

# Curriculum Overview

	<b>Cycle 1</b>
<b>Year 7 Geography</b>	Geographical skills: including how to use OS maps, atlases and compasses Geographical investigations: looking into the safety and security of the school site, through a geographical investigation
<b>Year 8 Geography</b>	Coastal landscapes: physical processes and how humans interact with the coast
<b>Year 9 Geography</b>	Our climate crisis: how humans contribute to the global issue of climate change through the use of different energy sources

<b>Cycle 2</b>
Global development: exploring why some countries are richer than others World of Work: Exploring the relationship between jobs and the economy as well as tourism
Population and migration: causes and problems of rising population; reasons for migration
Life in an emerging country: study how countries rapidly develop, with a focus on Nigeria and India

<b>Cycle 3</b>
River landscapes: physical processes and how humans interact with rivers
Tectonics: study of the Earth's structure; tectonic hazards such as volcanoes and earthquakes
Geographical investigations: studying crime in our local area, through a geographical investigation Synoptic unit: Drawing together the key themes of geography throughout KS3 to understand the importance of geography in our lives