Knowledge Organiser

Year 10

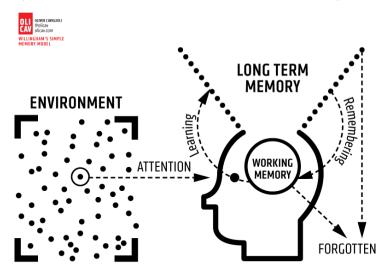
Cycle 3 - CORE

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Using your Knowledge Organiser for homework

- Your Knowledge Organiser contains the essential knowledge that every student must know.
- Regular use of the Knowledge Organiser helps you to recap, revise and revisit what you have learnt in lessons.
- The aim is to help remember this knowledge in the long term and to help strengthen your memory
- You will use the Knowledge Organiser to help learn during homework.
- You will be assessed on the knowledge from your Knowledge Organiser; the more you revisit information the more likely it will be remembered for lessons, assessments and exams.
- For each homework you will be asked to look at a particular section of your Knowledge Organiser.
- Make sure you follow the homework timetable below so that you do the right homework for the right subjects each day.
- Each day (Monday to Friday) you will study 2 subjects for 30 minutes each.
- All Knowledge Organiser homework is completed in your blue Knowledge Workbooks
- All Maths and English homework is completed on SPARX and must be 100% completed each week.



Homework Timetable Year 10

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Subject 1	Science	Geog/History	Maths	Option Block F	Maths	
Subject 2	English	Option Block E	English	Science	Option Block G	

How to use your Knowledge Organiser

In your blue knowledge book you will always write the date, subject heading and ensure that they are underlined with a ruler.

Task 1: Questions

Where a subject includes questions to answer, you must answer these in your blue book. This is the main task to do as a minimum. If you have additional time, or where there are no questions, then do the following Tasks 2-4

Task 2: The Cover – Write – Check method

- 1. Study the relevant section of your Knowledge Organiser for several minutes.
- 2. Cover the Knowledge Organiser.
- 3. In your blue book, write out what you can remember.
- 4. Check the Knowledge Organiser to see if you got it right.
- 5. Correct any mistakes in purple pen.
- 6. Repeat the process even if you got it 100% correct.
- 7. Complete sections that you have previously studied using the same process.

Task 3: Free recall

- 1. Pick a section of the Knowledge Organiser you have studied recently.
- 2. Without looking at the Knowledge Organiser write down everything you can remember about the topic.
- 3. Check the Knowledge Organiser to see how much you got right.
- 4. Correct any mistakes and add any missing parts in purple pen.

Task 4: Elaboration

- 1. Once you have completed the Cover Write Check method, add any additional details you can to your notes.
- 2. Remember your Knowledge Organiser only contains the core knowledge, there is much to learn beyond it so practise adding more detail when you can.

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Start with Week 1. Each week, complete the colour block. Write each word out 3 times and each definition once. Check it all with a purple pen. Tick what is correct, fix what is wrong. Then complete the weekly SPaG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) task.

Coon	Coombeshead Academy Inspiring Excellence English Learning Area						
wk	keyword	definition	example				
	Context	The wider circumstances in which something exists.	Taking a comment out of context can impact its true meaning.		Week 1 SPaG task For each of the following sentences, identify the main clause and the		
	Viewpoint	A person's opinion or point of view.	From her viewpoint, the movie was enjoyable.		subordinate clause.		
	Perspective	The background factors which impact a person's viewpoint.	From a teacher's perspective, homework is beneficial.		 Outside the window, rain began to fall. He shared his sweets with his friend as it was their birthday. She went to bed after brushing her teeth. 		
Week 1	Reasoning	Thinking about something in a logical, sensible way.	What is the reasoning behind your behaviour?	Veek 1	4. Before going nome, Ben went to the park. 5. After we went to the cinema, we went out for dinner.		
٥	Non-fiction	Informative writing based on true events.	My favourite type of non-fiction text is sports articles.		Subordinating Conjunctions Subordinate clauses begin with subordinating conjunctions. Use this to help you!		
	Summary	The main points of something.	Give me a summary of your school day.		Week 2 SPaG task		
k2	Inference	Using evidence to 'figure out' what is being said.	He inferred she'd had a good day from the smile on her face.	eek2	Apostrophes are used to show omission (when words are contracted and letters removed e.g. do not becomes don't) or possession (to show when		
Week2	Statement	A definite or clear expression of something in speech or writing	What statement is your writing making?	Wee	the correct places in the sentences below.		
	Compare	To note the similarity or dissimilarity between things.	He compared his homework to his friend's, which was far better.		 My dogs new toy is broken already! I cant wait to go to the park later. 		

	When something is			3.	Its over there.
Implicit	suggested, not directly expressed.	The implicit negativity between the friends made him uncomfortable.			Dans haircut looks really cool. Im excited to go to my friends house.

		Examine how a writer uses	After analysing the text, I		Week 3 SPaG Task
	Analyse	language and structure to	learnt how the narrator		
		create a particular effect.	feels.		A comma splice is when two sentences are incorrectly joined by a
		How the reader thinks/feels	The officer of the similaries		comma. The below passage contains 3 comma splices. Identify them
	Effect	as a result of the writer's use	The effect of the simile is a		and correct the commas into the required punctuation marks.
χ		of language or structure.	sense of comfort.	ek 3	
Week		The things a writer purposely	The writer uses methods	Wee	At the weekend I went out with my family, we went to the zoo. We
	Methods	uses to achieve a particular	such as metaphors in their		saw monkeys, crocodiles and lots of insects,
		effect.	story.		they were all so interesting to see and learn
		Something stated clearly,			about. However my favourite animal was the
	Explicit	leaving no room for confusion	She made her feelings		elephant, he was so majestic and intelligent.
		or doubt.	explicit by shouting.		
	Oninian	A judgement made about	What is your opinion on the		"He's in a comma."
	Opinion	something.	latest Netflix series?		

	Critically	To analyse the merits and faults of a piece of work. To assess something, such as	She thought critically about his offer. After evaluating the		Week 4 SPaG Task Correct the spelling errors in the
	Evaluate	its effectiveness.	evidence, he deemed it unnecessary.		following words.
	Examine	Inspect something thoroughly.	Examination allowed them to figure out what was wrong with the animal.		1. proberly 2. allways
Week 4	Explore	Discuss in detail.	He explored the writer's use of repetition in the text.	Week 4	3. beutiful 4. intresting
M	Describe	Give a detailed account of.	The writer describes his characters in full detail.	We	 5. definately 6. permenently 7. diffrent 8. wierd 9. suprise 10. seperate

Г	Perceptive	Showing insight.	He was very perceptive to his friend's moods.		Week 5 SPaG Task Identify the word classes of the highlighted words in the sentences				
	Cohesion	Forming a united whole.	The conclusion of the story added to the cohesion of it.		below.				
Week 5	Coherent	Logical and consistent.	Her argument on why the legal driving age should be made higher was very coherent.	Week 5	 He quickly ran to the bus stop; he didn't want to miss the bus. The wind rattled the old shutters. The classroom was missing some tables and chairs. 				
3	Structure	The arrangement of ideas within a text.	The structure of the text emphasises the tension within it.	Š	 I played football yesterday. I don't like eating sweets; they are too sugary. 				
	Influence	To be able to have an effect on something.	His writing to the local council helped influence their decision.		A word that describes what a person, place thing does, such as: run, hit, rain, be, seem, become, grow Hoans A djectives A word that describes a noun, such as: verb adjective or red, bad, giant, hairy, shy become, grow Adverbs A word that diverbs a word that describes a noun, such as: verb adjective or red, bad, giant, another adverb, such as: lazily, easily, abroad very				
	Tone	The mood of the text.	The language choices made by the writer created a serious tone.		Week 6 SPaG Task Add in the correct homophone into these sentences – there, their or they're.				
9	Semantic field	A group of words related by their meanings.	The words "blood", "battle" and "bullets" form a semantic field of war.		 was no one else at the bus stop this morning. new shoes are really cool. 				
Week	List	Connected items written consecutively.	The writer used a list to give the impression that they had a long day.	Week 6	 going to visit their grandparent's this weekend. was no one at house when I knocked earlier. 				
	Alliteration	Words beginning with the same letter or letter sound close together in a text.	Alliteration of the 'b' sound creates a powerful, aggressive sound.		5 going to regret not coming out with us; we had so much fun.				
	Repetition	Purposely repeating a word or phrase for effect.	Repetition of the word 'unfair' made her point clear.						

	Extended metaphor	A metaphor that is introduced then further developed throughout the text.	The extended metaphor of the sea being compared to an angry dog was effective.		Week 7 SPaG Task Add a subordinate clause to the beginning, middle or end of these main clauses to create complex sentences.
	Juxtaposition	Placing two opposing items/images together in a text to highlight the contrast between them.	His actions were in juxtaposition to his thoughts.		 The rain fell He walked home
Week 7	Statistics	Numerical data used to prove ideas or points.	Statistics have shown that use of social media can cause mood swings in young children.	Week 7	3. The night darkened4. She won the race5. We waited for the bus
	Facts	Something that can be proven to be true.	His knowledge of political facts helped him to convince his audience.		3. We waited for the bus
	Anecdote	A short interesting story about a real person or incident.	She shared a relatable anecdote about growing up with siblings.		
	Analogy	A comparison between one thing and another, for the purpose of explanation.	A popular analogy is 'like finding a needle in a haystack' to describe something difficult.		Week 8 SPaG Task Accurately punctuate the
feek 8	Hyperbole	Exaggerates statements not meant to be taken literally.	Her use of hyperbole added a comedic tone but was very convincing.	eek 8	following text. A few miles south of Soledad the Salinas River drops in close to the hillside bank and runs deep and green The
3	Hypothetical	An idea presented as a possibility, not real life.	His hypothetical scenario made the audience wish it were reality.	3	water is warm too for it has slipped twinkling over the yellow sands in the sunlight before reaching the narrow pool On one side of the river the golden foothill slopes curve up to the strong and rocky Gabilan mountains but on the valley side the water is lined with trees
	Oxymoron	Using contradictory terms in conjunction.	A popular oxymoron is the word 'bittersweet'.		willows fresh and green with every spring carrying in their lower lea junctures the debris of the winter's flooding and sycamores with mottled white recumbent limbs and branches that arch over the pool

	Quotes from an expert	Using expert statements to prove a point.	To quote an expert, Dr Johnson at the University of Exeter said, "this is the clearest data to prove climate change is real".				
	Register	The level of formality required, depending on context.	Ensure your register matches the type of text you are writing.		Week 9 SPaG Task Identify the adverbial phrases in the following sentences.		
o o	Formal	Using more sophisticated, grammatically correct language.	You must use formal language in any non-fiction writing.	ത	 I ate my breakfast in the morning. I played netball with my friends. When we played football, we lost the ball behind the shed. Everywhere we looked there were signs of Spring. 		
Week 9	Informal	Using more casual, everyday language.	Informal language is widely used when conversing with friends.	Week 9	5. We stayed at home due to the rain.		
	Article	A piece of formal writing included in a newspaper or magazine.	The newspaper article detailed the events of a crime that occurred last night.		When? To what? Where Where Whom?		
	Speech	A formal address delivered to an audience.	Her speech detailed her opinions on a new school uniform.		ADVERE		
	Letter	A formal written communication.	He wrote a letter to the local MP to express his views on local issues.		Week 10 SPaG Task		
	Essay	A formal piece of writing in which the author gives and evidences their argument on a topic.	Her essay about Macbeth's ambition was excellently written.		Semi-colons can be used in place of a full stop to join two main clauses that are closely linked. Put a semi-colon in the correct place in the following:		
Week 10	Leaflet	A printed sheet of paper containing information.	The guides were handing out leaflets at the door of the museum.	Week 10	1. Dad is looking old his hair is getting thinner. 2. I was late for school today there		
3	Blog	A regularly updated webpage, usually run by an individual about their own experiences or ideas.	Her latest blog post detailed her thoughts on the recent general election.	\$	was traffic. 3. I can't wait for break I am so hungry. 4. I need to go shopping I have run out of food. 5. Someone needs to help me I am		
	Literary non- fiction	Non-fiction writing which gives a story-telling elements to real events.	'Touching the Void' is an example of literary non-fiction.		carrying too much.		

