

Subject:	<b>GCSE Geography</b>
Exam board:	AQA
Specification:	<a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035</a>
How students will be assessed:	<p><b>Paper 1: Living with the physical environment (1 hour 30 minutes; 35% of GCSE)</b>  This paper students will have to answer all sections below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Section A: The challenge of natural hazards (inc. tectonics, weather hazards, climate change)</li> <li>• Section B: The living world (inc. Eco-systems, tropical rainforests, and cold environments)</li> <li>• Section C: Physical Landscapes in the UK (inc. rivers and coasts)</li> </ul> <p><b>Paper 2: Challenges in the Human Environment (1 hour 30 minutes; 35% of GCSE)</b>  This paper students will have to answer all sections below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Section A: Urban issues and challenge (inc. Mumbai / Dharavi and London / Olympics)</li> <li>• Section B: The changing economic world (inc. Nigeria, Kenya and UK)</li> <li>• Section C: Resource Management (inc. Food, water and energy – option: Water)</li> </ul> <p><b>Paper 3: Geographical Applications (1 hour 15 minutes; 30% of GCSE)</b>  This paper students will have to answer all sections below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Section A: Issue Evaluation - a pre-release booklet will be given to the students 12-weeks before the exam for this section.</li> <li>• Section B: Fieldwork (inc. Human Wellingborough trip and Physical Hunstanton trip, plus unseen skills questions)</li> </ul>
Recommended revision guide:	<p>GCSE 9-1 Geography AQA Revision Guide – all students have been given a copy.  <a href="https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/9780198423461">GCSE 9-1 Geography AQA Revision Guide: Amazon.co.uk: Bayliss, Tim, Tudor, Rebecca, Hurst, Catherine, Digby, Bob: 9780198423461: Books</a></p> <p>GCSE 9-1 Geography AQA Exam Practice workbook – all students have been given a copy.  <a href="https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/9780198423485">GCSE 9-1 Geography AQA Exam Practice: Amazon.co.uk: Rowles, Nicholas, Digby, Bob: 9780198423485: Books</a></p>
Other useful links:	<p>SENECA Learning – <a href="https://senecalearning.com/">https://senecalearning.com/</a></p> <p>Please contact your geography teacher to be given a class code.</p> <p>Kerboodle – <a href="https://www.kerboodle.com">https://www.kerboodle.com</a></p> <p>This online e-learning resource includes electronic copies of the geography textbook we use in the classroom plus lots of other very useful learning resources.</p> <p>GCSE Pod – AQA Geography.</p>
AP2	Full paper 1 and Section A of Paper 2.