

Geography Curriculum Overview

September – October Half Term (Autumn 1)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
<p>Content topics</p> <p>*please note that for some of the year Y7 and Y8 units may run concurrently, due to Covid restrictions in the previous year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is Geography? Introduction to the Priory School Geography Department. • Map skills 	<p>Content topics</p> <p>*please note that for some of the year Y7 and Y8 units may run concurrently, due to Covid restrictions in the previous year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Europe countries, cities, physical features • Latitude and seasons • Map skills 	<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World countries (selected), cities, physical features • Longitude and time • Natural Hazards
<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PE – orienteering skills 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PE – orienteering skills 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chemistry link plate tectonics • Maths skills – time calculations
<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map skills test 	<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Europe map test • Map skills test 	<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World map test • Hazards practice exam questions
<p>Enrichment Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map games in class and on school field • Orienteering • Eco club 	<p>Enrichment Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map games in class and on school field • Orienteering • Eco club 	<p>Enrichment Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eco club
November – December Half Term (Autumn 2)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industry • Changing employment in the UK • Farming • Geography detectives (core skills) 	<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map skills continued • Industry and farming 	<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural hazards continued • Revision • Exam week
<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying disparities in wealth and reasons for this • Biology link – farming/biomes 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying disparities in wealth and reasons for this • Biology link – farming/biomes 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognising disparities between wealth, health and hazard response.

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Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geography detectives 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Map skills test 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exam
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club
January – February Half Term (Spring 1)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great Britain countries, cities, physical features Geology basics Coastal landforms and processes 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> South America 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural hazards – weather and tropical storms
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link to Business - Cadbury 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology link – biomes History link – human history/political links 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology and chemistry link – weather systems
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Britain map test 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geography detectives assessment 	Assessments / Exams
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online map games Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club
February – April Half Term (Spring 2)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rivers: erosion, landforms, flooding. management 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World cities 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Climate change; evidence, causes, effects, management
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science – erosional processes 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding diversity of life in urban environments 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science – climate change causes and effects
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 7 exam week 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World cities assessment 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Climate change test

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Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club
April – May Half Term (Summer 1)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rivers continued Africa/Kenya/Tourism 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revision Exam week Weather and climate 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World economic development
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding cultures 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literacy and numeracy skills 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding cultures, disparities in wealth and health, education
Assessments / Exams	Assessments / Exams	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Past paper
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club
June – July Half Term (Summer 2)		
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> War on plastic Litter study 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weather and climate Coastal processes and landforms 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic development continued Enrichment activities end of term
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literacy and numeracy skills 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literacy and numeracy skills 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business – types of industry History – colonialism and trading history
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tourism presentations 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Microclimate survey 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pastpaper questions
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eco club

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September – October Half Term (Autumn 1)	
Year 10	Year 11
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to GCSE • Coastal Landscapes and management 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic Development refresh • Nigeria case study: economic issues and challenges
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science – types of erosion/weathering • Literacy and numeracy skills 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business – economic levels/types of industry • Literacy and numeracy skills
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coastal exam question practice 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic world exam question practice
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coastal fieldwork trip 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones
November – December Half Term (Autumn 2)	
Year 10	Year 11
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rivers, fluvial processes, management 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UK economy • Post industrial change
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science – types of erosion/weathering • Literacy and numeracy skills 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business – economic levels/types of industry • Literacy and numeracy skills
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rivers 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mock exams
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One to one progress check 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones
January – February Half Term (Spring 1)	
Year 10	Year 11
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global ecosystems 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource management (UK/Global)

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rainforest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water resource management
<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills
<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ecosystems past paper questions 	<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource management practice paper
<p>Enrichment Activities</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones
February – April Half Term (Spring 2)	
Year 10	Year 11
<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cold environments; characteristics, opportunities, challenges, management 	<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper 1 revision
<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills
<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cold environments practice questions 	<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Past paper questions
<p>Enrichment Activities</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones
April – May Half Term (Summer 1)	
Year 10	Year 11
<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban issues and challenges • Birmingham case study 	<p>Content topics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper 2 revision • Paper 3 prep • GCSE Exams
<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills • Map skills 	<p>Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy and numeracy skills
<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban issues and challenges past paper questions 	<p>Assessments / Exams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GCSE exams
<p>Enrichment Activities</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Birmingham field work visit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones
June – July Half Term (Autumn 2)	
Year 10	Year 11
Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision • Exams • Further paper 2 work 	Content topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GCSE Exams
Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As above 	Cross curricular links / diversity / Modern British Values
Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 10 exams 	Assessments / Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GCSE exams
Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones 	Enrichment Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revision clinic • One to ones