

Year Group: 12	Subject: Geography	Term: Summer 2020
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Topic	Key Learning points	Assessments
Superpowers	<p>What are superpowers and how have they changed over time?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geopolitical power stems from a range of human and physical characteristics of superpowers. • Patterns of power change over time and can be uni-, bi- or multi-polar • Emerging powers vary in their influence on people and the physical environment, which can change rapidly over time. <p>What are the impacts of superpowers on the global economy, political systems and the physical environment?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Superpowers have a significant influence over the global economic system. • Superpowers and emerging nations play a key role in international decision making concerning people and the physical environment. • Global concerns about the physical environment are disproportionately influenced by superpower actions. 	<p>Formal assessment: 40 minute end of topic assessment including multiple choice questions, skills questions, short answer questions and an extended writing task.</p> <p>Informal assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homework • Review questions • Literacy tasks
Skills/ Research for Non-examined Assessment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing an Enquiry questions • Data analysis techniques • Field work planning • Research projects to show key theories. 	
The Water Cycle and Water Insecurity	<p>What are the processes operating within the hydrological cycle from global to local scale?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The global hydrological cycle is of enormous importance to life on earth • The drainage basin is an open system within the global hydrological cycle. • The hydrological cycle influences water budgets and river systems at a local scale. 	