



Year 10 Geography



What have students at St. Crispin's been taught to understand and be able to do?

Core Knowledge

Learning about human and physical geography through the following topic areas:

Landscapes of the UK- students will learn the physical processes involved in the creation of river and coastal environments in the UK, and how humans interact with and influence these landscapes.

People of the UK- students will learn how the UK is a diverse society with a changing population. They will learn about the UK's economic change and how this has caused uneven development across the country, including a north-south and rural-urban divide.

UK Environmental Challenges- students will learn the challenges faced through people's interactions with the physical environment, specifically extreme weather events and the UK's energy use and security, across a range of timescales.

Geographical Skills- students will learn a range of graphical, cartographical, and statistical skills, including their evaluation, calculation and construction, including climate graphs, bar graphs, OS maps, scatter graphs, pictograms, GIS maps, and photographs; applying them to their theory learned in the UK and World topics.

Fieldwork Skills- students will learn the geographical sequence of enquiry, and conduct two fieldwork investigations - one physical and one human- using their learning throughout KS3 and 4 Geography so far.

- Core knowledge of relevant issues to become socially, economically and environmentally aware – true global citizens
- Core place knowledge and understanding of the UK and world's diversity
- Core knowledge of different stakeholder views.

Core Skills

- Application and interaction of human and physical geographical concepts
- Evaluation of issues.
- Literacy skills
- Graphical skills
- Cartographic skills
- Numeracy and statistical skills, including mean, median, mode, range, percentage change, inter-quartile range and Spearman's Rank
- Fieldwork and enquiry skills.



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How has learning been assessed?

- End of topic assessments for each topic, in line with how students will be assessed at the end of Year 11
- Mock exams in the early Summer term
- Personal study tasks.

What is coming up in the following year?

In Year 11, students will learn the topics in the World Around Us exam paper - Ecosystems of the Planet, People of the Planet and Environmental Threats to our Planet.