

Year 8 Geography

Term 2

Course Content

The focus for this term will be on a unit called fantastic places. This unit covers fantastic places around the world and the students will learn about many new and interesting places. This unit is wide reaching and covers not only interesting places but the students will consider how humans interact with places. They will cover key concepts such as place, environmental interaction and human & physical processes. Students will continue to develop their skills of enquiry, using evidence, presentation and communication skills. This unit culminates in one final independent coursework project. This project does not only test their geographical skills but also their ability to work independently and take responsibility for their work.

Resources Used

Geog.1 4th edition (Oxford)

Teacher created resources

Level criteria for assignments (posted on edmodo)

Assessment

Assignments/Projects – 30%

Coursework project – 40%

End of term test – 30%