



## QPHS Year 8 Curriculum Map

Half term	Title	Unit summary	Assessment
1	<b>Dangerous Planet</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tectonic Theory</li> <li>• Mount Nyiragongo Volcano Case study</li> <li>• Hurricane Sandy Tropical Storm Case study</li> </ul>	Students will complete a mixed-question 40 minute ALA. This will include a combination of multiple choice and long answer question on the effects of tropical storms.
2	<b>Population</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Demographic Transition Model</li> <li>• Causes of uneven development.</li> <li>• Population controls – China One Child Policy Case Study.</li> </ul>	Students will complete a mixed-question 40 minute ALA. This will include a combination of multiple choice and long answer question on the causes of uneven development.
3	<b>How well do you know the UK?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the difference between the UK, Great Britain and the British Isles?</li> <li>• How is our country run?</li> <li>• How as the population of the UK changed ?</li> </ul>	Students will complete a mixed-question 45 minute ALA. This will include a combination of multiple choice and long answer question on the impacts of population change.
4	<b>Glaciation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How are glaciers formed?</li> <li>• Glacial landforms</li> <li>• Opportunities and challenges in glacial landscapes.</li> </ul>	Students will complete a mixed-question 45 minute ALA. This will include a combination of multiple choice and long answer question on the formation of glacial landforms.
5	<b>Factfulness</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How do levels of development differ around the world ?</li> <li>• What are some common misconceptions about global development ?</li> </ul>	Students will study 3 common misconceptions about global levels of development. They will choose one example, and write a TED talk style speech about how we can challenge misconceptions based on evidence.
6	<b>Tropical Rainforests</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where are tropical rainforests located ?</li> <li>• How do plants and animals survive in the tropical rainforests ?</li> <li>• Opportunities and challenges in the tropical rainforest.</li> </ul>	Students will complete a mixed-question 45 minute ALA. This will include a combination of multiple choice and long answer question on the opportunities and challenges in tropical rainforests.

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