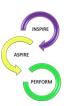


Denton Community College 2022/2023



Departmental Curriculum Map Template

Subject: Geography

Year Group: 8

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topics	Tropical Rainforests	Extreme Weather	Migration and	Conflict	Rivers	Fieldwork and
			Urbanisation			Impossible Places
What will	Know where the major	Know where and why	Know how world	Students will begin by	Students will study the	Fieldwork based on
students do	rainforests are	tropical storms, floods	population is	mapping	physical processes and	Rivers
during this unit?	located, know how	and droughts occur,	distributed,	contemporary	associated landforms	
	species in rainforests	know the impacts of	understand urban	conflicts and will then	in relation to rivers	A study of Las Vegas
	are linked and	and responses to	trends in ACs and	study a variety of	and will then look at	and The Grand Canyon
	adapted, have an	tropical storms, floods	LIDCs, consider the	different conflicts,	how humans interact	as Impossible Places.
	overview knowledge	and droughts. Focus	reasons for and	including Darfur,	with, damage and	
	of tropical rainforests	on Case Studies to	impacts of migration	Afghanistan and the	protect rivers. They	
	threats and protection	bring this to life.	using case studies.	issue of child soldiers	will use a case study of	
	methods. Focus on the			and pirates.	the River Mersey.	
	South East Asian					
	Rainforest.					
When will	Pretest Lesson 1	Pretest Lesson 1	Pretest Lesson 1	Pretest Lesson 1	Pretest Lesson 1	End of Year
students be	Posttest Lesson 9	Posttest Lesson 9	Posttest Lesson 9	Posttest Lesson 9	Posttest Lesson 9	Assessment Lesson 5
assessed?						
	Peer and Self	Peer and Self	Peer and Self	Peer and Self	Peer and Self	
	Assessment as well as	Assessment as well as	Assessment as well as	Assessment as well as	Assessment as well as	
	Improvement time	Improvement time	Improvement time	Improvement time	Improvement time	
	from feedback built in	from feedback built in	from feedback built in	from feedback built in	from feedback built in	
	throughout.	throughout.	throughout.	throughout.	throughout.	
How will	They will be assessed	They will be assessed	They will be assessed	They will be assessed	They will be assessed	Assessment will cover
students be	on the progress they	on the progress they	on the progress they	on the progress they	on the progress they	the content from the
assessed?	make between the	make between the	make between the	make between the	make between the	entire year as well as
	pretest and posttest.	pretest and posttest.	pretest and posttest.	pretest and posttest.	pretest and posttest.	considering content
						from prior learning.

Key Vocabulary	Ecosystem, Biotic,	Tropical Storm,	Immigrant, Emigrant,	Conflict, War, Child	Hydraulic Action,	Introduction,
	Abiotic, Adaptation,	Pressure, Trade Wind,	Migrant, Push Factor,	Soldier, Pirate,	Abrasion, Attrition,	Methodology, Data
	Interdependence,	Flood, Drought,	Pull Factor, Asylum	Hostage, Ransom	Solution,	Collection, Data
	Food Chain	Desertification	Seeker, Refugee,		Transportation,	Presentation, Data
			Counterurbanisation,		Deposition, Landform,	Interpretation,
			Suburbanisation,		Water Pollution	Analysis, Evaluation
			Reurbanisation			
Homework	Home learning	Home learning	Home learning	Home learning	Home learning	Home learning
opportunities to	activities will be set via	activities will be set	activities will be set via	activities will be set	activities will be set	activities will be set via
broaden or	google classroom	via google classroom	google classroom	via google classroom	via google classroom	google classroom
deepen student	according to the	according to the	according to the	according to the	according to the	according to the
knowledge	school policy. This	school policy. This	school policy. This	school policy. This	school policy. This	school policy. This
	could be knowledge or	could be knowledge or	could be knowledge or	could be knowledge or	could be knowledge or	could be knowledge or
	vocabulary based.	vocabulary based.	vocabulary based.	vocabulary based.	vocabulary based.	vocabulary based.
Links to the	Human and Physical	Human and Physical	Human and Physical	Locational and Place	Human and Physical	Geographical Skills
National	Geography - soils,	Geography - weather	processes - population	Knowledge - Africa	Geography - rocks,	and Fieldwork.
Curriculum	hydrology, weather	and climate,	and urbanisation.	and Asia, key	weathering and	
	and climate,	interactions between		characteristics and	hydrology, understand	Locational Knowledge
	interactions between	human and physical	Locational Knowledge	major cities.	how human and	-Hot Deserts, key
	human and physical	processes.	- Africa, key		physical processes	characteristics and
	processes.		characteristics and	Human and Physical	interact.	major cities.
		Locational Knowledge	major cities.	Geography -		
		- Africa, Asia, key		population and		
		characteristics and		urbanisation,		
		major cities.		interactions between		
				human and physical		
		Place Knowledge - a		processes.		
		region within Africa.				