

	<p><u>People of the UK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population pyramids present data about population structure. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Several factors affect the weather in the UK, such as the North Atlantic Drift ocean current. • Precipitation is a component of the water cycle, one of Earth’s most important natural systems. • Urban areas create distinctive microclimatic conditions. • Despite experiencing a moderate climate, the UK occasionally experiences extreme weather events. • Whilst the UK experiences a temperate maritime climate, there are significant regional climatic variations. <p><u>People of the UK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The UK has a diverse population and this has changed over time. • A census is taken every ten years to measure the UK population. • The UK has an ageing population and this presents opportunities and challenges. • There are several reasons why Leicester has grown into a large city, e.g. transport links, farming, its relief and climate. • Leicester has several land uses that are typical of an urban area, e.g. transport, housing, industry, shops and open spaces. • There are different types of rural settlement, e.g. hamlet, village and commuter village. 	<p>Summative end-of-unit assessment</p>
	<p><u>Work, Rest and Play</u></p> <p>Decision-making exercises</p>	<p><u>Work, rest and play in the UK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The UK has four employment sectors; primary, secondary, tertiary and quaternary. • The number of people employed in these job sectors has changed over time. • There have been changes in the way the population communicates and travels around the UK. • The planned HS2 rail development has advantages and disadvantages. • People in the UK now have more leisure time. • People in the UK watch sport or participate in sporting activities. • Football is a good example of the process of globalisation. 	<p>Summative end-of-unit assessment</p>

	Cross-sections	<u>Focus on Africa</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Africa has a diversity of landscapes, biomes, populations and resources. • Africa was colonised by European countries but is now independent. • The Sahara Desert is very hot and dry. It is so big that it spreads across several countries. • Some areas of Africa are at risk from desertification. • Nigeria has four different biomes: desert, rainforest, tropical savannah and semi-arid savannah. • Around half of Nigeria's population live in rural areas and the other half in urban areas. • Nigeria has both challenges and opportunities for development. • Cross-sections can show the relief of land and its features. 	Summative end-of-unit assessment
	<u>World cities</u> Choropleth maps and proportional symbols	<u>World cities</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urbanisation occurs due to natural increase and rural-urban migration. • There are reasons why cities develop in particular places. • Rural-urban migration has occurred rapidly in China, with consequences for China's rural and urban areas. • Megacities are the world's largest cities and have a number of challenges and opportunities. • Squatter settlements may develop in LIC cities due to rapid urbanisation. • Living in squatter settlements has opportunities and challenges. • Cities must become sustainable in order to address their challenges. 	Summative end-of-unit assessment
9	<u>Global Issues:</u> Maps and satellite Photos	<u>Global issues</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plastic is a versatile and inexpensive product with many uses. However, it is environmentally indestructible and a major pollutant of the world's oceans, causing damage to natural ecosystems. • Natural climate change has been happening throughout the Earth's history. However, since the 1950s there has been a dramatic increase in 	Summative: End of Unit assessment

	<p><u>Challenges & Opportunities in the UK</u></p> <p>GIS skills Use, interpret and complete diagrams Use, interpret and complete line graphs Use and understand numerical data</p>	<p>global temperatures which scientists believe is linked to human activity such as burning fossil fuels and deforestation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International tourism is growing rapidly. While providing an important source of income and employment, the environment is under threat. Sustainable practices are being adopted to address this issue. • Wilderness - 'wild' - areas are natural environments that are largely undisturbed by people. They are important for wildlife, filter and store water and provide opportunities for recreation. • The Antarctic is considered the last true wilderness. It is highly valued for its scientific research and is becoming more a more popular tourist destination. <p><u>Challenges & Opportunities in the UK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some people live in poverty in the UK. • There are many things being done in the UK to reduce homelessness and help those in poverty. • The UK's water supply is not always sufficient to meet the demand. • New reservoirs can be built to ensure water security, but this can be controversial. • The UK has 'reduce, reuse and recycle' strategies to manage household waste. • Air pollution has serious environmental, economic and social impacts in the UK. • The UK is trying to reduce car use by promoting cycling and public transport. • The UK's energy production has changed over time. • The UK must find ways to use more renewable energy sources. <p>GIS is an important mapping tool for geographers.</p>	<p>Summative: End of Unit assessment</p>
