



100% Homework

Subject: Geography

Parents / carers can support their child in improving their learning by accessing the 100% Homework resources and encouraging self-quizzing at home. Regular testing of key concepts, content and vocabulary is proven to improve memory and the ability to recall important knowledge.

Key learning for term 3

Half term 3 (January-February):

	What they need to know	What they should be doing at home	What resources are available	How can I help?
Yr 7	Weather and climate	Learning ladder questions for homework and weekly quizzing	Workbooks/homework quizzes.	Conversations about the news (E.g. Climate change, Brexit)
Yr 8	Urbanisation and population			
Yr 9	The living world – Hot deserts (GCSE Specification)	Senecalarning.com. (homework is set bi-weekly. Should be lasting 1 -1.30hr) Pupils should be using this weekly to self-quiz	Senecalarning.com Knowledge Organisers with key information to self-quiz	Ensure your child is logging on to Seneca learning each week to complete Geography quizzes
Yr 10	Physical landscapes - Rivers (GCSE Specification)			



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Yr 11	Challenge of resource - Food Food as a resource (GCSE Specification)	GCSEPOD Senecalearning.com (homework is set weekly. Should be lasting 1 -1.30hr) Revision guide – AQA Pearson	GCSEPOD Senecalearning.com Revision guide	Work through the revision booklets to complete key questions and reinforce lesson content
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Half term 4 (February-April):

	What they need to know	What they should be doing at home	What resources are available	How can I help?
Yr 7	Social and economically development	Learning ladder questions for homework and weekly quizzing	Workbooks/homework quizzes.	Conversations about the news (E.g. Climate change, Brexit)
Yr 8	Ecosystems			
Yr 9	The living world – Tropical rainforests (GCSE Specification)	Senecalearning.com. (homework is set bi-weekly. Should be lasting 1 -1.30hr) Pupils should be using this weekly to self-quiz	Senecalearning.com	Ensure your child is logging on to Seneca learning each week to complete Geography quizzes
Yr 10	Physical landscapes - Coasts Rivers as a physical landscape (GCSE Specification)	Knowledge Organisers with key information to self-quiz Revision booklet	Knowledge Organisers with key information to self-quiz Revision booklet	Quiz your child using knowledge organisers and encourage your child to self-quiz using these
Yr 11	Content is finished. Revision from paper 1 – paper 3	GCSEPOD Senecalearning.com (homework is set weekly. Should be lasting 1 -1.30hr)	GCSEPOD Senecalearning.com Revision guide	Work through the revision booklets to complete key



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Reading:

Reading is a key driver in the improvement of learning and the ability to recall knowledge. All pupils have the following suggested reading list in their student planners. Please encourage your child to read in order to deepen their knowledge of the subjects they study. All books are available in our school library.

Books suitable for KS3	Where on earth? Geography without all the boring bits (Jim Doyle) Horrible Geographies Series Journey to the river sea (Eva Ibbotson) Midnight (Randolph Stowe Little)
Books suitable for KS4	The Man who Cycled the World (Mark Beaumont) The Accidental Adventurer (Ben Fogle) This is Planet Earth by New Scientist Netflix – Our planet and planet earth BBC – Seven worlds, one planet

“Books expose children to more facts and to a broader vocabulary than virtually any other activity, and persuasive data indicate that people who read for pleasure enjoy cognitive benefits throughout their lifetime” – Daniel T. Willingham