Geography Curriculum Map 2026-2027							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Golden Threads
Year 11	UK's evolving human landscape Fieldwork opportunity for Paper 2 River	Hazardous Earth Tectonic plates and tropical cyclones.	Challenges of an Urbanising world Living in a megacity Challenges and solutions to living in a city.	Development Dynamics Which part of the world is sparely populated and which parts are densely. What are the problems with over population and under population?	Revision		Interpreting sources and maps Applying and analysing the pillars of sustainability Assess human and natural causes to features, process and impacts Evaluate solutions to geographical problems and looking at how conflict can be alleviated
Year 10 (Geographical investigation skills are taught throughout the topics)	Forests under threat Why are people using the rainforest in unsustainable ways? What management solutions are needed to save the forest?	Consuming Energy resources Why does then world need more energy. What are the sustainable solutions to energy use?	Making a geographical decision This module must include two pieces of Fieldwork that include making a Geographical decision	Coastal changes and River processes To Understand why management of the rivers and coats of the UK is so important and how it can cause conflict	Coastal changes and River processes To Understand why management of the rivers and coats of the UK is so important and how it can cause conflict	UK's evolving human landscape A look at how Britain's Cities and Rural areas differ. Why there are challenges in both and how they can be managed.	Interpreting sources and maps Applying and analysing the pillars of sustainability Assess human and natural causes to features, process and impacts Evaluate solutions to geographical problems and looking at how

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Year 9 (Geographical investigation skills are taught throughout the topics)	Climate Change Looking at natural and human causes of climate change. Focusing in on the damage humans are doing to the planet.	Rivers What are the processes of erosion and transportation and how rivers need to be managed in the future.	Tourism Tourism is one of the world's biggest growing industries. Why are more people going on holiday and what types of holidays are people going on?	The UK A look at the cultural, physical and human features that make up the UK. Settlement An investigation into how settlements develop overtime and the problems that face mega cities.	A local study This module will focus on looking at the local area in which students live, comparing it using data to other areas of Guildford and look at how it links with global concepts such as climate change	The biosphere – start of year 10 course A focus on the world, in particular the world's climate and growing conditions	Compare and contrast data and graphs Explaining the pillars of sustainability in their answers Link the human and natural causes to features, process and impacts Comparing solutions to geographical problems and looking at how conflict can be alleviated
Year 8 (Geographical investigation skills are taught throughout the topics)	Brazil and the tropical rainforest. The climate of the rainforest, forest adaptations, way in which the rainforest is being used	Hazards Tectonic hazards Why do hazards occur and why do people still live in hazardous areas.	Hazards Tropical storms and climate change How does climate change impact the effect of tropical storms.	Globalisation and Fast Fashion How global are we? Where do our clothes come from? Looking into the fast fashion industry through globalisation and the impact on the climate.	Antarctica Looking at climate, adaptations, ecosystems and more importantly how to survive the Antarctic	India A look at the physical landforms of India and how human geography combines with physical geography to	Explaining graphs, success and data Recognise the pillars of sustainability Explain how causes and processes lead to

						shape India and its culture	features and impacts Explain solutions to geographical problems and look at how this causes conflict
Year 7 (Geographical investigation skills are taught throughout the topics)	What is Geography? An investigation into what geography is and how our lives are affected by it. Fieldwork opportunity	China An in depth look at population policies and the problems of under and over population	Middle East How and why is life different for people living in Middle Eastern Countries? A study of the physical, environmental and cultural geography associated with the Middle East	Deserts Looking at climate, ecosystems and more importantly how to survive desert conditions.	Coasts A look at the processes affecting our coastlines and how we can manage these sustainably.	Africa Exploring the physical geography of Africa and the challenges facing people living on the continent	Basic Map Skills, Describe graphs and sources State and describe the key words social, people, environmental Recognise fundamental, causes, impacts processes and features Suggest solutions to geographical problems