	<p><u>Glaciers</u></p>	<p><u>Glaciers</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the physical extent of the ice sheet in Britain 20,000 years ago. • Identify and explain the global distribution of glaciers today. • Understand how glaciers move. • Explore the processes by which glaciers erode the landscape. • Understand and explain how glaciers create a variety of erosional landforms. 	<p>Summative: End of Unit assessment</p> <p>Summative: End of Unit assessment</p>

	<p><u>Russia</u></p>	<p><u>Russia</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice four-figure and six-figure grid references to identify glacial landforms. • Interpret contour lines on an OS map to identify glacial landforms. • Understand and explain the economic opportunities in glaciated landscapes. • Evaluate the impact of a proposed economic development in a glaciated landscape. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the location of Russia including physical and human features. • Understand the differences between rural and urban Russia. • Explore the Chernobyl event to understand the causes and impacts. • Discover Sakha, Russia's biggest region and the opportunities and challenges faced 	<p>Summative: End of Unit assessment</p>
	<p><u>Middle East</u></p>	<p><u>Middle East</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the location of the Middle East Region. • Understand the physical geography of Afghanistan including the climate of the Middle East. • Compare the lives of those living in rural and urban areas of the Middle East focusing on quality of life and the factors affecting this. • Explore the history of wars in Afghanistan and this about the legacy they have in present times. • To understand the influence of the drugs trade on Afghanistan including the impact on war and terrorism. • To predict what the future holds for Afghanistan. 	<p>Summative: End of Unit assessment</p>
<p>10</p>	<p><u>Natural Hazards - Tectonics</u> <i>Geographical:</i> describing patterns, interpreting maps <i>Maths skills:</i> presenting data using an appropriate</p>	<p><u>Tectonic Hazards</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earthquakes and volcanic eruptions are the result of physical processes. • Plate tectonic theory. • Global distribution of earthquakes and volcanic eruptions and their relationship to plate margins. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>

	<p>graphical technique, numerical calculation</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> writing for an audience, descriptive writing.</p> <p><u>The Urban World</u> <i>Geographical:</i> Map, graph and photo interpretation, describing a trend.</p> <p><i>Maths skills:</i> numerical calculation.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> writing for an audience.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earthquakes and volcanic eruptions are the result of physical processes. • Physical processes taking place at different types of plate margin (constructive, destructive and conservative) that lead to earthquakes and volcanic activity. • The effects of, and responses to, a tectonic hazard vary between areas of contrasting levels of wealth. • Primary and secondary effects of a tectonic hazard. • Immediate and long-term responses to a tectonic hazard. • Use named examples to show how the effects and responses to a tectonic hazard vary between two areas of contrasting levels of wealth. • Management can reduce the effects of a tectonic hazard. • Reasons why people continue to live in areas at risk from a tectonic hazard. • How monitoring, prediction, protection and planning can reduce the risks from a tectonic hazard. <p><u>The Urban World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A growing percentage of the world’s population lives in urban areas. • The global pattern of urban change. • Urban trends in different parts of the world including HICs and LICs. • Factors affecting the rate of urbanisation – migration (push-pull theory), natural increase. • The emergence of megacities. • Urban growth creates opportunities and challenges for cities in LICs and NEEs. • A case study of a major city in an LIC or NEE to illustrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The location and importance of the city, regionally, nationally and internationally. ○ Causes of growth: natural increase and migration. ○ How urban growth has created opportunities. ○ How urban growth has created challenges. • Urban growth creates opportunities and challenges for cities in LICs and NEEs. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>
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	<p><u>Weather Hazards</u> <i>Geographical:</i> drawing and annotating diagrams and sketches, describing and explaining patterns, extracting information from a map, interpreting graphs and describing patterns, empathy, map and photo interpretation, evaluating, interpreting OS map extracts, using 6-figure grid references, interpreting aerial photos, using OS maps to interpret aerial photos.</p> <p><i>Maths skills:</i> estimating percentages from a pie chart, analysing data.