

# GCSE Geography- Guidance- OCR B Geography

## Key Dates and Times- Final Exams

<b>Date</b>	<b>Friday 17th May (pm)</b>	<b>Wednesday 5th June (am)</b>	<b>Friday 14th June (pm)</b>
<b>Time</b>	<b>1 hour 15 mins</b>	<b>1 hour 15 mins</b>	<b>1 hour 30 mins</b>
<b>Exam</b>	<b>Paper 1: Our Natural World</b>	<b>Paper 2: People and Society</b>	<b>Paper 3: Geographical Exploration</b>
<b>Topics</b>	<b>Global Hazards Changing Climate Distinctive Landscapes Sustaining Ecosystems Physical Fieldwork</b>	<b>Urban Futures Dynamic Development UK in the 21st Century Resource Reliance Human Fieldwork</b>	<b>Synoptic paper- geographical skills and understanding taught throughout the course.</b>
<b>Weighting</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>30%</b>

## Useful Revision Resources- Google Classroom

### [Revision List.](#)

On Google Classroom, There is a list of every topic needed. This is now complete. Use this document as a checklist- once you have revised a topic, check it off using the column on the right hand side.

### **Practice Questions:**

This document gives a list of potential questions which could come up in an exam. This will help with practice and also to prepare for the type of questions which may appear.

[Paper 1:](#)    [Paper 2:](#)

### [Case Study Summary List](#)

This document has a brief run-down of all of the case studies needed. This gives the case specific detail and a summary of events- make sure when writing about a case study in an exam to fully respond to the command words. This document is still being updated, but the list is complete.

### **Geog Your Memory Sheets**

Access to these can be found on Google Classroom- students can print out these sheets or grab a copy from the Geography Department. These are quick 30 minute summary sheets for content on each topic.

### **Revision Grids**

Similar to the 'Geog Your Memory' sheets, but these are blank templates to help students guide their own revision. These can also be accessed on Google Classroom or in the Geography Department.

## Recommended Online Revision Resources.

<p><b>Quizlet Sets</b> - a great way to learn and practise key terms and case-specific details. <a href="https://quizlet.com/BMSGeographyGCSE">https://quizlet.com/BMSGeographyGCSE</a> <a href="https://quizlet.com/KTracey_BMS/folders/gcse-quizlets?x=1xqt&amp;i=2c5c53">https://quizlet.com/KTracey_BMS/folders/gcse-quizlets?x=1xqt&amp;i=2c5c53</a></p>	<p><b>BBC Bitesize</b> <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpsx2p3">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpsx2p3</a></p>	<p><b>Time for Geography</b> Great explanatory videos to dip into. <a href="https://timeforgeography.co.uk/">https://timeforgeography.co.uk/</a></p>
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### Past Papers

This link will take you to the OCR B Website. Here, past papers can be downloaded along with their mark schemes. We would highly recommend this as a form of revision. As a general rule of thumb, we work at a mark a minute, so if a student were to undertake a 30 minute revision session on Geography, we would recommend that they do 2 topics against the clock over 30 minutes.

### Revision Guides

Our recommended student revision guide is **CGP's OCR B- Complete Revision and Practice**. This can be purchased online through sellers such as Amazon, however there are a few copies available to purchase through the school via SIMS pay.

Message us if you have any questions!

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