



Subject: Geography

Year: 8

Half -Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Themes/ Content/ Units covered 	Theme(s): Physical processes Unit: Vicious Volcanoes Developing a detailed understanding of our restless planet and how tectonic hazards impact our lives. 	Theme(s): Development Sustainability Unit: Cities and Urbanisation More than half of us live in urban areas. This unit explores why this has happened and what problems this creates. 	Theme(s): Physical and human processes Development Unit: Climate Change Climate change is the biggest emergency facing our planet. It is essential that students understand the causes, effects and solutions to help mitigate the climate crisis. 	Theme(s): Physical and human processes Unit: Coasts As an island nation, our coastline forms a large part of our identity. Understanding the physical processes that shape our coastline is the focus of this unit. 	Theme(s): Globalisation Development Current Affairs Unit: Russia Studying the largest nation on our planet introduces students to a range of concepts and ideas ranging from cultural diversity to migration. 	Theme(s): Place, space and scale Environmental interaction Unit: Biomes under threat This unit introduces students to large- scale ecosystems and their characteristics. 