

## Both pathways

### *What is Geography?*

Geography combines the art and science subjects to provide a broad based, flexible subject that develops skills that are an asset to any future progression, whether sixth form or the work place.

### *Course Content:*

#### **Year 10:**

##### ***Living with the physical environment***

- The challenge of natural hazards (natural hazards, tectonic hazards, tropical storms, extreme weather in the UK, climate change)
- The living world (ecosystems, tropical storms, hot deserts)
- Physical Landscapes in the UK (UK physical landscapes, coastal and river landscapes in the UK)
- Geographical skills

##### ***Challenges of the human environment***

- Urban issues and challenges (world population, urban growth of mega cities)
- The changing economic world (global development gap, economy of the UK)
- The challenge of resource management (distribution of resources, water issues)
- Geographical skills

##### ***Field trip during Autumn term***

- Field work – two contrasting field work settings (coasts/settlements)

#### **Year 11:**

##### ***Geographical applications***

- Issue evaluation – pre-release booklet released in March
- Geographical skills

### *Examinations:*

#### ***Sat at end of Year 11:***

**Paper 1: Living with the physical environment:** 1 hour 30 minutes - 35%

**Paper 2: Challenges the human environment:** 1 hour 30 minutes - 35%

**Paper 3: Geographical applications:** 1 hour - 30%

### *Trips, Resources and other opportunities:*

Walton-on-the-Naze. International trips.

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### *Exam Board:*

<b><i>Subject:</i></b>	<b><i>Board:</i></b>	<b><i>Syllabus Code:</i></b>	<b><i>Examination/NEA/Coursework</i></b>
GCSE Geography	AQA	8035	Exam 100%