



# Carleton Community High School

*A Specialist Science with Mathematics School*



## GCSE Geography

### The course

The Geography course consists of 3 exams and 1 piece of controlled assessment. All exams are taken at the end of year 11 and the titles are:

1. ***Geographical skills and challenges for the planet*** - 25%
2. ***The Natural World*** - 25%
3. ***The Human World*** - 25%

### Controlled assessment

This is worth 25% of the final mark. Coursework was completed in year 10. Some students may be called back to make final corrections before this is sent to the examiner. These students will be required to come back after school. This will only affect a small group in year 11,

### Classwork

We have recently completed a topic on 'Coasts' and have started the final topic called 'Wasteful World'. We have mock exams coming up at the end of November and we will use some time now to prepare for these. **Revision classes happen every Thursday lunch for half an hour. Registers for these are taken and it is essential you encourage your son/daughter to attend these. These will happen up until the exam in summer.** Following revision for the mock exam, we will study the final unit on Geographical Skills. The textbooks we use in class and for revision are:

- Edexcel GCSE Geography A 'Revision Guide'
- Edexcel GCSE 'Geography Specification A'

### Homework

Past paper homeworks will be set in geography. These will help with revision. It is also essential that revision guides are bought from Amazon or WHSmith. The titles below are the revision guides you will need.

- Edexcel GCSE Geography A 'Revision workbook'
- Edexcel GCSE Geography A 'Revision guide'

If you need any more help or information please do not hesitate in contacting your child's teacher.