

Course information for Parents			
A Level		Subject: Geography	
Faculty Area	Character	Director of Faculty contact information	Mr G Attard - gattard@thehazeleyacademy.com
Examination Board	Edexcel	Specification Code	9GEO (2016)
Subject Content: Dynamic Landscapes, a wide range of topics including tectonics and coasts. Dynamic Places, a wide range of topics including globalisation. Physical systems such as the water cycle. Human systems such as the geography of superpowers.			
Assessment Details:			
To be successful students will need to be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • show excellent knowledge of locations, places, processes and environments • show in-depth understanding of core ideas • recognise and analyse the complexity of people-environment interactions Students will be assessed in the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper 1: Physical (30%) • Paper 2: Human (30%) • Paper 3: Synoptic (20%) • Non-Examined Assessment: Independent Investigation (20%) 			
What can I do to support my child at home?			
Encourage wider reading around the topic especially current news/affairs and additional research if travelling. Discuss your views on the topics.			
Recommended resources for the course:			
Websites: www.rgs.org http://www.facebook.com/geographyalltheway http://community.edexcel.com/geography/f/31.aspx http://www.geographyinthenews.rgs.org/ http://www.edexcel.com/quals/gce/			
Books: 9781471856549 Edexcel A level Book 1 9781471856532 Edexcel A Level Book 2 9781471863158 Edexcel A Level Student 1 9781471864094 Edexcel A Level Student 2 9781471864087 Edexcel A Level Student 3 9781471864070 Edexcel A Level Student 4 9781471863554 Edexcel A Level Maths Skills			
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Additional Information: Please be aware that this is a 2 year A Level programme, there is no AS option. In accordance to the A2 specification, students MUST complete a minimum of 4 days fieldwork in relation to both physical and human geography. The students can use the data collected during the fieldwork to complete their Non-Examined Assessment or use the skills to collect additional data.			