

# Year 7 – GEOGRAPHY Programme of Study

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<p><b>Our Island Home, including Map Skills</b></p> <p><b>Key content</b> Continents and Oceans; British Isles; British cities; physical landscapes of the UK</p> <p><b>Skills</b> Latitude and longitude; grid references; direction; measuring distance; scale; Ordnance Survey maps.</p> <p><b>Milestone Assessment:</b> <i>Our Island Home assessment – Knowledge and skills assessment.</i></p>	<p><b>Is there a climate emergency?</b></p> <p><b>Key content</b> Overview and introduction to the climate emergency: Evidence of climate change, causes of climate change (natural and human), effects of climate change, strategies to mitigate and adapt to a changing climate.</p> <p><b>Scale</b> – Local, regional, national and global effects and actions.</p> <p><b>Skills</b> – Analysing data and graphs, categorising.</p> <p><b>Milestone Assessment:</b> <i>tbc</i></p>	<p><b>Geographies of Scale</b></p> <p><b>Key content</b> Exploration of current issues at a global, national and local scale, with a focus on environmental issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Global</b> – <i>Global issues and Sustainable Development Goals</i></li> <li>• <b>National</b> – <i>Water resources in the UK</i></li> <li>• <b>Local</b> – <i>Local enquiry – Sawston Village College has better environmental quality than my road.</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Skills</b> – fieldwork data collection, data presentation, data analysis</p> <p><b>Milestone Assessment:</b> <i>Decision making exercise, focussed on an environmental issue.</i></p>		<p><b>Our River Landscapes, including Fieldwork</b></p> <p><b>Key content</b> Hydrological cycle; Features of drainage basins; Long profile of a river; River processes including erosion, transportation and deposition; River landforms; Causes and effects of flooding; infiltration fieldwork</p> <p><b>Skills</b> – data collection, data presentation (graphs), fieldwork</p> <p><b>Milestone Assessment:</b> <i>Extended writing question and knowledge quiz.</i></p>	