



Our Vision:

To develop aspirational learners who strive for excellence academically, creatively and culturally, benefitting from a wide range of opportunities led by inspirational educators.

**Geography Curriculum
Overview Mapping**

Year Group	Curriculum Intention	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 7	Year 7: The Emerging Geographer: students will learn the key geographical skills to succeed in geography, starting to discover and understand the awe and wonder of the world. Primary experience can be varied so consolidating the KS2 skills they should have to ensure a secure foundation to underpin all future geography including basic map skills, physical and human geography themes revisited in year 8-13.	What is Geography?	Our Island home! The UK	Weather and Climate	What is an economy?	Russia: a complex country	Natural Resources: are we running out?
Year 8	Year 8 The Novice Geographer: Students will compound their learning whilst exploring local and global concepts to further understand their place in it.	Brazil: a country of contrasts	Ecosystems: including how Ice changes the word.	Into Africa! It is a continent not a country!	Asia: a transforming continent	Middle East: Why is this an important world region?	Talking Tourism

<p>Year 9</p>	<p>Year 9: The Skilled Geographer Students will continue to develop their Geographical skills and start their journey towards their GCSE.</p>	<p>Why are rivers important?</p>	<p>What happens when the land meets the sea?</p>	<p>What is development?</p>	<p>How are populations changing?</p>	<p>Can we live safely with earthquakes and volcanoes?</p>	<p>Climate change and the Earth's future.</p>
<p>Year 10</p>	<p>Year 10 The Competent Geographer: Students will develop their geographical skills and knowledge further and start their GCSEs journey.</p>	<p>The challenge of natural Hazards</p>	<p>The challenge of natural Hazards continued from HT! (Extreme weather in the UK) The living world</p>	<p>The Living World continued (tropical rainforests and hot Deserts) Physical landscapes and the UK</p>	<p>Physical landscapes and the UK conclusion Consolidation / catch up half / review half term</p>	<p>Urban issues and Challenges</p>	<p>The changing Economic world</p>
<p>Year 11</p>	<p>Year 11 The Proficient Geographer: Students will compound their learning of both knowledge and skills, will be exam-ready for their GCSE and ready for the next step in their journey, whatever that might be.</p>	<p>The Challenge of resource management</p>	<p>Completion of The Challenge of resource Management PPE.</p>	<p>Geographical applications and skills (Fieldwork) Consolidation / Catch up/ review</p>	<p>Pre-release document for paper 3 and revision</p>	<p>Revision and exams</p>	<p>Exams</p>

<p>Year 12</p>	<p>Year 12 The Advanced Geographer: Students will take their knowledge and skills and develop new, more advanced geographical-specific skills and knowledge, developing their independence as young adults preparing them for the next stage following A Levels.</p>	<p>Changing Places Water and Carbon Cycles</p>	<p>Complete Changing Places begin Coastal systems & landscapes Water and Carbon Cycles PPE</p>	<p>Complete Coastal systems & landscapes, Global systems & global governance Water and Carbon Cycles</p>	<p>Global systems & global governance Water and Carbon Cycles</p>	<p>Complete Global systems and governance. Begin Resource security Water and Carbon Cycles</p>	<p>Continue Resource security and revision for PPE Water and Carbon Cycles PPE</p>
<p>Year 12 BTEC Travel & Tourism</p>	<p>Year 12 The Advanced Geographer: Students will take their knowledge and skills and develop new, more advanced geographical-specific skills and knowledge, developing their independence as young adults preparing them for the next stage following post 16+.</p>	<p>Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) A Types of Travel and Tourism</p>	<p>Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) B Organisations, their roles and the products and Services they offer to customers</p>	<p>Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) C The scale of the Travel and Tourism industry</p>	<p>Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) D Factors affecting the Travel and Tourism industry</p>	<p>Revision and EXAM (could be retaken following January)</p>	
	<p>Extended Certificate 360 GLH (equivalent to 1 A-level)</p>	<p>Unit 9 Visitor Attractions (Optional Unit) Learning aim A: Investigate the nature, role and appeal of visitor attractions Unit 9 Visitor Attractions (Optional Unit) Learning aim B: Examine how visitor attractions meet the diverse expectations of visitors</p>			<p>Unit 9 Visitor Attractions (Optional Unit) Learning aim C: Explore how visitor attractions respond to competition and measure their success and appeal Unit 9 Visitor Attractions (Optional Unit) Learning aim D: Investigate the nature, role and appeal of visitor attractions Standards verification takes place approx. mid May. After assignments complete time handed to Unit 1 revision</p>		

<p>Year 13</p>	<p>Y13 The Expert Geographer – Students will have a full range of advanced geographical and life skills and be fully prepared for their A Level exams and for the next stage of their journey after Shirley High school.</p>	<p>Resource security Start NEA Hazards</p>	<p>Complete Resource security revision for PPEs NEA and Hazards</p>	<p>Continue Hazards And NEA</p>	<p>Continue Hazards And NEA completion</p>	<p>Hazards completion (if required depends on Easter) Final Exams</p>	<p>Exams completed</p>
<p>Year 13 BTEC</p>	<p>Y13 The Expert Geographer – Students will have a full range of advanced geographical and life skills and be fully prepared for their BTEC exams coursework and for the next stage of their journey after Shirley High school.</p>	<p>Unit 2 Global destinations (mandatory 120) Revisit Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) with view to resit Jan to Unit 1 Principles of Marketing in Travel and tourism resubmission (due to Covid impacts- only for this year)</p>	<p>Unit 2 Global destinations (mandatory 120) Revisit Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) with view to resit Jan to Unit</p>	<p>Unit 2 Global destinations (mandatory 120) Unit Exam Jan as external PPE Revisit Unit 1 The world of travel and tourism (mandatory Unit) with view to resit Jan to Unit</p>	<p>Unit 2 Global destinations (mandatory 120)</p>	<p>Unit 2 Global destinations (mandatory 120) Final Exam</p>	<p>Exams completed</p>

	<p>Extended Certificate 360 GLH (A level equivalent)</p>	<p>Unit 3 Principles of Marketing in Travel and Tourism: (Mandatory and synoptic Unit) Learning aim A: Explore role of marketing activities in influencing customer decisions and meeting customer needs in travel and tourism Unit 3 Principles of Marketing in Travel and Tourism: (Mandatory and synoptic Unit) Learning aim B: Examine the impact that marketing activities have on the success of different travel and tourism organisations</p>	<p>Unit 3 Principles of Marketing in Travel and Tourism: (Mandatory and synoptic Unit) Learning aim C: Carry out market research in order to identify a new tourism product or service Unit 3 Principles of Marketing in Travel and Tourism: (Mandatory and synoptic Unit) Learning aim D: Produce a promotional campaign for a new travel and tourism product or service, to meet stated objectives Real Exams are also sat in January for Unit 1 as a resit and Unit 2 as first sitting</p>	<p>Consolidation and Internal moderation Standards Verifying by Mid May</p>
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