

**Year Group: 12**

**Subject: Geography**

**Term: Summer 2022**

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Key Learning points</b>	<b>Assessments</b>
<b>Summer 1 &amp; 2: Superpowers</b>	<p>What are superpowers and how have they changed over time?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Geopolitical power stems from a range of human and physical characteristics of superpowers.</li><li>• Patterns of power change over time and can be uni-, bi- or multi-polar</li><li>• Emerging powers vary in their influence on people and the physical environment, which can change rapidly over time.</li></ul> <p>What are the impacts of superpowers on the global economy, political systems and the physical environment?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Superpowers have a significant influence over the global economic system.</li><li>• Superpowers and emerging nations play a key role in international decision making concerning people and the physical environment.</li><li>• Global concerns about the physical environment are disproportionately influenced by superpower actions.</li></ul>	<p><b><u>Formal assessment:</u></b> 40 minute end of topic assessment including multiple choice questions, skills questions, short answer questions and an extended writing task.</p> <p><b><u>Informal assessment:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Homework</li><li>• Review questions</li><li>• Literacy tasks</li></ul>
<b>Summer 1: The Water Cycle and Water Insecurity</b>	<p>What are the processes operating within the hydrological cycle from global to local scale?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The global hydrological cycle is of enormous importance to life on earth</li><li>• The drainage basin is an open system within the global hydrological cycle.</li><li>• The hydrological cycle influences water budgets and river systems at a local scale.</li></ul>	
<b>Summer 2: Skills/ Research for Non-Examined Assessment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Designing Enquiry questions</li><li>• Planning the project of their independent investigation.</li><li>• Understand how to present data.</li><li>• Knowing how to identify trends from primary data.</li></ul>	