

Y7 GEOGRAPHY REVISION CHECKLIST

MAP SKILLS

- ☐ What are the four key features that every good map should have?
- ☐ What are the main compass directions?
- ☐ How do you use scale to work out the distance from one place to another on a map?
- ☐ Basic map symbols – places of worship, train stations, roads, viewpoints, telephone, information, nature reserve, museum, parking, etc.
- ☐ How do you find a 4 figure grid reference?
- ☐ How do you find a 6 figure grid reference?
- ☐ How is the height of the land shown on maps?

COASTS

- ