# Year 8 - Geography

## What will be studied?

## Topic(s)

#### Term I

Rivers: This unit introduces students to the key concepts of river geography, from the formation of rivers to their role in shaping the environment.

Population: Students will explore how populations change over time due to birth rates, death rates, migration, and other demographic processes through case studies and real world examples

#### Term 2:

Sustainability: This unit introduces students to the concept of sustainability within the context of energy production and consumption.

Tectonics: Students embark on an exciting journey into the dynamic world of tectonics, exploring the forces that shape the Earth's surface and create geological features.

#### Term 3:

Issue of Urbanisation: Students will learn about the factors driving urbanization, including rural-to-urban migration, natural population growth, and economic opportunities in cities Africa: Students will investigate the physical landscape, human characteristics and the interactions that exist between them, acknowledging the diversity that exists across the continent.

#### How do you assess the learning?

Pupils will be formally assessed at the end of each unit of work, focussing on the content that they have covered during the half term. However, teachers will also use ongoing, formative assessment throughout all lessons.

### **End of Year Examination**

### How will I be assessed at the end of the year?

Our end of year examination is an hour long assessment.

# How can I help my child?

#### **Guidance and advice**

All Home Learning will be shared on Bromcom. Additional resources and quizzes are available on Seneca Finally, at home students should be reading articles, watching documentaries, and visiting museums