# HOW TO REVISE GEOGRAPHY AT YHT

Revision is vital in GCSE Geography but is not always straightforward. There are different units, mixed styles of questions and varying mark allocations. If in doubt please ask your teacher.

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## GET ORGANISED

Make sure you know what topics you are being tested on in which paper.

Themes 1-3 on paper 1 Themes 1, 2 and 4 on paper 2 Organise your thoughts and revision materials.



## REVISION CARDS

Condense your notes and information onto revision cards.

Use different coloured cards to reprsent each topic or a different case study.

## CHECK UNDERSTANDING

Find newspaper articles and pictures to give you some background and also help you to visualise the places you've studied. Use the BBC Bitesize website to complement your revision.

### MIND MAPS

Organise your topic notes into mind maps. Use colour and little pictures to make the information memorable. Put them onto A3 and stick them on your fridge!

## YOUTUBE CATALOGUES

Watch videos using the YouTube catalogues from your class teacher. Revision doesn't always have to be all about piles of books!



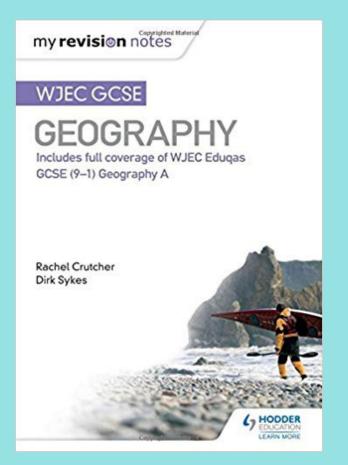
#### **KEY DATES**

PAPER 1: 21st May (pm) PAPER 2: 5th June (pm) **BOTH 1HR 30 MINS** 

#### **UNITS**

PAPER 1 - LANDSCAPES & PHYSICAL PROCESSES **RURAL-URBAN LINKS TECTONIC LANDSCAPES AND HAZARDS** 

PAPER 2 - WEATHER, CLIMATE & ECOSYSTEMS **DEVELOPMENT & RESOURCE ISSUES ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES** 



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Revision guides can be purchased from many online bookshops. Be mindful that not all the questions will be driven by recall and knowledge.

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### PAST PAPERS

Make sure you're exam ready by practising to apply your knowledge to past questions. Your class teacher can provide you with links or hard copies.

## EXAM COMMAND WORDS

Understand the command words used in the exams. Remember the ways we combat distribution questions with LMO or graph questions with PDF.

#### SKILLS 8

A large percentage of marks will be allocated via skills. Grid references, lines of longitude and latitude etc.

Pay attention to the allocation of marks when revising and questions with literacy marks attached.