

## ADVANCED GCE GEOGRAPHY

**EXAMINING BOARD:** Edexcel

**MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** GCSE Geography Grade 5

**KEY FEATURES OF THE COURSE:**

- An opportunity to study four diverse areas of Geography.
- Residential Field Course – a compulsory residential trip is undertaken as part of the course.
- Focus on contemporary issues and possible solutions
- Varied and stimulating approach.
- Fieldwork and research are key components of the course.

**CONTENT COVERED IN YEAR 12**

Examined in Paper 1	Examined in Paper 2
<p><u>AOS1: Dynamic Landscapes</u></p> <p>Topic 1: Tectonic Processes and Hazards            Topic 2: Landscape systems, Processes and Change – Glaciated Landscapes and change</p>	<p><u>AOS2: Dynamic Places</u></p> <p>Topic 3: Globalisation            Topic 4: Shaping Places. A study of either regenerating places OR diverse places.</p>

**CONTENT COVERED IN YEAR 13**

Examined in Paper 1	Examined in Paper 2
<p><u>AOS 3: Physical Systems and Sustainability</u></p> <p>Topic 5: The Water Cycle and Water Insecurity            Topic 6: The Carbon Cycle and Energy Security            Topic 7: Climate Change Futures</p>	<p><u>AOS 4: Human Systems and Geopolitics</u></p> <p>Topic 8: Superpowers            Topic 9B Migration, Identity and Sovereignty.</p>

**TYPE OF ASSESSMENT IN YEAR 13**

Paper 1 Exam: 1 hour and 30 minutes	30%
Paper 2 Exam: 1 hour and 30 minutes	30%
Paper 3 Exam: 1 hour and 45 minutes	20%
Coursework (NEA)	20%