

Sixth Form Bridging Work



Geography Transition Tasks

We look forward to welcoming you to Geography A Level. The topics covered over the two years are divided into core and optional choices. Details of the course content can be found at the link below. In addition you will be undertaking an independent fieldwork project on a topic covered in the specification. To help you prepare for this course we recommend you have a go at the following tasks

We are studying with the AQA exam board. Subject Content for this course can be found here:

https://filestore.aqa.org.uk/resources/geography/specifications/AQA-7037-SP-2016.PDF

<u>Task 1 – Watch this BBC documentary about Meat: A threat to our planet?</u>

https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000bgsh/meat-a-threat-to-our-planet

Whilst watching try to make flashcards on how the issues raised are going to impact on water, carbon cycles and Global economics and resource management around the world.

<u>Task 2 — Try to read three books from the attached reading list — be able to discuss/ share some thoughts on these issues.</u>

Tim Marshall (2016): Prisoners of Geography.



Geography Reading List.docx

<u>Task 3 – Try to attend or access the Royal Geographical Society lectures either online or visit on a Monday night – Exhibition Road, South Kensington, London.</u>

https://www.rgs.org/getattachment/Schools/Teaching-Resources/Geography-in-the-News/Literacy-Lowdown-Nathaniel-Rich-v2.pdf/?lang=en-GB

There is also the opportunity to have a taster of what studying Geography would be like at university by signing up to a one day session run by the Royal Geographical Society Geography ambassadors.

https://www.rgs.org/events/spring-2020/year-12-geography-at-university-march-2020/

Task 4 – A Level Summer Holiday pack.

Choose Five topics of interest to you from the summer holiday A Level preparation pack below and complete five tasks of your choice. You can do as more if you choose. Bring this work with you to the start of the course.

