

A level Geography Reading list

Core Textbooks:

AQA A-level Geography, published by Hodder. ISBN 978-1-4718-5869-7

[Amazon link](#)

AQA Geography, A -level & AS Physical Geography, published by Oxford. ISBN 978-0-19-836651-5

[Amazon link](#)

AQA Geography, A -level & AS Human Geography, published by Oxford. ISBN 978-0-19-836654-6

[Amazon link](#)

We have several copies of all of these available in MV12 for lesson use & the LRC also has copies.

AS/A level Geography for AQA Student book, published by Cambridge. ISBN 978-1316606322

We have a copy of this available in the Geography office.

Revision books:

AQA AS/A-level Geography, my revision notes, published by Hodder. ISBN 978-1-4718-8671-3

A-Level Geography, Complete revision & practice, published by CGP. ISBN 978-1-78294-648-9

Other reading to support the course:

Student guide. Geography Component 1: Physical Geography, published by Hodder. ISBN

978-1-4718-6404-9

Student guide. Geography Component 2: Human Geography, published by Hodder. ISBN

978-1-4718-6403-0

Student guide. Geography Component 3: Hazards, population & the environment, published by Hodder.

ISBN 978-1-4718-6418-6

Student guide. Geography Component 4: Geographical skills & fieldwork, published by Hodder. ISBN

978-1-4718-6417-9

Aiming for an A* in Geography, written by Simon Oakes, published by Hodder. ISBN 978-1-5104-2408-1

Essential Maths Skills for AS/A-level Geography, written by Helen Harris, published by Hodder. ISBN

978-1-4718-6355-4

Water and carbon cycles, written by C McDonnell. ISBN 978-1-5355-7196-8

Topic Master Series:

Simon Oakes, (2018) A-level Geography Topic Master: Changing Places, Hodder Education. ISBN

978-1-5104-2753-2

Peter Stiff, (2018) A-level Geography Topic Master: Coastal Landscapes, Hodder Education. ISBN

978-1-5104-3462-2

Garrett Nagle & Andrew Davies, (2018) A-level Geography Topic Master: The water & carbon cycles, Hodder Education. ISBN 978-1-5104-3461-5

Simon Oakes (2019) A-level Geography Topic Master: Global Systems, Hodder Education. ISBN 978-1510427938

Bob Digby & Sue Warn (2020) A-level Geography Topic Master: Global Governance, Hodder Education. ISBN 978-1-5104-2789-1

Top Spec Geography series:

Rawlings, Oakes & Owens (2016) Top Spec Geography: Changing Places, Geographical Association

Dunn & Degg (2012) Top Spec Geography: Tectonic Hazards, Geographical Association.

Debbie Milton & Gerd Masselink (2018) Top Spec Geography: Coasts, Geographical Association.

Katie Willis & Paul Wright (2020) Top Spec Geography: Migration and Global Governance, Geographical Association.

Dan Cowling & Bob Digby (2010) Top Spec Geography: Health Issues in Geography, Geographical Association

The Topic Masters and Top Spec Geography chapters are all linked into your topic reading lists. We also have some copies of these books in the geography office and the Library also has a copy of each of these.

The complete A-Z Geography handbook, published by Hodder. ISBN 0-340-77217-4 (Copies available in MV12.)

Geography - An integrated approach, written by David Waugh, published by Nelson Thornes. ISBN 978-1-4085-0407-9 (Copies in MV12.)

Journals & magazines:

Geography Review magazine, published by Hodder - These are published 4 times a year and the LRC has all copies dating back for several years. They have relevant articles to the course (some are shared as your consolidation reading) as well as exam and geographical skills.

Issues online - Username: Schoollibrary Password: 14274

Articles on climate change, population, migration & immigration, energy, environment & sustainability....

Topic specific reading lists:

[Water & carbon cycles](#)

[Coasts](#)

[Hazards](#)

[Global systems & global governance](#)

[Changing places](#)

[Population & the environment](#)

Linked reading:

Disaster by Choice - Ilan Kelman - *A fascinating book looking at how humans influence 'natural' disasters and covers several recent examples around the world.*

[When the rivers run dry - Fred Pearce](#) - 1 copy in the LRC

The Almighty Dollar - Dharshini David - *The story of how a dollar travels around the world through the global economy. Really useful for 'Global systems & global governance' & extra useful for any of you studying Economics!*

Prisoners of Geography, Tim Marshall

Factfulness - Hans Rosling

This is London - Ben Judah

London - Edward Rutherfurd

[The Kite Runner - Khaled Hosseini](#) - 1 copy in the LRC & as an eBook or Audiobook (Some upsetting parts)

A thousand splendid suns - Khaled Hosseini (Available in the LRC & as an audiobook via the e-library)

The Beekeeper of Aleppo - Christy Lefteri

Shanghai Girls - Lisa See (Some upsetting parts?)

[Martin Luther King - Autobiography](#) (*Apartheid, Sense of Place - several books in the LRC*)

[South Africa Since Apartheid - Sean Sheehan](#) - 1 copy in the LRC (*Apartheid, Sense of Place*)

Geography: Ideas in Profile - Danny Dorling

Wider watching:

Slumdog Millionaire - *Dharavi slums - Sense of Place*

The Impossible - Hazards - 2004 Indonesian Tsunami

City of God

Invictus - Nelson Mandela

Darfur

The Full Monty- Places - *Great for context for your Places case study of Sheffield.*

8 mile - Sense of Place

The Day After Tomorrow

The Last King of Scotland (*Some upsetting scenes*)

Under the Dome - Documentary on China's pollution

An Inconvenient Truth - 2006 film by Al Gore

Blood Diamond

Before the Flood

[Geographical TED Talks](#)

[Netflix documentaries](#)

[RGS Podcast](#)