Inspiring Excellence- Developing Revision Skill

Find some examples of 19th, 20th, and 21st century **non-fiction** texts online.

Try to find texts that are **linked by a theme**. Popular ones include: parenting, travel, education, prisons/law, animals, relationships, etc...

Practise your **SPaG!** by doing the following:

- Practise your **spellings**.
- Think of **synonyms** for words you use a lot.
- List all types of punctuation and know when to use them (EG: semi-colon; brackets; speech marks; colon; dash; etc...)
- Vary your sentence types (simple, compound, complex, and minor!)
- Use **connectives** to link paragraphs.
- Use TiP ToP to paragraph correctly!

Research:

AQA GCSE English Language Paper 2 past papers and mark schemes.





Lesson 1 – Introduction to issue evaluation	Week 1 – Tuesday 25 th March 2025 Lesson 2 – Choropleth maps and bar charts	Exam Pro	actico		
Key Terms:	Key Terms:	Study the table showing data	actice		
nterquartile range (IQR): A measure of how spread out the Choropleth map: Uses different colours or different densities		collected during a river study.	River enquiry. April 2015		
data is from the mid-point.	of the same colour to show the distribution of data	collected during a river study.	Stre	eam flow	
data is from the mid-point.	categories over a country/region/area.	1. Use the stream flow data to	Date of	Flow	
Longitude: Vertical lines that measure east or west of the	categories over a country/region/area.	calculate the following (2	4	(cumecs, approx.)	
meridian in Greenwich, England.	Bar chart: Numerical values of variables are represented by	marks):	5	4	
mendian in Greenwich, England.	the height or length of lines or rectangles of equal width.	iliaiks).	6	5	
Latitude: Horizontal lines that measure distance north or	the height of length of lines of rectangles of equal width.	Mean:	7 8	3	
south of the equator.		iviean.	9	7 9	
South of the equator.			10	6	
Combont	Combont	Median:	11	5	
Content:	Content:	ivicalali.	12	4	
Paper 3 is divided into 2 parts:	Advantages of choropleth maps:		14	3	
Part 1 – Issue evaluation	Different shades make it easy to interpret.	Mode:	15	5	
• Part 2 – Fieldwork	Data presented by country/region/area which makes it	Wode.	16	6	
Paper 3 tests the use of a variety of skills and techniques to	easy to see patterns.		Cumecs = cubic	metres per second	
investigate issues and communicate findings. 30% of grade.	Good indication of how changes can happen over space.	Study the figure, a diagram show	ing how a sti	udent nresente	
		noise pollution survey.	ing now a st	adent presente	
Geographical skill – Measures of central tendency	Disadvantages of choropleth maps:	noise ponution survey.			
Mean: Calculated by adding up all the values in a data set and	• There may be variations within the country/region/area.	5			
dividing by the number of values.	Suggests there are sudden changes at the boundaries	4			
Median: This is the central point value in a ranked set of	which is usually not the case.				
data. Mode: This is the most common value in a data set.		Noise 3			
	Advantages of bar charts:	level 2			
Range: The difference between the highest and lowest values	Summarise large data set in visual form.	1			
Geographical Skill - Quartiles and inter-quartile ranges (IQR)	See trends better than in tables.				
1. Rank the data and calculate the overall median.	Easily understood and widely used.	0 Area 1 Area 2 A	rea 3 Area 4	Area 5	
2. Calculate the median for the set of numbers below (LQ) and above (UQ) the overall median.	Disadvantages of bar charts:	2. Suggest a more appropriate w	av of present	ting the noise	
3. Calculate the Interquartile Range (IQR) by calculating the	Require additional explanation.	pollution data. Give one reason f		_	
difference between the UQ and LQ.	Fail to show causes, effects, or patterns.		,		
Questions:	5. What is a choropleth map?	1			
1. What does paper 3 include?	6. State 2 advantages and disadvantages of choropleth maps				
2. What are the 4 measures of central tendency?	7. What is a bar chart?				
3. What does inter quartile range mean?	8. State 2 advantages and disadvantages of bar charts				
4. How do you calculate quartile and inter-quartile ranges?	of state 2 autumages and disautumages of sur charts				





Week 2 – Tuesday 1 st April 2025						
Lesson 3 – Line graphs and pie charts	Lesson 4 – Sustainable and command words	Lesson 5 – Geographical investigation				
Key Terms: Line graph: Shows how one variable changes over time. Pie chart: A circle divided into a segment; it shows the proportions of a total.	Key Terms: Command words: Words and phrases used to tell how a question should be answered. Decision making: The selection of a course of action from two or more possible choices to solve a given problem. Sustainable: Meeting current needs without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their needs.	Key Terms: Geographical investigation: The use of enquiry skills where you generate questions about a topic, formulate a hypothesis about it, and then conduct a field study to collect data to test or prove your hypothesis. Hypothesis: A testable statement about the relationship between two or more variables.				
Content: Advantages of line graphs: Show changes over time clearly. Can be easily understood and require little explanation. Disadvantages of line graphs: The scale needs to be carefully considered to show trends accurately. Works better with smaller sets of data. Advantages of pie charts: Good way of showing how the total is divided up. Visually effective – easy to see contribution of a segment to the whole. Disadvantages of pie charts: Hard to assess the percentage accurately. Comparing one pie chart to another is difficult.	tent: antages of line graphs: now changes over time clearly. now a large amount of a data on one graph. an be easily understood and require little explanation. advantages of line graphs: ne scale needs to be carefully considered to show trends curately. Across better with smaller sets of data. antages of pie charts: and way of showing how the total is divided up. is ually effective — easy to see contribution of a segment to be whole. advantages of pie charts: and to assess the percentage accurately. Content: What do some command words mean? Suggest: Put forward an idea or solution. Suggest: Put forward an idea or solution.					
Questions: 1. What are line graphs? 2. State 2 advantages and disadvantages of line graphs 3. What are pie charts? 4. State 2 advantages and disadvantages of pie charts	5. What are command words? 6. Give 3 command words and what they mean 7. What does sustainable mean? 8. What three features does sustainable include?	9. What is a geographical investigation? 10. List the 6 stages of a geographical investigation 11. What is a hypothesis? 12. Give 2 examples of a hypothesis				





Lesson 6 – Sampling and types of data	Lesson 7 – Quantitative and qualitive data	Exam Practice			
Key Terms: Sampling: Taking a predetermined number of observations from a larger population. Data: Facts and statistics collected for reference or analysis.	Key Terms: Quantitative data: Numerical or fact-based e.g., measuring the diameter of a rock. Qualitative data: Non-numerical and opinion-based e.g., asking people for their opinion on a questionnaire.	Study the figure, part of a student's planning sheet in a fieldwork enquiry. A – G Data collection points River B C D D Direction of flow			
Content: Types of Sampling: • Random: Collecting data at random e.g., picking up stones from any part of a riverbed.	Content: Examples of quantitative data: • Sediment size. • Beach width.	Select the sampling method shown in the figure (1 mark) A. Opportunity sampling, selecting points which are easiest t access. B. Random sampling, based on chance.			
• Systematic: Collecting data at specific intervals e.g., measuring the depth of the river at 30m intervals.	 Pedestrian count. Environmental quality survey (EQS). Examples of qualitative data:	C. Stratified sampling, where more points are chosen from one area.D. Systematic sampling where points are chosen in regular intervals.			
 Stratified: Collecting data from different subsets of a parent population to obtain a fair representation of each group. The subsets have a known size e.g., collecting information from different age groups during a survey. 	 Questionnaires. Focus groups. Interviews.	2. Suggest why the type of sampling shown is not always possible in a fieldwork enquiry (2 marks)			
Types of data:	What do you need to remember when collecting data?The need for accuracy.	Study the table, data collected by means of a questionnaire about the employment structure of a town.			
• Primary data: Data you collect yourself (or in groups) in the field.	The need for equipment. The need for teamwork.	Primary (%) 5			
 Secondary data: Collected from another person or organisation. 	The need for sampling.	Secondary (%) 25 Tertiary (%) 70			
Questions: 1. What is sampling?	5. What is quantitative data? 6. Give 4 examples of quantitative data	3. Suggest two methods that could be used to present the employment structure data (2 marks)			
2. Outline the 3 different types of sampling3. What is data?4. What is primary and secondary data?	7. What is qualitative data? 8. Give 3 examples of qualitative data				





Lesson 8 – Environmental quality survey	Lesson 9 – Field sketches	Lesson 10 – Questionnaires	
Key Terms:	Key Terms:	Key Terms:	
Environmental quality survey (EQS): Uses an observer's	Field sketch: A simplistic free-hand drawing of a particular	Questionnaire: Consists of a set of questions or other type	
judgement to assess an area's particular characteristics.	location.	of prompts that aims to collect information from a	
		respondent.	
Subjective: Based on or influenced by personal feelings,	Annotate: Detailed labels with an explanation of what is		
tastes, or opinions.	shown.	Closed question: Restrict answers by giving options.	
Objective: Factual information based on observations and measurements.		Open question: Allow people to write their response.	
Content:	Content:	Content:	
Often, they work on a sliding scale of quality (like 1 to 5) to	Sketches can be drawn by anyone. They are a useful form of	Why are questionnaires used?	
represent less good to good. Alternatively, you can use a Bi-	qualitative data. They help geographers remember the places	Questionnaires are often used to obtain information from	
polar scale (like -5 to +5) to indicate a negative assessment	they have visited.	group of people. We use them in Geography because	
through to a positive assessment, with 0 representing neither		questions can be targeted to get the information you need	
good or bad.	Drawing a field sketch:	i.e. linked to your hypothesis.	
	1. Identify the landscape to be sketched.		
As it is based on personal judgements the data collected	2. Draw the outline of the main features.	What makes a good questionnaire?	
using environmental quality surveys is subjective.	3. Add detail to your sketch to record more information.	Order: Start with basic details and move on to more difficu	
	4. Annotate with information about the landscape and	questions.	
Characteristics measure include:	conditions.		
Buildings.	Field sketch – Site 2 (U-Shaped Valley) Valley	Clear questions: Simple language, appropriate to the age	
• Traffic.	In the middle-lower course of a river, the valley sides become more gentle sloping and the river spreads outwards Road Infrastructure located high above	the people answering the questions.	
 Open spaces and garden. 	Magndar the flood plain to ensure transport can	Relevant to what you are investigating.	
General quality.	A natural bend in a rivers middle - lower rouse causing lateral times of flood		
-2 -1 0 +1 +2	(horizontal) erosion	Not Personal: Avoid questions that need very personal or	
Lots of traffic pollution No traffic pollution	The flat land located either side of a river channel. Water spills	embarrassing answers.	
Lots of litter ✓ No litter	out here when it cannot be carried in		

Questions:

1. What is an environmental quality survey?

No landscaping

2. How do environmental quality surveys work?

Unattractive buildings

- 3. What characteristics can be measured?
- 4. What is the difference between subjective and objective?