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> text comprehension</p> <p><u>Climate Change</u> <i>Geographical:</i> describing patterns and trends,</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An example of how urban planning is improving the quality of life for the urban poor. <p><u>Weather Hazards</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global atmospheric circulation helps to determine patterns of weather and climate. • General atmospheric circulation model: pressure belts and surface winds. • An understanding of the relationship between tropical storms and general atmospheric circulation. • Tropical storms (hurricanes, cyclones, typhoons) develop as a result of particular physical conditions. • Global distribution of tropical storms (hurricanes, cyclones, typhoons). • Causes of tropical storms and the sequence of their formation and development. • The structure and features of a tropical storm. • How climate change might affect the distribution, frequency and intensity of tropical storms. • Tropical storms have significant effects on people and the environment. • Primary and secondary effects of tropical storms. • Use a named example of a tropical storm to show its effects and responses. • How monitoring, prediction, protection and planning can reduce the effects of tropical storms. • The UK is affected by a number of weather hazards. • An overview of types of weather hazard experienced in the UK. • Extreme weather events in the UK have impacts on human activity. • An example of a recent extreme weather event in the UK to illustrate: causes/social, economic and environmental impacts/how management strategies can reduce risk. • Evidence that weather is becoming more extreme in the UK. <p><u>Climate Change</u></p>	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p> <p>Formative: Throughout unit.</p>
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	<p>interpreting graphs and data, interpreting satellite images, summarising geographical information to describe and explain, drawing an annotated diagram, photo interpretation.</p> <p><i>Maths skills:</i> presenting data as a pie chart.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> writing for an audience, descriptive writing.</p> <p><u>Urban Change – Bristol continuation and consolidation</u> <i>Geographical:</i> Map, graph and photo interpretation, evaluation, OS map skills.</p> <p><i>Maths skills:</i> estimating percentages from a pie chart, analysing data.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> writing for an audience, descriptive writing.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate change is the result of natural and human factors, and has a range of effects. • Evidence for climate change from the beginning of the Quaternary period to the present day. • Overview of the effects of climate change on people and the environment. • Possible causes of climate change: natural factors – orbital changes, volcanic activity and solar output. • Possible causes of climate change: human factors – use of fossil fuels, agriculture and deforestation. • Managing climate change involves both mitigation (reducing causes) and adaptation (responding to change). • Managing climate change: mitigation – alternative energy production, carbon capture, planting trees, international agreements. • Managing climate change: adaptation – change in agricultural systems, managing water supply, reducing risk from rising sea levels. <p><u>Urban change – Bristol (continuation and consolidation)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban change in cities in the UK leads to a variety of social, economic and environmental opportunities and challenges. • Case study of a major city in the UK – Bristol – to illustrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The location and importance of the city in the UK and the wider world - reasons for importance. ○ Impacts of national and international migration on the growth and character of the city. ○ How urban change has created opportunities – social, economic and environmental. ○ How urban change has created challenges – social inequalities, environmental • An example of an urban regeneration project (Bristol Temple Quarter) to show: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reasons why the area needed regeneration ○ The main features of the project. 	<p>Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p> <p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>
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	<p>diagrams, labelling a photo, reading and interpreting OS maps, classification, empathy, decision-making.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> descriptive writing,</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distinctive fluvial landforms result from different physical processes. • Characteristics and formation of landforms resulting from erosion – interlocking spurs, waterfalls and gorges. • Characteristics and formation of landforms resulting from erosion and deposition – meanders and ox-bow lakes. • Characteristics and formation of landforms resulting from deposition - levées, floodplains and estuaries. • An example of a river valley in the UK – River Tees – to identify its major landforms of erosion and deposition. • Different management strategies can be used to protect river landscapes from the effects of flooding. • How physical and human factors affect the flood risk – precipitation, geology, relief and land use. • The use of hydrographs to show the relationship between precipitation and discharge. • The costs and benefits of the following management strategies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ hard engineering – dams and reservoirs, straightening, embankments, flood relief channels. ○ Soft engineering – flood warnings and preparation, flood plain zoning, planting trees and river restoration. • An example of a flood management scheme in the UK – Banbury - to show: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Why the scheme was required ○ The management strategy ○ The social, economic and environmental issues. 	
