## **Year 8 Long Term Scheme of Learning 2025-26**



## **Subject: Geography**

Date	Exams/ Assess	Unit(s)
1/9/25		Topic 1: Weather and climate (11 lessons)  What are weather and climate?  Why does it rain?  Why does the wind blow?  What is the UK's climate?  Extreme weather: Storm Desmond  Core task 1
8/9/25		
15/9/25		
22/9/25		
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6/10/25		
13/10/25		
20/10/25		
3/11/25		Topic 2: Middle East (8 lessons)  Why is the Middle East an important world region?  How does physical geography and climate influence the region?  Why is the Middle East major economic region of the world?  Core task 2
10/11/25		
17/11/25		
24/11/25		
1/12/25		
8/12/25		
15/12/25		
5/1/26		How has the United Arab Emirates developed?
12/1/26		Is Dubai's tourism industry sustainable?
19/1/26		• Core task 3
26/1/26		Topic 3: Energy (10 lessons)  Types of energy  Natural gas fracking
2/2/26		
9/2/26		
23/2/26		Core task 4
2/3/26		<ul> <li>Wind power</li> <li>Nuclear Power</li> <li>Solar Power</li> <li>Geothermal power</li> <li>Energy efficiency</li> </ul>
9/3/26		
16/3/26		
23/3/26		
30/3/26		
20/4/26		<ul> <li>Changes in the climate from the Ice Age to the present</li> <li>Global warming</li> <li>Impacts of climate change</li> <li>Core task 5</li> <li>Topic 4: Development issues (15 lessons)</li> <li>How do we define and measure development?</li> </ul>
27/4/26		
4/5/26		
11/5/26		
18/5/26		
		How are development indicators related?
1/6/26		Core task 6
8/6/26		How does population structure vary in different countries?
15/6/26		<ul> <li>What are the consequences of uneven development?</li> <li>Why are some countries more developed than others?</li> <li>Case study: Democratic Republic of Congo</li> <li>How can aid promote development?</li> </ul>
22/6/26		
29/6/26		
6/7/26		How many people live in slums?
13/7/26		<ul> <li>What are the consequences of rapid urban growth?</li> <li>Case study: Kiberia, Nairobi</li> </ul>