Year 10 Travel and Tourism Spring Overview

The Tourism course is made up of 3 compulsory components. Students will sit their tourism exam next January 2022 with an opportunity to resit that Summer. Component 1 and 3 are assessed by two pieces of coursework.

Students have previously been completing Component 1 in one of their sessions which includes looking at a variety of different tourist destinations. This has included analysing how different areas and attractions and accommodation appeal to different visitor types and how different attractions can work with others in order to be successful.

In their second session they have been covering work for the exam, focusing on how sustainable tourism can be and how it can be managed to be more so.

Spring Term curriculum

Students will use the term to ensure all coursework is submitted to the best of their ability for Component 1. This will happen in one of their 2 sessions. There can be no extended deadlines for this and it is essential they keep to the deadline. Students will be introduced to their second coursework project which will either look at the role of an established tourist organisation such as Drayton Manor or will include the practical skills of itinerary planning

In their other session during the week they will continue to prepare for the unit 2 examination and will look at issues of tourism safety in terms of transport safety as well as the risks posed to tourists by a series of heath, climatic and other hazards. There will be continued opportunities to look at the role of Government in tourism in keeping tourists safe but also in their use of DMO's (Destination Management organisations such as Visit England)

During the Spring term students will begin to be exposed to past papers for Unit 2 in lead up to a formal Summer mock exam in the Summer term.