

## Geography transition work – Preparing for A-level Geography 2019.

### Edexcel A level Geography 2016 syllabus

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### Physical Geography – Topic 1: Tectonic Processes and Hazards.

Produce an A4 fact sheet on a tectonic hazard of your choice (volcano, earthquake, tsunami) that has taken place during the last 12 months anywhere in the world. The fact file needs to be 1 side of A4 and cover the **causes, impacts and management** of your chosen hazard. Additional information such as photos and maps could also be included.

This should be handed to either Mr Natrass or Mr Williams on your first lesson with them.

### Human Geography – Topic 4A: Regenerating Places.

Investigate the local area where you live. This may be Chippenham, Calne, Corsham or Melksham or a local village. You will come back with no more than two sides of A4 describing this location to give a **sense of place**.

This must relate to your sense of place within the environment you live. You will need to research the location online as well as get out and about and take photos to illustrate the points you make.

Consider the following questions to guide you although we are not expecting you to answer them all:

- Where is this place and which other places are near it?
- Is it a village, town, suburb or part of a city?
- What types of buildings can we find and what are they used for?
- What different types of land-use can we find?
- Are there any green spaces and what are they used for?
- Who lives here and what do they do?
- How do people use this landscape in different ways?
- Are there any local 'landmarks'?
- What types of transport links can we find?
- What evidence is there of connections to other places?
- What was this place like in the past?
- How and why is it changing?

This will form part of the first set of lessons back so you will need to bring it with you to your first lesson with Miss Lowther or Ms Skeplorn.