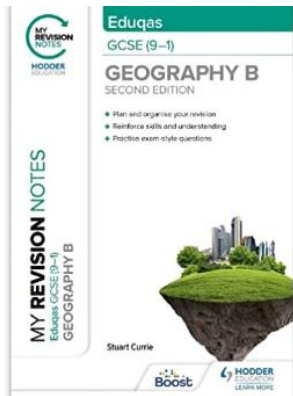


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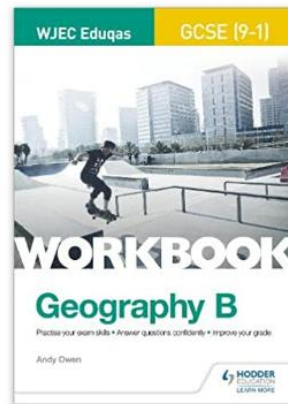


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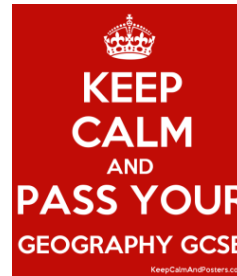


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Essential geography exam equipment:

- Several **black** pens
- 2 Sharp pencils
- 30cm ruler
- Calculator
- Clear bottle of water



Mrs Etienne's top revision tips:

- Create flash cards for learning key words and definitions
- Create mind maps to consolidate key concepts of topics and how ideas interrelate
- Practice exam questions – especially 6, 8 and 12 marks
- Practice planning exam questions and structure

Geography revision sessions: Check the window of HU1 for updates

Key exam information:

- Your child has been studying the WJEC EDUQAS Spec B course in GCSE geography
- They will sit 3 exams:
 - 1 hour and 45 minutes x1
 - 1 hour and 30 minutes x2

Useful websites:

<https://www.internetgeography.net/gcse-geography-revision/>

<https://timeforgeography.co.uk/>

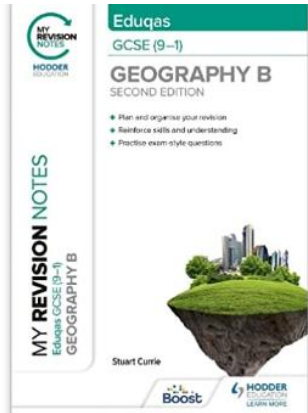
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Topics we have studied:

- Theme 1: UK cities, global cities and development.
- Theme 2: Coasts, rivers, weather and climate and climate change
- Theme 3: Ecosystems, water and management, desertification.
- Applied Fieldwork

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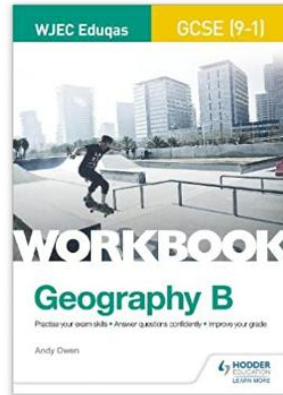


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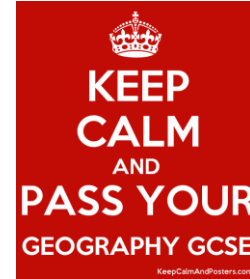
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Mandatory fieldwork trip:

- Your child will attend a fieldwork trip, **this is usually in the summer term of Y10 TBC**. This is daytrip and we try our best to ensure it is within normal school hours but it can sometimes mean a later collection time.
- A letter with specific details will be sent nearer the time.

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- Practice planning exam questions and structure



Key exam information:

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- They will sit 3 exams in the summer of 2024
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 - 1 hour and 30 minutes x2

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Topics we will study:

- Theme 1: UK cities, global cities and development.
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- Theme 3: Ecosystems, water and management, desertification.
- Fieldwork

Notes: