

## What will I study?

In the 21st century, with growing awareness of the impact of human activity upon the environment and scarce resources, the study of Geography fosters positive life-long attitudes of environmental stewardship, sustainability and global citizenship. The units for studying are:

**Physical Environments** – learn about the weather, glaciation and coastal landscapes and how to manage and look after these landscapes

**Human Environments** – learn about social and economic issues in Developed and Developing countries, global population, farming and urban environments.

**Global Issues** – learn about earthquakes, volcanoes and tropical storms and global health issues such as AIDS, Malaria and heart disease

## What skills will I develop?

Be able to use and interpret a range of numerical and graphical information

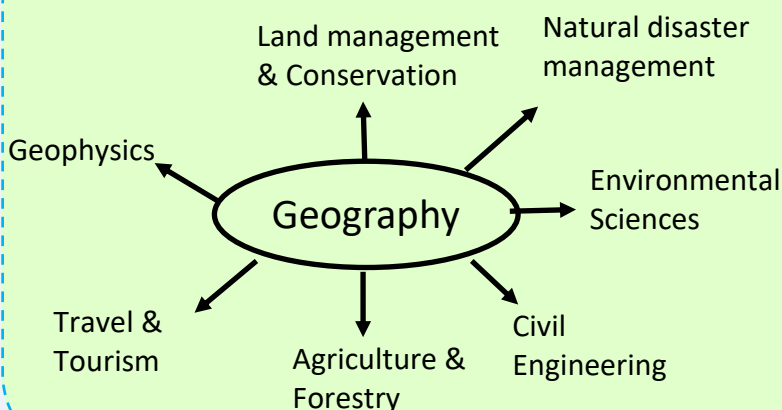
Develop a range of mapping skills including Ordnance Survey maps

Develop research skills, including fieldwork

## How will I be assessed?

**National 5** Pupils will be presented for three National 5 units, which will be assessed in school by your class teacher. Pupils will not be presented for the external exam, though should a pupil show potential the opportunity will remain open.

## Possible Careers



## What can I go on and study in fifth and sixth year?

**National 3 → National 4**

**National 4 → National 5 or SCQF**

**Travel and Tourism**

**National 5 → Higher or National 5**

**History or Modern Studies**

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