

Powerful Geography knowledge is delivered through lessons, individual class and homework tasks, a rich and varied source of texts, visuals and videos and the application of critical thinking skills through content assessment, debates and discussions.

## Year 7

- **Global Knowledge** – Regional studies, Climatic zones and Biomes.
- **Sustainable development** – River, Coast, Ecosystem and Urban space futures.
- **Urbanisation and migration** – Growth and development of urban areas.
- **Hazard response** – River flooding & tropical storms
- **Managing our environment** – Use of ecosystems, urban areas and coastlines.
- **Debate and decision making** – Issues and challenges around the use of the environment within different regions, landscapes and spaces.

### Units:

- What is Geography
- The Hydrological cycle
- Coastal and Glacial processes
- People and Place
- Weather
- Climate and Biomes

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## Year 8

- **Global Knowledge** – Case studies of Brazil, Bangladesh, China, London, Lagos and Mumbai plus a range of global examples of tectonic hazard events.
- **Sustainable development** – Economic, social and environmental development in MICs and LICs.
- **Urbanisation and migration** – Population, migration and issues in urban areas
- **Hazard response** – Earthquakes, Volcanoes and Tsunami.
- **Managing our environment** – Impact of Globalisation, urban growth and hazards
- **Debate and decision making** – Issues and challenges around the use of the environment within different regions, landscapes and spaces.

### Units:

- Development
- Globalisation
- Tectonic hazards
- Population, migration and urbanisation
- HIC city issues and challenges - London
- MIC/LIC city issues and challenges – Mumbai and Lagos



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## Year 9

- **Global Knowledge** – The Maldives, Tunisia, National Parks and Antarctica and tourist destinations. Deforestation in Peru. Water supply in Oxfordshire, Mexico and California. River Severn virtual fieldwork.
- **Sustainable development** – Rainforest and water; use and futures.
- **Urbanisation and migration** – Urban renewal and change.
- **Hazard response** – Hazard mapping through GIS. Climate change mitigation and adaptation.
- **Managing our environment** – Impact of tourism on the environment. Climate change.
- **Debate and decision making** – Issues and challenges around the use of the environment within different regions, landscapes and spaces.

### Units:

- Climate change
  - Skills in Geography and virtual fieldwork
  - Geographical information systems
  - Issue enquiries – Water supply and Deforestation
  - The geography of tourism
  - Urban rebranding and regeneration project
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