

YEAR 12 GEOGRAPHY A LEVEL REVISION – END OF YEAR EXAMS

You need to start revising for your end of year exams. You will be tested on Contemporary Urban Environments (48), Coastal Systems (36) Water & Carbon Cycle (36): Total = 120 marks.

The Exam Paper will be 2 hours 30 minutes.

Resources to use:

- Your files!
- A level text book – read it and make a word list
- Create mind maps, use mnemonics, post it note displays, revision clocks
- **www.quizlet.com**
- Exam paper practice
- **www.senecalearning.com**

Revision programme

DATE	Contemporary Urban Environments (48)	Coastal Systems and landscapes (36)	Water & Carbon Cycles (36)
15/4/24	Key Words Patterns of Urbanisation Processes of urbanisation	Key Words Coastal processes	Keywords Systems framework
22/4/24	Economic inequality, social segregation, cultural diversity	Coastal landforms - erosion	The Water Cycle
29/4/24	Urban forms, urban policies	Coastal landforms - deposition	The Carbon Cycle
06/5/24	Climate, drainage & waste disposal	Coastal management – strategies and approaches	Water, carbon, and climate.
13/5/24	Other contemporary environmental issues. Sustainable Cities	Case studies - Holderness	Case Study – Tropical Rainforest
20/5/24	Leeds Mumbai	Case Study - Sundarbans	Case Study – Upland Management/River Exe
Half term	Practice Questions	Practice Questions	Practice Questions
03/6/24	Revision of above	Revision of above	Revision of above

How to revise

The key is to apply your knowledge. Don't just re-write notes and copy them out. Practice and learn them! Here are some strategies that will help you. Then use active recall by doing practise exam questions.

MNEMONICS - Teaching Strategy
Help students retrieve information using this memory technique

Why Use Mnemonics? Short term memory can only hold limited information. Mnemonics are cues for memory retrieval. By grouping smaller bits of information into larger groups, more information is retained.

How to Incorporate? PEMDAS

Example: (Hand holding a pen)



Powerful Flashcards

- 1) Retrieve (don't cheat!)
- 2) Re-order (shuffle and interleave)
- 3) Repeat (at least 3 times)

*Just like lather, rinse, repeat!

Remember to switch off your phone and find a quiet place to work.