Attractive buildings

Good landscaping

- 5. What is a field sketch?
- 6. What does annotate mean?
- 8. State the 4 stages to drawing a field sketch

9. What is a questionnaire?

answer.

- 10. What is a closed question?
- 11. What is an open question?
- 12. What 4 things makes a good questionnaire?

Avoid bias: Avoid questions that push people towards an

7. What type of data is a field sketch?



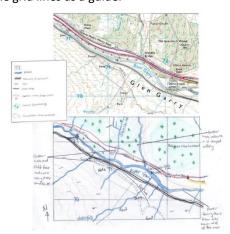


	Week 5 – Tuesday 6 th May 2025	·
Lesson 11 – OS maps and sketch maps	Lesson 12 – Divided (compound) bar graphs and histograms	Exam Practice
Key Terms:	Key Terms:	1. Suggest one reason why each of the following questions
Sketch Map: Simplified version of a particular part of an OS	Divided (compound) bar graph: The bar represents the	might be useful for an enquiry about visitors to Windermere
map.	whole data set and is divided into several segments to	(2 marks)
	represent the proportional size of each category.	
Annotate: Detailed labels with an explanation of what is		Where have you come from?
shown.	Histogram: Bars used to show continuous data that is	
	measured on an interval scale.	
		Why are you visiting Windermere?
Content:	Content: A divided bar chart to show the results of a traffic survey	
Drawing sketch maps:	Divided (compound)	
1. Select an area of OS map (usually 4 squares) you wish to	bar graph: Used to	As part of a geographical enquiry, students carried out an
draw from.	show comparisons	environmental quality survey in one part of a town centre.
2. On a piece of paper, draw the 4 squares.	between two or more	The results are shown in the table.

3. Pick out the relevant features from the map and add them to yours, using the grid lines as a guide.

4. Annotate with appropriate explanations.

Annotated field map: You look around you and produce a map of your surroundings, picking out things that are relevant to your

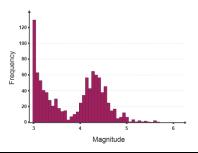


between two or more sets of data for each category.

Advantage: Can compare multiple sets of data.

Disadvantage: Hard to show large/small data on same graph and can be too "busy" so harder to read.

Historgram: Similar to bar charts, but they show how frequencies rather than groups of data. They are no gaps between the bars as the data is continuous.



	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	
Lots of traffic pollution				✓		No traffic pollution
Lots of litter	✓					No litter
Unattractive buildings					✓	Attractive buildings
Lots of vandalism		✓				No vandalism
No landscaping					✓	Good landscaping

2. Suggest **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of using the technique shown to measure environmental quality (2 marks)

Questions:

investigation.

- 1. What is a sketch map?
- 2. What does annotate mean?
- 3. State the 4 stages of drawing a sketch map
- 4. How do you create an annotated field map?

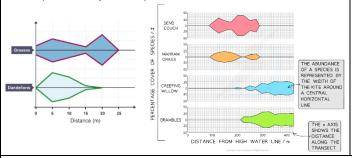
- 5. What is a divided (compound) bar graph?
- 6. State an advantage and disadvantage of divided (compound) bar graphs
- 7. What is a histogram?
- 8. What is the difference between a histogram and a bar chart?





Week 6 – Tuesday 13 th May 2025					
Lesson 13 – Kite diagrams	Lesson 14 – Scatter, radar and triangular graphs	Lesson 15 – Pictograms			
Key Terms:	Key Terms:	Key Terms:			
Transect: A line across a habitat or part of a habitat.	Scatter graph: Show relationships between two sets of data.	Pictogram: Uses small pictures or icons to represent data.			
Kite diagram: A graph that shows the number of animals (or percentage cover for plants) against distance along a transect.	Radar graph: Uses a radial (circular) display with several different quantitative axes.				
	Triangular graph: An equilateral triangle with three 'axes'.				
Content:	Content:	Content:			
The number of organisms of each species can be observed	Scatter graph: This needs one independent variable (on x-	A pictogram uses symbols to stand in for data. You can use a			
and recorded at regular intervals along the transect.	axis) and one dependent variable (on y-axis). Do not join up each point but use a line of best fit instead.	pictogram whenever you want to make simple data more visually interesting, more memorable, or more engaging.			
Drawing a kite diagram:	Advantages: Best fit line gives visual guide to strength of				
1. Make a scale line for the distance covered.	relationship and clearly shows anomalies.	Advantages: Pictures clearly show what is being counted and			
2. One row for each toe of plant/vegetation cover.	Disadvantages: Need paired data, need enough points to	numbers easily seen by key.			
3. Each row needs a width to allow 100 per cent.	show a relationship and best fit line not always clear.				
4. Draw a line through the middle of the row.		Disadvantages: Accuracy of data can be a problem and many			

- 5. At each survey point, the value is plotted on both sides of the line down the middle.
- 6. The points are joined up for each row.



Questions:

- 1. What is a transect?
- 2. What is a kite diagram?
- 3. What is a kite diagram used to show?
- 4. State the 6 stages in drawing a kite diagram

Radar graph: A way of displaying multiple variable quantities. Advantages: Very visual – easy to see patterns and easy to compare data sets.

Disadvantage: Can be difficult to construct.

Triangular graph: Triangular graphs are used to show the relationship between 3 sets of data and are used when the 3 sets of data combined add up to 100%.

Advantages: Large amounts of data can be shown in one graph.

Disadvantages: Can be difficult to construct and can only be used for data with 3 components adding up to 100%.

- 5. What are scatter, radar and triangular graphs?
- 6. State an advantage and disadvantage of a scatter graph
- 7. State an advantage and disadvantage of a radar graph
- 8. State an advantage and disadvantage of a triangular graph

other methods easier to construct.



- 9. What is a pictogram?
- 10. When do you use a pictogram?
- 11. What are the advantages of a pictogram?
- 12. What are the disadvantages of a pictogram?





	Week 7 – Tuesday 20 th May 2025	
Lesson 16 – Cross sections	Lesson 17 – Isoline, flow line and desire line maps	Exam Practice
Key Terms: Cross Section: Line graphs that show a sideways view of a landscape.	Key Terms: Isoline map: Show lines that join up areas or values that are equal. Flow line map: Shows the exact path of movement. Desire line map: Shows a general direction of movement.	Study the figure, an isoline map of pedestrian flow in part of London using results from a 5-minute pedestrian count. Key Pedestrian flow Number of pedestrians 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 10
Cross sections can show features such as hills and valleys, or depths, such as the depth of a river. Cross-sections of hills use contour lines to determine the height of the land. Cross-sections of river depths are drawn using negative numbers so that the line graph looks like depth, rather than height. Width (m)	Content: Isoline map: Isoline maps help to recognise patterns and relationships between the geography of an area and data that might have been collected on the ground, such as air temperature or pedestrian counts.	1. Explain why the pattern of pedestrian flow shown in the figure may not be accurate (2 marks)
-0.5 (iii) -1 (iii) -1.5 (iii) -1.5 (iii) -2 (iii) -1.5 (iii) -2 (iii) -1.5 (Flow line and desire line maps: Movements are shown as lines. Thick lines show high amounts of movement and thin lines show low amounts. Trade or migration patterns are often shown using desire or flow lines.	2. Suggest one alternative method of presenting the information shown in the figure (1 mark)
Questions: 1. What is a cross section? 2. What are cross sections used to show? 3. When would a cross section have negative numbers? 4. Draw an example of a cross section	5. What is an isoline map?6. What are the benefits of using an isoline map?7. What are flow line and desire line maps?8. What does the thick and thin lines show?	





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Week 8 – Tuesday 3 rd June 2025					
Lesson 18 – Proportional symbols map	Lesson 19 – Analysis and central tendencies	Lesson 20 – Conclusions			
Key Terms: Proportional symbol map: A type of map that includes symbols that change in size based on the value they represent.	Key Terms: Analysis: The act of studying something in detail to understand more about it. Central tendency: A single value that attempts to describe a set of data by identifying the central position within that set of data.	Key Terms: Conclusion: Summarise the main findings and offer geographical explanations for the results.			
Content: Proportional symbol maps are very flexible because you can use either numerical data (e.g., income, age) or ordered categorical data (e.g., low, medium, and high). They're also flexible because they can be used for data attached to geographic points (e.g., a precise location) or data attached to geographic areas (e.g., countries). Advantages: Useful to see differences between places and easy to read as each symbol is proportional to its value. Disadvantages: Difficult to calculate the actual value, the size may cover other locations and time consuming to make.	Content: Geographical skill: Percentage increase - First: work out the difference (increase) between the two numbers you are comparing. Then: divide the increase by the original number and multiply the answer by 100. If your answer is a negative number, then this is a percentage decrease. Measures of central tendency Mean advantage: Considers of all values to calculate the average. Mean disadvantage: Very small or large values can affect the mean. Median advantage: Not affected by very large or very small values. Median disadvantage: If there is an even number, median is found by average the two middle numbers, therefore the median value might not be an original number. Mode advantage: Only one that can be used if the data set is not numbers e.g., types of cars. Mode disadvantage: There can be more than one so not always representative of the data.	Content: What should a conclusion include? • Summarise the finding using selected data to support the point. • Pull together the findings to make a few statements directly linked with the title and hypothesis. • Comment on whether the results were what was expected. • Any unusual results should be acknowledged and explained. Introduction and planning Methods and data collection Geographical enquiry Data presentation Data analysis			

Questions:

- 1. What is a proportional symbols map?
- 2. How are proportional symbols map flexible?
- 3. State an advantage of a proportional symbols map
- 4. State a disadvantage of a proportional symbols map
- 5. What does analysis mean?
- 6. State an advantage and disadvantage of using mean
- 7. State an advantage and disadvantage of using median
- 8. State an advantage and disadvantage of using mode
- 9. What does the term conclusion mean?
- 10. What do you summarise?
- 11. What should you link the findings to?
- 12. What should be done with unusual results?





Lesson 21 – Evaluation	Week 9 – Tuesday 10 th June 2025 Lesson 22 – Dawlish Fieldwork 1		Exam Practice	
	Key Terms:	Students measured the flow of water in two different riv		
Key Terms:	·			
Evaluation: Reflecting on the reliability and validity of all	Hypothesis: A testable statement about the relationship	over 7 days. The table shows the results, in rank order, fo		
sections of a geographical investigation.	between two or more variables.	the two rivers.		
Validity: The suitability of the method to answer the question		1. Complete the table	•	ing the interquartile
that it was intended to answer.	from a larger population.	range for River B (1 m	ark)	
			River A (Flow in	River B (Flow in
			cubic	cubic
			metres/second)	metres/second)
		Upper quertile -	6.2 6.0	11.8 10.4
Content:	Content:	Upper quartile	0.0	10.4
What should an evaluation include?	Location of Dawlish Warren: Southern England in the county		5.6	8.7
 Describe the data collection methods, including any 	of Devon. It is located just east of Dawlish on the English		5.2	5.1
equipment used and was it the right equipment.	Channel and extends out into the mouth of the River Exe.		5.0	2.1
equipment assurant master the month equipment		Lower quartile	4.5	1.4
Identify problems with data collection method and	Hypothesis: The groynes at Dawlish Warren affect the rates		3.7	1.2
suggestions for improvement.	of longshore drift	Median	5.2	5.1
suggestions for improvement.		Interquartile range	1.5	
Identify limitations of the data collected.	Why do we sample?			
- racintry initiations of the data conceted.	Simply there is not enough time to measure everything,			
Suggest other data that might be useful.	therefore data is gathered from a small part of the whole	A group of students us	sed a questionnair	e to assess whethe
• Suggest other data that might be userd.	thing using a sampling technique.	local facilities for the o	older population w	vere good enough.
	timing damping teerinique.			o o
• Evaluating the conclusion – did the study help answer the	What sampling method has been chosen?	The following diagram	shows the age gr	oups of people who
question, was the hypothesis specific enough, was the	Systematic sampling: Samples are chosen in a regular way	were asked to comple		
location suitable, how could the data be made more		•	te the questionia	
accurate?	and are evenly distributed.	20		Key
	Advantages: More straight forward and gives a good	Number of responses 10		Males
 Suggest how to extend the scope of the study. 	coverage of the area.	responses		Fema
	Disadvantages: It's more bias as not all points have an equal	0 	61–70 71–80	Over 80
	chance of being selected.	01 00	Age groups	0.101.00
		- 2. Suggest two addition	nal data collection	a tachniques that th
Questions:	5. Where is Dawlish Warren?	students could use to		•
1. What does the term evaluation mean?	6. Why do we sample?			_
2. What does validity mean?	7. What sampling method has been chosen?	enough for the older p	opulation (2 mark	(S).
3. What should you describe and identity in an evaluation?	8. What are the advantages and disadvantages of the chosen			
4. How do you evaluate the conclusion?	sampling method?			
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Week 10 – Tuesday 17 th June 2025				
Lesson 23 – Dawlish fieldwork 2	Lesson 24 – Bristol fieldwork 1	Lesson 25 – Bristol fieldwork 2		
Key Terms: Methodology: The different the ways that data can be collected. Fieldwork: The process of observing and collecting data about people, cultures, and natural environments. Foreshore: The intertidal zone, the part of a shore between high- and low-water marks.	Key Terms: Urban Change: Any change within an urban environment associated with growth or decline of an urban area. Social opportunities: Chances to improve peoples' quality of life, for instance sport, shopping, culture, and events.	Key Terms: Land use: Function of the land and what it is used for. RICEPOTS: A system for recording urban land use.		
Content: Measuring evidence of longshore drift: This will be completed at all odd number groynes along Dawlish Warren: 1. On the Dawlish side of the groyne, measure the distance between the top of the groyne and the sand. Record the distance. 2. Move to the Exmouth side of the groyne and repeat the measurement and record the distance. This allows for both sides to be completed and if there is a difference, longshore drift is occurring, and the groynes are doing their job. Measuring the rate of longshore drift: 1. Measure out 10m using a tape measure close to the water and mark the start and end point. 2. Put a float into the water in the foreshore at the start. 3. Observe and record the time and direction of the object across the 10m	Content: Where is Bristol Harbourside? Bristol is found in the southwest of England and is near the Severn Estuary. The Harbourside is located to the southwest of Bristol city centre. Hypothesis: Urban Change at Bristol Harbourside has created social opportunities. What sampling method has been chosen? Different sampling techniques are used for the different types of data collected. Harbourside Land use: No sampling technique is used as the whole harbourside is covered. Environment of the Harbourside: Stratified sampling used to ensure there was a wide coverage of the harbourside and to ensure that results were proportional and representative of the whole.	Content: Data will be collected through 3 different methods whilst walking to 24 identified locations in and around the Harbourside. Harbourside land use: When walking between the 24 different locations, how the land is being used is recorded on a map using the RICEPOTS index. It will help identify what opportunities are on offer e.g., employment, housing, and leisure activities. Environment of the Harbourside: There were two different fieldwork techniques used: Environmental quality survey (EQs): At the 24 identified locations, a survey will be completed where the area will be judged against a criteria and a score produced. Pedestrian count: At certain sites, the number of people passing by will be counted for a certain amount of time. This is to see how busy the harbourside is. The busier it is, clearly people want to be there.		
Questions: 1. What is a methodology? 2. How will evidence of longshore drift be measured? 3. Why are both sides of the groyne measured? 4. What 3 steps are used to measure the rate of longshore drift?	5. What does urban change and social opportunities mean?6. Where is Bristol Harbourside?7. What is the hypothesis?8. What sampling method has been chosen?	9. What does land use mean? 10. How many locations will be visited? 11. How will Harbourside land use data be collected? 12. How will environment of the Harbourside data be collected?		

No	rman Conquest (An	glo-Saxon England) Knowledge Organiser	
		It was divided into shires which made it easier to administer. The currency was well-respected and this encouraged trade and taxation. Burhs were fortified towns - good for defence.	
Name the types of people in Anglo-Sa	xon England	King; Earls; Thegns; Ceorls; Thralls	
What was the Wergild?		If someone was killed, the person responsible would have to pay the person's worth eg. a Ceorl was worth 160 shillings, a thrall was worth nothing.	
What was life like for women in Anglo	-Saxon England?	In some ways good (e.g. a woman's wergild was the same as a man's). But for thralls it was not good (e.g. Gangs of men would buy women thralls, rape them and sell them on.)	
What were the main influences on An	glo-Saxon religion?	Roman Catholic Church and Celtic traditions from Ireland (which meant different forms of worship and art).	
In what ways did the English not follow the Church's rules?		Some villages didn't have a church – they worshipped around a stone cross. There was a belief in local English Saints. Too much eating, drinking and sex.	
List 3 ways St Dunstan reformed the English Church?		Ended corruption among Church leaders; Improving education of monks, nuns and priests; rebuilding churches, abbeys and monasteries.	
What famous jewel could show the Anglo-Saxon to be a 'golden' era?		The Alfred Jewel	
What was the purpose of the burhs?		They were protected towns that people could go to during Viking raids	
Who was the corrupt Archbishop of C	anterbury in England?	Stigand	
		Key Terms	
Earl	King's chief advisers. There were 6 in 1065. Harold Godwinson was the most powerful		
Thegn	These were wealthy land	downers. There were around 5,000. They ran local courts and collected taxes.	
Ceorls	Most people in England	were Ceorls. Most lived on Thegns' land and farmed	
Thrall	Slaves. 10% of the population were Thralls		
Witan	Group of Earls and Bisho	ops that were advisers and decided who should king when one died.	

Norman	Conquest (How/W	hy William became King) Knowledge Organiser	
Why were the Normans effective warriors?		They had private armies supplied with armour and weapons; used horses (cavalry).	
		He persuaded the King of the Franks to help him crush a rebellion, he was brutal towards the rebels and married Matilda of Flanders (Flanders was a powerful neighbouring country)	
Who was King of England at the star	t of 1066?	Edward the Confessor	
Name the claimants to the throne in	1066	Harold Godwinson; Harald Hardrada; William of Normandy; Edgar Aetheling	
In what ways was William prepared to win the Battle of Hastings?		Had cavalry, the Saxons did not Assembled a fleet of over 700 ships Took over two months to assemble his invasion fleet William's knights had spent years training to fight from horseback	
In what ways was William a good leader during the Battle of Hastings?		William used the trick of fake retreats (feints) William fought the Battle of Hastings from horseback, Harold was on foot Towards the end of the battle William ordered his archers to change the angle they were shooting their arrows at	
In what ways was William lucky to win the Battle of Hastings?		Some of Harold's troops left the shield wall at the Battle of Hastings Harold's army had to first defeat the Vikings in the north of England Harold's army had to do two very long marches with battles at the end of each Many of Harold's army at Hastings were from the fyrd (inexperienced soldiers) Harold was killed at a crucial point in the Battle of Hastings	
How did the Normans break the Eng	lish shield wall?	A group of Norman soldiers turned from the battle and ran down the hill. Some English soldiers chased after them.	
		Key Terms	
Stamford Bridge	The battle between the Anglo-Saxons (Godwinson) and the Vikings (Hardrada). The Anglo-Saxons won.		
Fyrd	This is the untrained men in Godwinson's army who were called up to fight when needed.		
Cavalry	The soldiers on horses.		
Normandy	The place in Northern France that William and his army came from.		

Norman Conquest (How did	William control England) Knowledge Organiser
Why did William take key English nobles (Edwin and Morcar) to Normandy?	As hostages to discourage the English from rebelling.
Which city was destroyed by Edric the Wild?	Hereford
How did William get the city of Exeter to promise to be loyal to him?	He asked the people to swear an oath of loyalty to him. After they refused, William had a hostage's eyes gouged out, then attacked the city for 18 days. Exeter surrendered and in return for their loyalty, William promised to show them mercy. He also built castles like at Totnes.
What kind of reasons did people in England have for resisting the Norman rule?	Anger over loss of land; Damaged pride at being defeated and ruled by a foreigner; anger at having to pay greater taxes.
What was the Harrying of the North?	In 1070, William ordered for an attack on Northern England (the least likely to be loyal to him because of their Viking roots). Crops, animals and food were destroyed. As many as 100,000 died of starvation.
Why did William confiscate treasure from monasteries?	To pay for the cost of putting down rebellions. Also a method of control (that wasn't too brutal). He did this at the same time as reforming the church, for example, English churchmen were largely replaced by Normans.
Why did King Svein (of Denmark) decide to leave England?	There were not enough Danes to take England. After a hard winter, they were tired and hungry. William told them to go, so King Svein left with treasures from Ely and Peterborough.
How did William capture the island of Ely from Hereward the Wake?	Gathered an army. Sent ships and boats to block supplies. Built a causeway (a bridge). Bribed some monks to lead them to the island.

	Key Terms
Gytha	Harold Godwinson's mother. She led the rebellion in Exeter
Coronation	The ceremony where the king or queen is crowned.
Harrying	To carry out attacks
Differ	Be different – as in 'how far do these interpretations differ?' (Are they different or similar?)
Rebellion	An act of armed resistance against a government or a leader.

Norman Conquest (Castles) Knowledge Organiser		
What was a 'ringwork'?	A castle without a motte. They had earth enclosures	
Name some key features of Norman castles	Motte, Bailey, Ramparts (earth banks), Palisade (Wooden fence at the top of the ramparts), Moat, Gatehouse, Tower.	
How many castles had William built by 1071?	35	
How many castles were there by 1086 (when William died)?	Around 500 – mostly built by Norman lords.	
Why did Normans build castles?	To control surrounding land. As a status symbol – to project an image of power. They were also used as an administrative centre for a local area.	
What is the traditional interpretation of castles?	They were built for military purposes	
What is the revisionist interpretation of castles?	The structures were weak so they were more about status	
What is the recent interpretation of castles?	Castles were for controlling the local population. Heavily defended sites containing garrisons of Norman cavalry	
Provide a military purpose that castles were built for?	To provide a defended area for Normans in in control of rebellious areas. To provide a base for Normans so if a rebellion broke out in the local area, there were Normans nearby to deal with it.	
What were the fortified sites that Anglo-Saxon thegns had built prior to Normans building castles?	Burh-Geats	

	Key Terms
Interpretation	A view of something in History. In this case a written or pictorial view of the Norman era
Rampart	Earth banks which could be several metres high.
Motte	The hill in the bailey that the tower sat on. Good for defence.
Bailey	An enclosure inside the ramparts.
Burh-geat	Small defended sites used in Anglo-Saxon England

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Key Terms			Key Terms
Undisputed Nobody challenges you (as in William was undisputed King of England)	Undisputed Nobody	Nobody challenges you (as in William was undisputed King of England)	
Exploit To take advantage of (e.g. The Normans exploited the Anglo-Saxons)	Exploit To take	To take advantage of (e.g. The Normans exploited the Anglo-Saxons)	
Trial by combat A new law introduced by the Normans – a sword fight between the accused of a crime and the accuser – whoever won was telling the truth	I IIIai DV Collidat I	,	
Ruling class People who are the more powerful in a country. e.g. The Normans were the ruling class.	Ruling class People	People who are the more powerful in a country. e.g. The Normans were the ruling class.	

Making of America (Growing Tensions 1789-1838) Knowledge Organiser		
Name three states which joined the USA between 1790 and 1838	Maine; Alabama; Ohio; Indiana; Illinois; Michigan; Tennessee; Mississippi; Vermont	
Name one early President of the USA 1789-1838	George Washington; John Adams; Thomas Jefferson James Monroe;	
What powers did states have to make laws?	Each had its own Governor and could make their own laws but couldn't go against the US Constitution	
How many slaves lived in the South by 1838?	Over 2 million	
Give three reasons why slavery expanded	Cotton gin sped up the process of separating cotton fibres. - New cotton-growing lands became available after 1790 - A huge demand from the North and overseas	
What piece of machinery did Eli Whitney invent?	Cotton Gin	
How much cotton was the USA exporting by 1838?	Over a million bales a year	
Explain how the Missouri Compromise tried to solve divisions over slavery in the USA	New states added in the West would be in pairs: For every free state there would have to be a slave state. This would keep the balance of power in government	
Name three of the Five Civilised Tribes	The Cherokee; Chickasaw; Choctaw; Creek; Seminole	
What was the Indian Removal Act of 1830?	A law that promised money to tribes if they relocated to the west of the Mississippi	
Which tribe challenged the Indian Removal Act in the Supreme Court?	Cherokee	
Which President was responsible for the Indian Removal Act?	Andrew Jackson.	
What was the 'Trail of Tears?'	Cherokee were force marched to Indian Territory. 4000 died.	

	Key Terms
Supreme Court	Highest, most important court in the USA
Constitution	Set of 'rules' by which a country is run, eg. Who can vote
Congress	USA's place of government (Like UK's Houses of Parliament)
State	Areas of the USA with their own government and a governor. They can pass some laws.
Territory	Land with not enough people to be a State. They don't send representatives to Congress.

Making of America (Visions of the West 1839-1860) Knowledge Organiser		
Name the two main branches of the Sioux Indians	Lakota and Dakota. Lakota Sioux were more experienced with guns and horses.	
What was the main source of food for the Cheyenne?	Buffalo	
What was the name of the sacred centre of Sioux culture?	Black Hills of Dakota	
Explain why the Sioux moved on to the Plains	Sioux homelands began filling up with other Indian tribes escaping white expansion in the East	
Why did migrants from East USA want to travel West from the 1849s onwards?	Economic problems in the East.; Oregon and California had advertising campaigns to attract people.; Manifest Destiny – the belief that God wanted white people to settle in the West of America	
Name two diseases which killed people on the trails to Oregon and California	Cholera and Typhoid	
Who led the Mormons to Utah?	Brigham Young	
Why were the Mormons so keen to settle in the West (in Utah)?	They wanted to practise their religion. They had been persecuted in the East and their leader, Joseph Smith had been killed.	
Where was gold first discovered in California in 1848?	Sutter's Mill, California Territory	
Name two states or territories added to the USA between 1839 and 1860	California, Colorado, Utah, Kansas	
Why did more people go to Pike's Peak than to California to search for gold?	It was nearer and easier to get to. Plus trains could take you to the edge of the Plains.	
What impact did the gold rush have on California?	Improved Californian economy (created jobs); Impacted negatively on Indians; environmental impact (mining damaged landscapes and created flooding)	
Impacts of Pike's Peak	Population increase led to Colorado becoming a state. New towns grew, tensions with Native Americans	

Key Terms

Sioux	The largest Indian tribe
Mormons	A religious group. Christian but with specific beliefs different to most Christians
Gold Rush	Many people travelling to find gold
Wakan Tanka	The Great Spirit – The idea that all living things had their own spirit which came from the earth.
Manifest Destiny	The belief that God's plan was for white Americans to settle the whole continent of America

Making of America (Cause and aftermath of Civil War) Knowledge Organiser

Which political party was established in 1854?	The Republican Party (an anti-slavery party)
What Act was passed in 1854 that allowed states to decide if they wanted to be free or slave states?	Kansas-Nebraska Act
Give a political reason for the start of the Civil War	People in the North were worried that slaveholders in the South were becoming too powerful. People in the South were angry at the election of President Lincoln
Give an economic reason for the start of the Civil War	The North was jealous that the South were benefitting from slavery – ie. not paying their workforce and receiving huge profits from cotton
How did the election of Abraham Lincoln in 1860 lead to Civil War?	His election in 1860 meant that South Carolina voted to secede (leave) the United States. It was quickly followed by 6 other states. Lincoln called this 'Confederacy' of states illegal.
When was the Emancipation Proclamation (which freed all slaves) issued?	1863
Name one positive change for black Americans during the Civil War	By 1862, South Carolina was freed and ex-slaves began setting up regiments. Many slaves in the South were given 40 acres of land by General Sherman.
Name one negative change for black Americans during the Civil War	Some slaves were made to hard labour (eg. digging ditches). Some slaves continued working on cotton plantations even though they were free. They were paid less than white soldiers.
In what year did soldiers get equal pay in the army?	1864 (but they still couldn't serve as officers)
What was the Sea Islands Experiment?	Islands of the coast of South Carolina were given to freed slaves of the South
Name two steps that Lincoln took to rebuild the USA	Passed the 13 th Amendment freeing slaves. Set up the Freedman's Bureau (a charity to help ex-slaves)
Name two ways President Johnson failed to help black Americans	Ended the Freedman's Bureau; Allowed Southern states to introduce Black Codes (removed rights for blacks); pardoned (forgave) thousands of Confederate soldiers
Name two ways Radical Republicans helped black Americans	Re-established the Freedman's Bureau; Passed a Civil Rights Law in 1866; Passed the 14 th and 15 th Amendments (saying that blacks could be citizens and could vote); Sent in soldiers to police the South
Name two ways things got worse for Black Americans after 1870	Freedman's Bureau shut down in 1872; The Supreme Court said that voting rights were down to states to decide; In 1877, soldiers stationed in the South were removed.

Key Terms

Emancipation	A statement made by Abraham Lincoln in 1863 declaring that all slaves will be free
Proclamation	

Making of America (Settlement and conflict on the Plains) Knowledge Organiser		
Name an impact of the railroads on In	dians	Disrupted buffalo hunting grounds; Encouraged settlers and cattle ranchers to settle on Plains.
Name an impact of the railroads on workers		Created jobs for thousands (12,000 of whom were Chinese). Paid poorly and working conditions were terrible.
Name an impact of the railroads on the USA		New towns were created. More railroads were created. By 1880s, journey across USA could be done in days rather than months.
Why did the cattle industry cause tensel Plains?	sion and conflict on the	Texas Longhorn disrupted buffalo roaming areas. Overgrazing of Plains meant buffalo started to die out.
Give two reasons why people moved	to the Plains	Cheap land; Railroads meant farmed goods could be sold easily; Homestead Act (1860) offered people 160 acres free for 5 years.
Why were the Plains so difficult to farm on?		Plains was a long way from big towns so supplies were difficult to get. Few trees so building was difficult. Cholera a problem. People felt isolated.
Name two solutions homesteaders used to survive on the Plains? House red) w		Houses were made from earth (sod) Dry-farming techniques and new types of wheat (like Turkey red) which grew well on the Plains. Barbed wire meant enclosing land was easy. Wind pumps used to draw clean water.
What caused Little Crow's War in 186	Little Crow (Chief) had signed a reservation agreement in return for supplies from US government in Reservation officials refused to give emergency supplies even when the Sioux were starving.	
What were the results of Little Crow's War?		Little Crow was killed. 38 Santee Sioux were publically hanged. Remaining Santee Sioux were forced to move to reservation in Dakota.
What caused Red Cloud's War 1866-68?		Gold discovered on the Sioux reservation in 1862. Red Cloud began attacking some miners. The US government set up forts.
What were the results of Red Cloud's War?		The US were defeated. Fort Laramie Treaty signed promising no settlers on Sioux land.
What caused the Great Sioux War?		Gold discovered on sacred ground. US govt. ordered all Sioux to leave but many refused.
What were the results of the Great Sioux War?		General Custer defeated by Sitting Bull but Sioux eventually forced onto reservations.
		Key Terms
Texas Longhorn	A breed of cattle that is part	icularly good for beef
Reservation	Areas of land that Indians were forced to live on	
Dry-Farming	A technique of using soil to retain rainwater. This was used on the dry plains to grow crops.	
Fort Laramie Treaty	Treaty signed in 1868 (after previously being signed in 1851) that guaranteed US settlers wouldn't enter Indian lands without permission	
Cattle Ranchers	People who made lots of money by rearing cattle and selling it for beef	

Making of America (Changing lives 1877-1900) Knowledge Organiser		
Give three ways the US government tried to destroy the plains Indians culture	Tribes split up; Indians forced to convert to Christianity; Indian children forced to choose English names; history lessons showed Indians as barbaric.	
Which group tried to protect the rights of Native Americans?	'Friends of the Indian' set up in 1883	
How did they, in fact, help to destroy the Indian cultures?	They set up schools to help Indian children learn English. They persuaded the US government to pass the Dawes Act in 1887. It gave each Indian family 160 acres if they gave up their claims to tribal lands	
How was life in the South for blacks still bad after the end of Reconstruction?	Majority worked as sharecroppers; Jim Crow laws meant there was segregation in the South; Blacks didn't have access to better paid jobs.	
What opportunities were there in the West for blacks after the end of Reconstruction?	Homestead Act was open to blacks. By 1879, over 6000 black Americans had moved to Kansas. They were known as the exodusters	
How did life for Blacks in the North improve after 1877?	In 1882 Booker T Washington set up a school to train black children to be farmers and house servants. In 1900 he set up the Negro Business League.	
How did Big Business create positive opportunities between 1977 and 1900?	Cotton and tobacco demand increased so created jobs. Huge 'bonanza' farms meant jobs for many who couldn't afford their own land. Growth of railroads meant demand for coal, iron and steel.	
What negative impact did Big Business have on people between 1877 and 1900	Cotton demand meant more blacks as poorly paid sharecroppers; American Tobacco Company refused to improve wages; Small farms lost out to Bonanza Farms	
How did the growth of cities create new opportunities for people between 1877 and 1900?	Work, entertainment, education and freedom.	
What problems did the growth of cities lead to?	Overcrowding & Disease	
Why did people want to move to America?	American economy was booming by 1880s; USA offered freedom of religion and thought	
What problems did immigrants face in America?	Immigrants often ended up in the poorest areas of cities; Laws preventing Chinese workers from moving freely in California. Immigrants often ended up in the poorest areas of cities.	

	Key Terms
Jim Crow laws	The name given to laws that separated white and black people in the South
Sharecropper	Many black people lived on land owned by whites and had to give them 2/3 of their crops as rent. It gave control to white people and felt a lot like slavery to black people.
Homestead Act	1862 law that said people could get 160 acres of land on the Plains if they paid a small fee and stayed on the land for 5 years.
Bonanza farms	Huge farms owned by large businesses. Around $^{31}_{10,000}$ acres in size





Life Skills Knowledge Organiser – Cycle 3 Year 10				
Lesson 1 – CV'S		Lesson 2 – Volunteering and Work Experience		
Places to access support		Places to access support		
https://www.unifrog.org/		https://getvolunteering.co.uk/		
Content:		Content:		
A CV stands for 'curriculum vitae' (that's Latin) and it is a summary c experience and educational background.	of a job applicants	What is volunteering? Volunteering is where an individual or group provides services for no financial or social gain, to benefit another person, group or organisation. Volunteering can		
What should a CV include?	Terre O'Kon	have positive benefits for the volunteer as well as the person or group being served.		
 Employers need to know what qualifications you have: 	To their helps Summary Provide the Summary Provi	Why is it important? By volunteering, you could be the reason someone gets a hot meal at		
 Keep it simple- GCSE's, AS Levels, A Levels 	Constitution C	a food bank. It could even be by increasing the confidence of a child in a scouts group, or		

Include vocational qualifications

Work experience is very important to add to your CV and includes the following:

If you haven't had your results yet, include predicted results Don't lie- if you are successful you may have to provide proof

- Paid employment
- Volunteering
- Work Experience
- Informal work

Include relevant skills and strengths. Examples of things you could include:

- Member of a school council
- Captain of a sports team
- Grades in music or dance
- Training: first aid, mental health first aid or food hygiene certificate
- Advanced computer skills

To structure your CV, include sections for Personal Information, an optional Personal Statement summarizing your skills and goals in 2-3 lines, Key Skills, Work Experience, Education, and References.

Ouestions

- 1. What is a CV, and what does it summarise?
- What types of qualifications should you include on your CV?
- 3. Why is it important not to lie on your CV?
- 4. What kinds of work experience should you include in your CV?
- 5. What are some examples of skills and strengths you can add to your CV?



helping someone buy some new clothes at a charity shop!

Conduct in the workplace

Being in a work environment is different to hanging out with your friends or being at school. Everyone at work has a purpose and a job to get done, and should behave in a way that doesn't negatively affect their own or their colleagues' performance.

Follow these simple rules to go by, to ensure you are a star employee at your work experience placement!

- Remember your manners; say please and thank you, and always be respectful.
- Be smartly/ appropriately dressed and turn up on time!
- Listen. Lots of workplaces will have specific rules that must be followed.
- Ask questions: If there's something in particular you want to know or learn, ask! There's no such thing as a silly question and your work experience employer is there to show and tell you all about their industry.
- Act responsibly and be tidy in your work
- Follow the health and safety rules of the organisation
- If you are going to be late or need to be off because of illness, you must telephone your work experience employer immediately and explain the situation to them.

Questions

- 1. What is volunteering, and how can it benefit both the volunteer and others?
- Why is volunteering important?
- How is working in a workplace different from being at school or with friends?
- What are some important rules to follow during work experience?
- 5. What should you do if you're going to be late or need time off during your work experience?



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Lesson 3- British Identity	Lesson 4 – Human Rights and International Law	
Places to access support	Places to access support	
https://www.ons.gov.uk/	https://www.un.org/en/about-us/universal-declaration-of-human-rights	
Content:	Content:	
The UK is identified as one country, for example in its membership of the UN. In sport, the UK can be seen as one nation, eg when referring to the Olympic team. Whereas in other sports, there are separate teams representing each country that makes up the UK. In 2002 government proposed the introduction of Citizenship tests for people wanting to become British citizens. This came into force in 2005. Immigrants seeking British citizenship have to pass a test on knowledge of the British way of life . These tests have been widely criticised because of lack of agreement on what is British and the fact that many people born in Britain would probably fail the tests.	Where do our rights come from? Rights come from lots of different places. Understanding where they come from can help you to find out what to do if they're being ignored. They mostly come from: United Nations Convention on the Rights of Children (UNCRC). This is a set of standards we follow in the UK that lists the rights that every child should have. These include the right to relax and play, to express yourself freely and to have an education. The Unicef website has more information about the UNCRC. What rights do I have? We all share lots of the same rights, but we also have some different rights depending on our age and our needs. You might not realise it, but rights are a part of your everyday life.	
Here are three examples of citizenship questions: In which year did the UK officially join the European Economic Community (EEC)? Who was the longest-reigning monarch in British history? What is the main purpose of the National Health Service (NHS)?	These are just some of the rights you have: Everywhere – you have the right to your own beliefs or religion and the right to be protected from violence and abuse. At home – you have the right to a standard of living, such as money, food and housing that meets your needs. At school or college – you have the right to education even if you don't go to school, you're in hospital or youth custody. At work – you have the right to breaks, time off for holidays and to be kept safe.	
 Questions How is the UK represented in the Olympics? When were the Citizenship tests introduced in the UK? What was the purpose of the UK Citizenship tests introduced in 2005? Why have the UK Citizenship tests been criticized? Can you name one example of a question asked in the UK Citizenship test? 	Questions 1. Where do our rights come from, and why is it important to understand this? 2. What is the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Children (UNCRC)? 3. What rights do you have at home? 4. What rights do you have at school or college? 5. What rights do you have when you're at work?	



Life Skills Knowledge Organiser - Cycle 3 Year 10



Lesson 5– UK Politics Lesson 6– Democracy and Voting

Places to access support

https://www.parliament.uk/about/how/elections-and-voting/general/

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Content:

UK Parliament is separate from government. **UK Parliament is a law-making authority** in the UK, and it also works to check and challenge the work of government through various processes known as scrutiny. **UK Parliament is made up of three parts: the House of Commons, the House of Lords and the Monarch, who has a ceremonial role**.

The **House of Commons** is the democratically elected part of Parliament. Its 650 members are voted in, usually every five years, when there is a general election.

The **House of Lords** is the appointed part of Parliament. It is independent from and complements the work of the elected House of Commons – they share responsibility for making laws and checking and challenging the work of government.

The third part of Parliament is the **Monarch**. As Head of State, the Monarch's role in Parliament is predominantly ceremonial. They are politically neutral, so do not support any political party or get involved in day-to-day politics. The Monarch approves the bills passed by

Parliament, enabling them to become law. The Monarch invites the leader of the party that wins the most seats in a general election to form the UK Government, and opens the new parliamentary session each year.



Content:

In British politics, when we talk about 'the UK Government' we are referring specifically to the **Prime Minister**, the Cabinet and their junior ministers and officials. This is the team of people responsible for leading and running the UK. They are drawn from the political party which won the most seats at the last general election.



After an election, the leader of the winning party is appointed as Prime Minister and chooses other party members to work in government with them for five years, until the next general election. Even though an MP may be a member of the party that forms the government, if they are not members of that chosen team they are not part of the government.

The time when people vote is called an election.

In a **general election**, like the one coming up later this year, people vote to choose an MP to represent them in Parliament. They vote for the person who they think has good ideas and will make the best decisions for them as individuals and for the country as a whole. Elections are key to democracy. They are people's chance to have a say in how the country is run.

In a general election, people (citizens) elect politicians (MPs) to represent them. The MPs then work in Parliament to help run the country and make sure the will of the people is represented.

Ouestions

- 1. What is the difference between UK Parliament and the government?
- 2. What are the three parts that make up UK Parliament?
- 3. How are members of the House of Commons selected?
- 4. What is the role of the House of Lords in UK Parliament?
- 5. What is the Monarch's role in UK Parliament, and how are they involved in law-making?

Ouestions

- 1. How does UK Parliament differ from the government?
- 2. What are the three parts that make up the UK Parliament?
- 3. How are members of the House of Commons chosen?
- 4. What responsibilities does the House of Lords have in Parliament?
- **5.** What is the Monarch's role in UK Parliament, and how do they participate in law-making?



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Lesson 7– Democracy and Elections

Places to access support

https://www.parliament.uk/about/how/elections-and-voting/general/

Content:

A key part of elections being **free and fair** is that they are regular. **In the UK, the maximum time for one Parliament to lead the country is five years.** This was made law by the Dissolution and Calling of Parliament Act 2022.

After five years, a general election must be held to give people a chance to have a say in whether their MP and the Government should change.

Each political party publishes a manifesto. This is a booklet explaining what the party stands for and its policies. It is like a set of promises about what the party will do if it wins the election and forms the next Government. Candidates for a party use the manifesto to try to persuade people to vote for them.

In UK elections, seats are allocated based on the first-past-the-post voting system. Here's how it works:

Constituencies: The UK is divided into geographic areas called constituencies, each represented by one Member of Parliament (MP).

Candidates: Each constituency has candidates from different political parties (and independent candidates) running for election.

Voting: Voters in each constituency choose one candidate by marking an "X" next to their name. Voters can only select one candidate.

Winning: The candidate who gets the most votes in a constituency (a plurality of votes) wins the seat. It's not necessary to get more than half the votes, just the most compared to other candidates.

Total Seats: The party that wins the most seats in the House of Commons (at least 326 seats) forms the government. If no party wins a majority (a situation called a hung parliament), parties may form coalitions or alliances to govern.

Questions

- 1. How often are general elections held in the UK, and why is this important for fairness?
- 2. What is a manifesto, and how do candidates use it in UK elections?
- 3. How are seats allocated in UK elections?
- 4. What does "first-past-the-post" mean in the context of UK elections?
- 5. What happens if no party wins a majority in a UK general election?



Y10 C3 Key knowledge Maths

Use this guide to make sure you know what to do, when to do it and how to do it:

Maths homework is to <u>complete</u> sparx

What to do

- Do Sparx on the days in the homework timetable
- Compulsory Homework: You must do this part of your homework every week
- XP Boost/Farget Homework: Do this to gain loads of XP and to improve your maths!

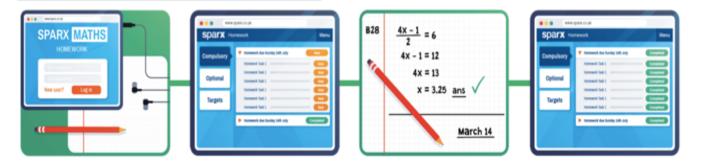
Top Tips

- · Do your homework as soon as you can
- Watch the help video
- · If you are stuck, speak to your maths teacher before hand-in or pop in to Sparx Support club during breaks

Always:



- Write down the date
- Write down your bookwork code
- Read the question carefully
- Show all your workings
- Highlight/underline your final answer
- Tick if correct/cross if wrong



Your Maths Homework is to complete your Sparx



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Item	Description		
Median and quartiles	The median is the middle value of an ordered list		
	Quartiles split the list into quarters.		
	4, 5, 7, 11, 15, 20, 25, 26, 27		
	Lower quartile Median Upper quartile 6 15 25.5		
Interquartile range	Interquartile range = Upper quartile - Lower quartile		
Cumulative frequency	The running total of frequencies		
Tangent to a curve at a	The straight line that "just touches" the curve at that		
point	point.		
Speed and velocity	Speed is the distance travelled in a given amount of time.		
	Velocity describes a speed and a direction of travel.		
Velocity	Velocity is the gradient of a distance-time graph.		
Acceleration	Acceleration is the gradient of a velocity-time graph.		
Distance travelled	Distance travelled is the area under a velocity time graph.		
Histogram	A histogram is similar to a bar chart. The number of		
	items in each bar is represented by the area of the bar,		
	not the height (as with a bar chart).		
Frequency density	The height of a bar in a histogram. Given by		
	Frequency density = Frequency ÷ Classwidth		
Composite function	A composite function is a function made of more than		
	one function. For example, $fg(x)$ represents a function made of the f and g functions.		
	x - g(x) - fg(x)		
Inverse function	An inverse function is a function that "reverses"		
	another function.		
	For example, $f^{-1}(x)$ reverses $f(x)$		

RPE Year 10 - Unit 3 - Extremism

	Key Words				
Extremism	Holding extreme political or religious views.	Supremacy	A belief that someone or something is better than everyone else.		
Terrorism	The unlawful use of violence and intimidation to bring about political or social change.	Radicalised	A process where someone comes to believe in extreme beliefs.		
Fundamentalist	Where people stick very strictly to the rules/beliefs of religion.				

Islam key beliefs	 Key Information The six articles of faith in Sunni Islam and five roots of Usul ad-Din in Shi'a Islam, including key similarities and differences. The oneness of God (Tawhid), Quran Surah 112 and the nature of God: omnipotence, beneficence, mercy, fairness and justice (Adalat in Shi'a Islam), including different ideas about God's relationship with the world: immanence and transcendence. Angels, their nature and role including Jibril and Mik'ail and predestination and human freedom (free will) and its relationship to the Day of Judgement. Life after Death (Akhirah), human responsibility and accountability, resurrection, heaven and hell. Authority: Prophethood (Risalah) including the role and importance of Adam, Ibrahim and Muhammad. Authority: The Holy Books – Qur'an: revelation and authority, the Torah, the Psalms, the Gospel and their authority. The imamate in Shi'a Islam: its role and significance.
Extremism	 Extremism in its broadest sense is an individual or group of individuals who take an extreme position from that of the norm or take an extreme action. Commonly, those with extremist perspectives have a particular perspective or belief 'in the sense that they take their opinions or beliefs to the limit and do not allow much room for the existence of any other views of life.'
Malala	 Malala Yousafzai is an activist for female education. She was attacked by the Taliban (religious extremists). She is quoted as saying: 'The extremists are afraid of books and pens. The power of education frightens them.'
Radicalisation	 It is important to remember that radicalisation does not just happen to Muslims. A person who becomes involved with any extremist group can be said to be radicalised. The UK government has been worried about the rise in extremism for some years. In 2014, it introduced a new responsibility to schools to teach about what the government has called British Values.

Lessons 5 & 6			
eat bogs	Deforestation and maintaining biodiversity		
vater from	Deforestation : Clearing of the land of forest		
sticides,	Deforestation is occurring to provide more space to		
eat crops.	produce more food (crops and animal farming), provide		
	timber for fuel or material, space for biofuel crops and		
tilisers,	space for building and developing .		
i), land fill			
	Consequences of deforestation:		
	• Increased carbon dioxide in the atmosphere,		
n leads to	• Reduced biodiversity,		
ng, acid rain fossil fuels	Increased global warming.		
	There are a number of programmes designed to helped		
nany	maintain and increase biodiversity:		
Limited	Breeding programmes		
w oxygen	Laws and regulations		
	Nature reserves		
6 . 1 1	Recycling		
fuel and	 Reforestation and replanting of hedgerows. 		
to a release			
ibitats and	Programmes to maintain biodiversity may not be successful:		
lucad	• Cost,		
luced,	 Animals may not have natural habitat remaining, 		
they release at materials.	 Hunting and poaching still an issue, 		

Lessons 1 & 2 Biodiversity & the impact of population change

Biodiversity: The range of different living things in an ecosystem or on Earth.

The greater the biodiversity the more stable the ecosystem.

Human activities that reduce biodiversity:

- Deforestation
- Pollution
- Dumping waste
- Development and building
- Global warming

Consequences of loss of biodiversity:

- Loss of undiscovered sources of food and medicine
- Useful chemicals
- Increased greenhouse gases- climate change

An increasing population can impact pollution, food supply, health and disease, water supplies, wildlife/habitat, energy resources

Lessons 3 & 4 Pollution and the destruction of peat bogs

Land pollution: Bodily waste, waste water from homes (sewage), toxic chemicals from industria waste, side effect of farming from pesticides, insecticides and fungicides used to treat crops.

Water pollution: Farming run off (fertilisers, pesticides, insecticides and fungicides), land fil run off.

Air pollution: Smoke from combustion leads to particulates and lead to global dimming, acid rair (nitrogen oxides) from the burning of fossil fuels

Peat: massive carbon store home to many different species of living organisms. Limited decomposition due to high pH and low oxygen conditions.

Peat is being <u>destroyed</u>, it is used as a fuel and compost. Using peat in any way leads to a release of the stored carbon, also destroys habitats and leads to a decrease in biodiversity.

When peat is dug up, **oxygen** is introduced, decomposers are able to start decay, they release oxygen through respiration of the peat materials.

<u>Benefits of peat farming</u>: cheap, natural compost to boost nutrients in soil, easy to use and helps boost yields.

- Space is needed for building and farming,
- Laws can be difficult to enforce,
- Lack of education.

Lessons 1 & 2 Aerobic respiration	Lesson 3 Anaerobic respiration	Lessons 4 & 5 Response to exercise and metabolism
Respiration : The process of releasing energy from food	Anaerobic respiration: Releasing energy from food without oxygen.	Rate of respiration increases when you exercise. To allow increase in rate of respiration:
Energy : The capacity of a body or a system to do work	Anaerobic respiration is the incomplete breakdown of glucose to lactic acid. Takes place in the cytoplasm	 Increased breathing rate Increased depth of breathing Increased heart rate
Respiration is an exothermic reaction. All living organisms must respire to release	Word equation for anaerobic respiration: Glucose → Lactic acid + Energy Symbol equation for anaerobic respiration:	After resorting to respiring anaerobically, when you stop exercising you will have an oxygen debt .
energy for:MovementTemperature controlGrowth and repair	C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₆ → C ₃ H ₆ O ₃ + Energy Reactants of anaerobic respiration = Glucose Products of anaerobic respiration = lactic acid + energy.	Oxygen debt refers to the amount of extra oxygen required to react with the built-up lactic acid.
Aerobic respiration word equation: Glucose + Oxygen → Carbon dioxide + water + energy	Cells will respire anaerobically when energy demand is very high and there isn't enough time to get oxygen to the respiring muscles.	Lactic acid reacts with oxygen to form carbon dioxide and water: Lactic acid → oxygen + water
Aerobic respiration symbol equation: $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O + Energy$	Used during high intensity, quick, explosive activities such as 100m sprint. Anaerobic respiration cannot be used for long because	To provide the <u>extra oxygen</u> needed to pay the oxygen debt, heart rate and breathing rate remain elevated after exercise.
Reactants of aerobic respiration = Glucose and Oxygen Products of aerobic respiration = Carbon dioxide, water and energy	lactic acid builds up and it is toxic. This causes muscular fatigue. Fermentation: Anaerobic respiration in yeast and plant	Muscular fatigue: where cells in the muscle are unable to contact properly due to the build up of lactic acid.
Aerobic respiration takes place in the mitochondria. Aerobic respiration happens all the time in all cells.	cells. Word equation for fermentation: Glucose \rightarrow ethanol + carbon dioxide Symbol equation for fermentation: $C_6H_{12}O_6 \rightarrow 2C_2H_5OH + 2CO_2$	Metabolism : all chemical reactions happening in an organism.

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Lessons 1 Exothermic and endothermic reactions

In an exothermic reaction Thermal energy ,(heat) leaves , (exits) the reaction.

During an exothermic reaction thermal energy is released into the surrounding. This makes the surrounding get hotter and the temperature increases.

Exothermic reactions always happen when chemical bonds are formed , (made). We sometimes call this bond making. In an Endothermic reaction Thermal energy ,(heat),is absorbed from the surroundings.

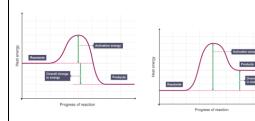
During an Endothermic reaction thermal energy is absorbed from the surroundings. This makes the surroundings get colder and the temperature decreases.

Endothermic reactions always happen when chemical bonds are broken. We sometimes call this bond breaking.

Endothermic reactions absorb heat, these reactions are known as thermal decomposition reactions.

Combustion reactions are exothermic . Combustion reactions happen when a fuel burns in Oxygen to make carbon dioxide and water .

Endothermic reactions are used in cold packs to treat sports injuries by reducing inflammation and the sensation of pain.



