



Overview

In Year 9 students will advance their studies in our core themes of location and place studies, physical processes, human development, interdependency and sustainability.

Teaching will further develop students growing knowledge about the world, and will enable them to deepen their understanding of the interaction between physical and human processes, and of the formation and use of landscapes and environments.

Term 1

Year 9 will begin their year studying the amazing ecosystem of the Tropical Rainforest. Students will learn about the unique global positioning rainforests and how they are vital to the health of our planet.

This unit will make many links to other units of study through KS3 as we explore the impact of deforestation on physical and human geography.

Year 9 Geography

Term 3

In the summer term students will investigate the need for resource management in our ever changing world. They will learn about new technologies in greener energy, why it is important to save water and sustainable food production as they ready themselves to make their next steps towards being active global citizens.

Term 2

Year 9 students will tackle the fascinating area of global development through investigating a range of locations at varying scales. This unit will include an understanding of how historic, political and geographic factors can all affect the development of a country or region. They will also explore the physical geography of East Africa and the processes surrounding the formation of the Rift Valley and desertification.

