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| **Y10 Autumn Term GCSE Geography Board: AQA** | | | |
| **Key Topics** | **Exam Dates** | **Controlled Assessment** | **What the student needs to do:** |
| Tourism:   * Growth of Global Tourism * Economic Importance of Tourism * Tourist resort life cycle model * Case Study of a National Park * The Impact of Mass Tourism, with supporting Case Study * Extreme Environments and the Impact of Tourism, including a Case Study * Sustainability and Case Study on Ecotourism     Restless Earth:   * Plate boundaries and their landforms * Case Study of an area of fold mountains * Types of volcanoes and their impact * Supervolcanoes and their global consequences * Earthquakes and their location * Impact and responses to earthquakes vary depending on wealth * Tsunamis and their impact | Exam in Year 11  Exam in Year 11 | End of Unit Test  End of Unit Test | * Understand the growth and economic importance of tourism globally * Appreciate how tourist resorts change over time * Produce a Case Study on one National Park * Understand the impact of mass tourism, through a specific Case Study * Produce a Case Study on the development of an Extreme Environment for tourism * Produce a Case Study on an Eco-tourism destination * Understand plate boundaries and their interactions vary, leading to distinct landforms * Produce a Case Study on how people have adapted to survive in a mountainous region * Compile a Case Study on the impact of a volcanic eruption, including the response given and resulting management strategies * The characteristics of a supervolcano and the likely effects of an eruption * Understand the causes and features of an earthquake and how they are measured * Produce two Case Studies on the impact and management of earthquakes in contrasting parts of the world * A case study of a tsunami – its cause, effects and responses |
| **Y10 Spring Term** | | | |
| **Key Topics** | **Exam Dates** | **Controlled Assessment** | **What the student needs to do:** |
| Globalisation:   * Importance of globalisation in the 21st Century * Growth of manufacturing and services across the world * Relative importance of manufacturing is changing * Global demand for energy * Sustainable development * The challenge of feeding an increasing global population   Water on the Land:   * Changing River Characteristics from Source to Mouth * Factors Affecting River Discharge and Causes of Flooding * The Effects of and Responses to Floods Vary Between Areas of Contrasting Levels of Wealth * The Costs and Benefits of Hard and Soft Engineering Management Strategies * The Management of Rivers to Provide Water | Exam in Year 11  End of Year 11 | End of Unit Test  End of Unit Test  Preparation for Controlled Assessment | * Understand globalisation and interdependence * Appreciate changes in technology and the rise of multi-national companies * Understand the changes in global manufacturing and the growth of China * Understand growth in global population has lead to an increased demand for energy * Appreciate the need for sustainable development with a supporting Case Study in one renewable energy * Environmental, Political, Social and Economic impact of global food production * Understand how erosion, transportation and deposition affect a river along its course * Understand the physical and human reasons why river depth fluctuates * Appreciate the reasons why frequency of flooding is increasing * A case study of flooding in contrasting parts of the world, including the different effects of and responses to flooding * Understand the differences between hard and soft engineering management strategies and their associated costs and benefits * Understand the issues involving an increasing demand for water in the UK, including a Case Study of one dam/reservoir |
| **Y10 Summer Term** | | | |
| **Key Topics** | **Exam Dates** | **Controlled Assessment** | **What the student needs to do:** |
| Coursework: | Exam in Year 11 | Completion of Controlled Assessment | * Prepare for fieldwork and data collection * Collect data * Write up methods, fieldwork and presentation of results |