<p>11</p>	<p><u>The development gap</u> <i>Geographical:</i> photo interpretation, map interpretation, describing patterns, interpreting data, drawing scattergraphs, describing data sets, drawing an annotated</p>	<p><u>The development gap</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are global variations in economic development and quality of life. • Different ways of classifying parts of the world according to their level of economic development and quality of life. • Different economic and social measures of development: gross national income (GNI) per head, birth and death rates, infant mortality, life expectancy, people per doctor, literacy rates, access to safe water, Human Development Index (HDI). • Limitations of economic and social measures. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>

<p>diagram, interpreting population pyramids, describing shapes and patterns, interpreting graphs and bar charts, describing trends, evaluation, describing a process, drawing an annotated map, present data using an appropriate graphical technique, map skills, using an atlas, graph interpretation.</p> <p><i>Literacy</i> – descriptive writing</p> <p><u>Nigeria: a Newly-Emerging Economy</u></p> <p><i>Geographical:</i> map interpretation, describing location, evaluation, interpreting data, interpretation, interpreting pie charts, drawing and interpreting flow-line graphs, choosing an appropriate form of graphic presentation to show given data, classification,</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link between stages of the Demographic Transition Model and the level of development. • Causes of uneven development: physical, economic and historical. • Consequences of uneven development: disparities in weath and health, international migration. • Various strategies exist for reducing the global development gap. • An overview of the strategies used to reduce the development gap: investment, industrial development and tourism, aid, using intermediate technology, fair trade, debt relief, microfinance loans. • An example of how the growth of tourism in an LIC or NEE helps to reduce the development gap. <p><u>Nigeria: A Newly-Emerging Economy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some LICs and NEEs are experiencing rapid economic development which leads to significant social, environmental and cultural change. • A case study of one LIC or NEE (Nigeria) to illustrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The location and importance of the country, regionally and globally ○ The wider political, social, cultural and environmental context within which the country is placed ○ The changing political and trading relationships with the wider world ○ The changing industrial structure ○ The balance between different sectors of the economy ○ How manufacturing industry can stimulate economic development. ○ The role of transnational corporations (TNCs) in relation to industrial development ○ Advantages and disadvantages of TNCs to the host country. ○ International aid: types of aid, impacts of aid on the receiving country. ○ The environmental impacts of economic development. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>
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	<p>interpreting a divided bar graph, describing a trend,</p> <p><i>Maths:</i> drawing a bar graph</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> writing for an audience</p> <p><u>Ecosystems – Tropical rainforests & Hot deserts</u></p> <p><i>Geographical:</i> photo interpretation, extracting information from diagrams, interpreting maps, describing patterns, drawing a labelled map, describing patterns of distribution, drawing a climate graph, drawing an illustrated diagram, evaluation, interpreting graphs, drawing a pie chart from given data, summarising information, drawing a labelled map, using an atlas, interpreting a climate graph, classifying, drawing an annotated sketch.</p> <p><i>Maths:</i> accurate presentation of given data,</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Economic development on quality of life for the population. <p><u>Ecosystems</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ecosystems exist at a range of scales and involve the interaction between biotic and abiotic components. ● An example of a small-scale ecosystem to illustrate the concept of interrelationships within a natural system, an understanding of producers, consumers, decomposers, food chain, food web and nutrient cycling. ● The balance between components. The impact on the ecosystem of changing one component. ● An overview of the distribution and characteristics of large scale natural global ecosystems. <p><u>Tropical rainforests</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Tropical rainforest ecosystems have a range of distinctive characteristics, ● The physical characteristics of a tropical rainforest. ● How plants and animals adapt to the physical conditions. ● Issues related to biodiversity. ● Deforestation has economic and environmental impacts. ● Changing rates of deforestation. ● A case study of a tropical rainforest – Malaysia – to illustrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Causes of deforestation – subsistence and commercial farming, logging, road building, mineral extraction, energy development, settlement, population growth. ○ Impacts of deforestation – economic development, soil erosion, contribution to climate change. ● Tropical rainforests need to be managed to be sustainable. ● Value of tropical rainforests to people and the environment. ● Strategies used to manage the rainforest sustainably – selective logging and replanting, conservation and education, ecotourism and international agreements about the use of tropical hardwoods, debt reduction. <p><u>Hot deserts</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Hot desert ecosystems have a range of distinctive characteristics. