

# Why choose A-level Geography



Ever wondered why the world's water and energy resources are becoming increasingly insecure?

Or why there is only one global superpower?

Or why some countries are considered hazard hotspots?

A-level Geography will give you an understanding of the major issues of the day affecting both the physical world and human environments.

You will learn a variety of skills including analytical thinking, improved communication, problem solving and many more that will prepare you for an exciting future with the possibility of a range of fantastic careers.

## What topics will you study?

- Tectonic processes and hazards
- Coastal landscapes and management
- The carbon cycle and energy insecurity
- The water cycle and water insecurity
- Globalisation
- Superpowers
- Migration, identity and sovereignty
- Synoptic themes linking together players, attitudes and actions and future uncertainties
- Research methods and mathematical statistical presentation methods to analyse data

## Entry requirements

5 GCSE's at Grade 5 or better, including 2 sciences, English language and mathematics.

**Chilwell School Sixth Form**

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## Possible career options

Studying geography at university can give you a whole host of exciting career options, including:

- Marketing
- Business Development
- Accountancy
- Human resources
- Logistics
- Data handler
- Environment agency
- Geological society
- Engineering
- Teaching
- Tourism
- Town Planning
- Researcher

## Assessment

There are 4 assessed pieces of work. Three exams which are 2.15 hours each and consist of multiple choice, short answer and extended writing questions. The 4th is the Non Examined Assessment: a piece of independent investigation into a topic of your choice, often based on the 4 field trips we take.

