

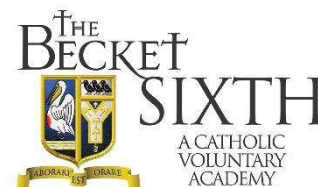


**Year 12**  
**Summer Transition Work**

**Geography**  
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## Geography Year 12 transition work



We study 'Edexcel A-Level Geography 2016' syllabus. Use this link to access the course specification:

<https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/geography-2016.html>

*One of the most important aspects of stepping up to A-Level is the ability to read around the subject. Geography is one of the best subjects for this; there is always something happening in the world which is relevant and makes the subject incredibly contemporary.*

**Task 1 : build up a folder of interesting newspaper articles around the four AS topics we study:**

1. **Tectonics**

Ideas include: information about any tectonic event that occurs in countries around the world e.g. what are the effects? How are they managed?

2. **Coasts**

Ideas include: how are coasts managed (strategies, funding, stakeholders) and impacted by physical factors/changes (e.g. sea level rise, geology, weather)

3. **Globalisation**

Ideas include: how are we all connected to different places, the power of social media and technology, TNCs, how is the global economy being affected by COVID-19

4. **Regenerating places**

Ideas include: why and how do places vary, examples of regenerating projects, why are areas deprived, how are projects funded, etc.

*Understanding key terms will aid your understanding but also improve your ability to write technical exam answers. You will recognise some key terms from GCSE - it is vital you feel comfortable with these as we will be focusing more time on new key terms.*

**Task 2: learn the key terminology for the first two topics we will study at AS. You may want to make flash cards.**