









# Stalham High School - Subject Curriculum Overview

## Subject: Geography

### Year: 9

Half -Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Themes/ Content/ Units covered  	Theme(s):  Physical processes  Unit: Earthquakes and Tsunamis  This unit examines the effects tectonic hazards have on our planet and explores how human action can limit these effects through technology an planning  	Theme(s):  Physical and human processes  Unit: Cryosphere  Ice is a disappearing commodity on our planet. Discovering how ice shapes landscape and provides economic opportunities forms the foundation of this unit.  	Theme(s):  Development Globalisation Environmental interaction  Unit: Brazil  Studying the largest country in South America gives students the chance to examine how human and physical geography are linked through exploration of Rio and the Amazon Rainforest  	Theme(s):  Development Cultural and demographic understanding  Unit: Conflict  When geographers talk about conflict, it can range from a minor disagreement to a war. This unit leaps from country to country to explore sources of current and historical conflict.  	Theme(s):  Sustainability  Unit: Resources  Our planets resources are running out. In the quest to gain power and influence, world leaders are looking to utilise these resources for economic gain.  	Theme(s):  Physical processes Globalisation  Unit: Fieldwork  Fieldwork is an integral part of geography. It allows students to gather 'real world' data and learn how to present, analyse and critique their own investigations  