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit.</p> <p>Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>
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	<p><i>Maths:</i> calculating percentages, numerical calculation,</p> <p><u>Glaciated Landscapes</u> <i>Geographical:</i> describing a physical process, photo interpretation, drawing a labelled diagram, drawing a labelled sketch from a photo, classifying, OS map skills, using grid references, locating and identifying landforms on a 1:50,000 OS map, using OS maps to interpret photos, evaluation, decision making, team working, empathy,</p> <p><i>Maths:</i> calculating percentages, numerical calculation.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> descriptive writing, reflective learning, writing for an audience, creative thinking, evaluation, team working, effective participation, producing a presentation.</p> <p><u>The changing UK economy</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum extent of ice cover across the UK during the last ice age. • Glacial processes: freeze-thaw weathering, erosion, movement and transportation, deposition. • Distinctive glacial landforms result from different physical processes. • Characteristics and formation of landforms resulting from erosion – corries, arêtes, pyramidal peaks, truncated spurs, glacial troughs, ribbon lakes and hanging valleys. • Characteristics and formation of landforms resulting from transportation and deposition – erratics, drumlins, types of moraine. • An example of an upland area in the UK affected by glaciation to identify its major landforms of erosion and deposition. • Glaciated upland areas provide opportunities for different economic activities and management strategies can be used to reduce land use conflicts. • An overview of economic activities in glaciated upland areas – tourism, farming, forestry and quarrying. • Conflicts between different land uses, and between development and conservation. • An example of a glaciated upland area in the UK used for tourism to show: the attractions for tourists; social, economic and environmental impacts of tourism; strategies used to manage the impact of tourism. <p><u>The changing UK economy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major changes in the economy of the UK and effects upon employment patterns and regional growth. • Causes of economic change in the UK: de-industrialisation and decline of traditional industrial base, globalisation and government policies. • Economic futures in the UK: moving towards a post-industrial economy, development of information technology, service industries, finance, research, science and business parks. 	<p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p> <p>Formative: Throughout unit. Summative: End of Unit assessment.</p>
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	<p><i>Geographical:</i> interpreting graphs, describing trends, photo interpretation, classification, photo interpretation, map interpretation, OS map skills, map interpretation, evaluation, drawing an annotated map, describing patterns, decision-making, ranking, atlas skills, classifying using a matrix, drawing scattergraphs and proportional bars.</p> <p><i>Maths:</i> drawing a pie chart from given data, presenting data using an appropriate graphical technique, using numerical data, presenting numerical data.</p> <p><i>Literacy:</i> summarising information, writing for an audience, descriptive writing.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic futures in the UK: impacts of industry on the physical environment, an example of how modern industrial development can be more environmentally sustainable (Torr Quarry, Somerset). • Economic futures in the UK: social and economic changes in the rural landscape in one area of population growth and one area of population decline. • Economic futures in the UK: improvements and new developments in road and rail infrastructure, port and airport capacity. • Economic futures in the UK: the north-south divide and strategies in an attempt to resolve regional differences. • Economic futures in the UK: the place of the UK in the wider world. Links through trade, culture, transport, and electronic communication. Economic and political links. The European Union (EU) and Commonwealth. 	
	<p>Mock Exam revision/completion</p> <p>Fieldwork skills (TBC)</p>	<p>TBC when mocks arranged.</p> <p>TBC when fieldwork reapplied to exam series.</p>	

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