

<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/as-and-a-level/geography-7037>

## Why Geography?

Saint Gregory's has held the prestigious Secondary Geography Quality Mark by the Geographical Association since 2014 in recognition of the quality of teaching, learning and exam results.

Geography A level will excite your minds and challenge your perceptions. If you have an interest in people, the natural environment and world cities you will really enjoy this current, contemporary and very relevant course. With a mixture of human, physical and environmental geography, you will explore real issues facing the world such as population growth and the impact of natural hazards on people around the world.

If you love learning in the outdoors, be it in cities or the countryside, Geography A level is an obvious choice.

## Residential Trip

A compulsory five day residential trip to Slapton Field Studies Centre in Devon where you will undertake an individual investigative research project for the Non-Exam Assessment (NEA).

## Assessment

40% - Paper 1 - Physical Geography  
40% - Paper 2 - Human Geography  
20% - Component 3 - NEA Fieldwork Investigation  
Research Project of 3,000-4,000 words

## Recommended Reading

AQA A level Geography Student Book and Revision Guides (2016)

<https://www.geography.org.uk>

<https://www.rgs.org>

## Recommended Entry Requirements

Grade 5 GCSE Geography

Grade 5 GCSE Mathematics

## Future Pathways

University degrees, apprenticeships and careers in Teaching, Conservation, Environmental Management, Logistics, Marine Biology, Oceanography, Cartography, Town Planning, Surveying, Real Estate and Urban Regeneration. .

## Complementary A Levels

Biology, Chemistry, Maths, Physics, History, Philosophy Ethics & Religion, English

## Extra & Super Curricular

Numerous Geographical Association events throughout the year at UWE Bristol

Visit to the MShed Museum in Bristol

Join the Geographical Association

*“Geography at A Level is not what I expected - it is even better!”*