Lessons 2 Required practical

- 1. Using a measuring cylinder measure 30 cm³ dilute hydrochloric acid and put it into the polystyrene cup.
- 2. Stand the cup inside the beaker. This will make it more stable.
- 3. Use the thermometer to measure the temperature of the acid.
- 4. Using a measuring cylinder measure 5 cm³ sodium hydroxide solution.
- Pour the sodium hydroxide into the polystyrene cup. Fit the lid and gently stir the solution with the thermometer through the hole.
- 6. Look carefully at the temperature rise on the thermometer.
- 7. When the reading on the thermometer stops changing, record the highest temperature reached in the table.
- 8. Repeat steps 4–7, add further 5 cm³ amounts of sodium hydroxide to the cup each time, record your temperature reading in the results table.
- 9. Repeat until a maximum of 40cm³ of sodium hydroxide has been added. Be careful when stirring the final 2 readings as temperature change is very sensitive.
- 10. Wash out all the equipment and repeat the experiment for your second trial.

Lessons 3 Calculating bond energy, (higher)

Activation energy must be met to break bonds of the reactants.

Energy is also needed to form bonds of the new products.

Different bonds requires different amounts of energy. This energy is called a bond energy and can be found in a table like the one below.

Average Bond Energies, kJ/mol		
Energy		
413		
463		
348		
358		
436		
293		
495		
614		

Calculating bond energy changes tells us if a reaction is exothermic or endothermic.

To calculate energy change you will need work out the number of bonds in the reactants and add up the bond energies.

You will then need to work out the number bonds in the products and add up all the bond energies .

Reactant bond energy – Product bond energy = Overall energy change

If the answer is positive the reaction has gained energy and is endothermic.

If the answer is negative the reaction has lost energy and is exothermic.

Lessons 1

Calculating Rates of Reaction

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Collision Theory & Surface Area	Required Practical Concentration	
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The rate of reaction = How quickly a reaction is happening.

- How quickly reactants are turned into products
- $rate = \frac{amount of \ reactant \ lost}{time} or \frac{amount \ of \ product \ formed}{time}$
- We can record experimental data to allow us to calculate the rate of reaction, these include:
 - Measuring the decreasing mass of a reaction mixture.
 - Measure the increasing volume of gas given off.
 - Measuring the decreasing light passing through a solution
- If you change the temperature or surface area you will still get the same amount of product (you just get them quicker or slower)
- If you change the concentration you will get a different amount of product (and you will get them quicker or slower).
- Gradient of the line gives you the rate of reaction.
- If the gradient increases then the reaction rate is faster.
- If the gradient decreases then the reaction rate is slower.
- To record the gradient of a curve you need to take a tangent.

Reactions don't happen unless the substances are in contact.

- Particles are constantly moving.
- For a chemical reaction to take place the reactant particles must collide first.
- For the collision to be effective the particles must have the right amount of energy.
- The minimum amount of energy required for an effective collision is called the activation energy.
- The higher the frequency of collision the faster the rate of reaction.

Surface Area/Particle Size

- The sum of all the areas of each side of a shape
- Using smaller particles increases surface area
- Increase in surface area allows more frequent collisions at surface

You will investigate the **Effect of Concentration on Rate** of Reaction.

- Independent variable: concentration of hydrochloric acid
- **Dependent variable**: volume of hydrogen gas produced
- Control variable: amount of magnesium added, temperature of solution

Concentration

- The number of particles in a given volume.
- At high concentrations there are more particles.
- More particles in the same space means more frequent collisions.
- If we double the concentration we double the frequency of collisions
- More frequent collisions = faster rate of reaction.

Pressure

- Gases only
- At high pressure, the particles are closer together.
- This means the particles are more likely to collide more frequently.
- More <u>frequent</u> collisions = faster rate of reaction.

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Lesson 4	Lessons 5	Lessons 6 & 7
Required Practical Temperature	Catalysts	Reversible Reactions & Dynamic Equilibrium
You will investigate the Effect of temperature on Rate of Reaction. • Independent variable: temperature of sodium thiosulfate • Dependent variable: time taken for cross to disappear. • Control variable: amount of hydrochloric acid, concentration of solution, concentration of hydrochloric acid Temperature • Particles turn heat energy into kinetic energy • When they get hotter they move faster • When they move faster they collide more frequently • Particles have more energy at higher temperatures • More collisions with energy higher than the activation energy (more effective collisions)	 Catalysts speed up the rate of reaction without getting used up (same amount at the start as you have at then end) unlike the reactants. Catalysts are specific to reactions. Catalysts lower the reaction's activation energy (Ea). They do this by providing an alternative pathway This reduces the energy needed to start a reaction Lower activation energy means more collisions with energy higher than the activation energy. (more effective collisions) 	 Sometimes reactions can reverse themselves, and the products change back to being reactants again. REACTANTS ⇒ PRODUCTS A reversible reaction is a reaction that occurs in both the forward and reverse direction. It is represented by the symbol ⇒ The amount of energy released in one direction must be the same as the energy absorbed in the opposite direction. hydrated copper sulphate The forward reaction requires heat – it is endothermic Blue → White The backwards reaction gives out heat – it is exothermic White → Blue Equilibrium is when the rate of the forward reaction is equal to the rate of the backward reaction. There is no observable change For equilibrium to occur: Closed system Reversible reaction During equilibrium: Concentrations of products and reactants stay the same. But the concentrations are not necessarily equal

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Lesson 8 Le Chatelier's Principle (Higher Tier)

- Describes how the position of equilibria changes to favour the forward or backward reaction
- Equilibrium shifts to reduce change
- When conditions are changed the reaction will do everything it can to counteract the change

Changes:

- If you increase the temperature it will try and reduce it
- If you increase the concentration of the reactants it will try and get rid of some
- If you increase the pressure it will try and reduce it
- If you add a catalyst...
- The position of equilibrium doesn't change (but it will speed up the forward and backward reaction equally)

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Lesson 1 **Atomic structure** nucleus proton neutron Proton Electron Neutron Relative 1 1/2000 (very small) mass -1 Relative +1 charge In the In the Orbits the Location

The diameter of an atom is approximately:
 1x10⁻¹⁰ m and the diameter of the nucleus is
 1/10,000 of this.

nucleus

nucleus in

energy

levels

nucleus

- **Electrons orbit** in the nucleus **in energy levels**.
- Electromagnetic radiation can be absorbed by electrons, increasing their energy and causing them to move to a higher energy level (further from the nucleus).
- When their energy decreases and they move to a lower energy level, electromagnetic energy is emitted.
- An ion is an atom that has gained or lost one or more electrons.
- The process of turning atoms into ions is called ionisation, and occurs when electrons are given enough energy to remove them from their orbit completely.

Lesson 2 Isotopes and the nuclear model

- The **atomic number** is the number of protons (the number of electrons is equal to this in an atom, but not an ion.)
- The relative atomic mass is the total number of protons and neutrons.
- Atoms of the same element can have different numbers of neutrons; these atoms are called **isotopes** of that element.
- The plum pudding model suggested that the atom is a ball of positive charge with negative electrons embedded in it.
- Rutherford's experiment provides evidence for the nuclear model of the atom.
- Alpha particles were fired at gold foil in a vacuum. The paths taken by the alpha particle led to the development of the nuclear model.
- The plum pudding model was rejected as it could not explain these results.
- Niels Bohr adapted the nuclear model by suggesting that electrons orbit the nucleus at specific distances. The theoretical calculations of Bohr agreed with experimental observations.
- The experimental work of James Chadwick provided the evidence to show the existence of neutrons within the nucleus. This was about 20 years after the nucleus became an accepted scientific idea.

Lesson 3 Nuclear radiation

- Some atomic nuclei are unstable. The nucleus gives out radiation as it changes to become more stable. This is a random process called **radioactive decay**.
- Radiation is dangerous because it is ionising it can turn atoms into ions. The more strongly ionising a form of radiation is the more dangerous it is.

or radiation is the more dangerous it is.				
	Alpha Particle Beta Particle		Gamma Ray	
	α	β	Υ	
What is it?	Helium nucleus	An electron	Electromagnetic radiation from the nucleus	
Charge	positive	negative	neutral	
Range in air	a few cm	a few metres	> 1 km	
Absorber materials	stopped by paper	stopped by thin aluminium	thick lead or concrete	
Ionisation	strong	weak	very weak	
Speed	slow	fast	speed of light	

Lesson 4				
	Nuc	lear equation	ons	
	Alpha	Beta	Gamma	Neutron
Symbol	α	β	Υ	n
Change to mass number of nucleus	-4	0	0	-1
Change to atomic number of nucleus	-2	+1	0	0
Short description of change	Two neutrons and two protons, it is the same as a helium nucleus.	A high speed electron ejected from the nucleus as a neutron turns into a proton.	Electromagnetic radiation from the nucleus	A neutron is ejected from the nucleus

- Nuclear equations are used to represent radioactive decay.
- In a nuclear equation, an alpha particle may be represented by the symbol:

and a beta particle by the symbol:

$$_{-1}^{0}e$$

- Alpha and beta decay may cause a change in the mass and/or charge of the nucleus.
- The general rule for alpha decay is:

$${}_{Z}^{A}X \rightarrow {}_{Z-2}^{A-4}Y + {}_{2}^{4}He$$

• The general rule for **beta decay** is:

$$_{Z}^{A}X \rightarrow _{Z+1}^{A}Y + _{-1}^{0}e$$

• The general rule for gamma decay is:

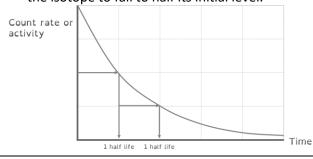
$$_{7}^{A}X \rightarrow _{7}^{A}X + _{0}^{0}\gamma$$

• The general rule **neutron emission** is:

$${}_{Z}^{A}X \rightarrow {}^{A-1}_{Z}Y + {}_{0}^{1}n$$

Lesson 5 Half-life

- Activity is the rate at which a source of unstable nuclei decays. Activity is measured in becquerel (Bq)
- Count-rate is the number of decays recorded each second by a detector (eg Geiger-Muller tube).
- Radioactive decay is random it is not possible to predict:
 - When a particular nucleus will decay.
 - How long it will be before the next nucleus decays.
- Radioactive decay is spontaneous there is nothing you can do to change the rate at which an isotope decays.
- Whilst we can't make predictions about individual nuclei we can find the average time it takes for half of the undecayed nuclei to decay.
- The half-life of a radioactive isotope is the time it takes for the number of nuclei of the isotope in a sample to halve, or the time it takes for the count rate (or activity) from a sample containing the isotope to fall to half its initial level.



Lessons 6 +7 Irradiation and contamination

- Exposure to radiation (called "dose") is measured in Sieverts (Sv). The dose is a measure of the risk of harm.
- Dose adds up ("cumulative")
- Scientists have studied the effect of radiation on humans.
- Their findings are published and shared with other scientists so they can be checked – this is called peer review.
- Peer review is an important part of scientific research.
- The hazard from radiation can be reduced by:
 - Spending as little time as possible in at-risk areas.
 - Keeping as far away as possible

 using long-handled tools if possible.
 - Staying behind lead or concrete barriers/shields
- An object is irradiated if it is exposed to radiation. It does not become radioactive.
- Radioactive contamination is the unwanted presence of materials containing radioactive atoms on other materials.