenges p164-184)*
The Global development gap: reducing variation in quality of life
MOCK EXAMS: Paper 1 and Paper 2

Module 3:

Rapid economic development in NEE (Nigeria): *(changes p218-224/ impact of trade/aid p226-232)*
UK economic change: *(changes p234-246, effects p240-246, variations p248, world view p250-252)*

Module 4:

Complete UK economic change
Fieldwork: recapping and assessment of skills learnt during fieldwork carried out during the course *(p306-324)*
Issue evaluation (p302): Pre-release resource booklet made available 12 weeks before exam – class activities working through booklet recapping previous material and geographical skills and developing synoptic responses.

Module 5:

Revision of course materials
Preparation using pre-release resource booklet
Geographical skills: revision of skills taught and assessed throughout course *(p326-342)*

Exam dates:

Paper 1: May 22nd 2018;
Paper 2: June 5th 2018;
Paper 3: June 11th 2018