

# GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT



The department is well resourced, and has three Geography classrooms in the humanities area.

It is a successful department, with an excellent record of results. We work very much as a team and have a particular focus on improving thinking skills.

## Curriculum Summary

### KS3

- Year 7: Three hours per fortnight - Map Skills and the Local Area / Journeys UK / River Landscapes / Flooding and Weather Hazards / Changing Places – Rainforests
- Year 8: Three hours per fortnight - Journeys Japan / Tectonic Hazards / Changing Places Africa / Antarctica and global warming / Coasts
- Year 9: Three hours per fortnight - Deserts / Resource depletion and the Middle East / Development / GCSE DME Senegal / Mountains / The rise of the BRICs / Key concepts in Geography.

### KS4

- Year 10: Five hours per fortnight
- Year 11: Five hours per fortnight

The department uses the syllabuses for GCSE Geography B set by AQA.

### KS5

- Year 12: Ten hours per fortnight
- Year 13: Ten hours per fortnight

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## Student Performance Summary

### 2017 Results

Geography GCSE - P8 - 0.25

Geography A Level –80% A\*-C