

## Geography A Level (Edexcel B)

### Programme of Study:

#### Year 1

- **Dynamic Landscapes**
  - Topic 1: Tectonic processes and hazards
  - Topic 2: Landscape System, Processes and Changes
- **Dynamic Places**
  - Topic 3: Globalisation
  - Topic 4: Shaping Places

#### Year 2

- **Physical Systems and Sustainability**
  - Topic 5: The Water Cycle and Water Insecurity
  - Topic 6: The Carbon Cycle and Energy Security
- **Human Systems and Geopolitics**
  - Topic 7: Superpowers
  - Topic 8: Global Development and Connections

### Assessment

**Paper 1:** 2 hr 15 mins (30% - 105 marks)

**Paper 2:** 2 hr 15 mins (30% - 105 marks)

**Paper 3:** 2 hr 15 mins (20% - 70 marks)

Coursework - A-level Independent Investigation

- A 3000-4000 word independent (20% - 70 marks).

### Entry Requirements

A minimum of a Grade 6 or above in GCSE Geography > A grade 6 in English Language/Literature is advised.

### Recommended Reading and Subject Enrichment

Geography for Edexcel Oxford Textbook

Prisoners of Geography – Tim Marshall

Residential field work trip

Stratford 1 day field work trip

### Higher Education and Career Pathways

Geography can lead to degrees in: Town planning, Geography and Environmental Sciences. Careers include: Engineer, Environmental Management, Travel, Conservation and Planning, Laws, Teacher, Journalism, Geologist, Meteorologist, Land Surveyor and Architect.

### Complimentary Subjects

Biology, Psychology, Sociology, Economics and Maths