

Year 7 Geography Overview

Autumn 1 – What is Geography?

Students are introduced to geography at Friern Barnet School by gaining awareness of the difference between human and physical geography. We then focus on map skills where the students develop an understanding of latitude, longitude, grid references, height and scale.

Autumn 2 – How important is tourism?

Students are taught how tourism can be a positive to a country with reference to South Africa. Students will develop their ability to make a geographical decision.

Spring 1 – How dangerous is Climate Change?

Students are taught the difference between weather and climate before investigating the causes and consequences of climate change

Spring 2 – What are the factors limiting Africa's development?

Students complete the year by investigating the diverse nature of Africa's geography and consider the many factors that have limited its development.

Summer 1 – Why are Rivers important?

Studies investigate the key features of a River Basin and examples of how human actions can increase the risk of a flood.

Summer 2 – What Opportunities and Challenges do Biomes bring?

Students study the global location of biomes before specialising in tropical rainforests, investigating the benefits of the rich biodiversity and the increased threats of deforestation.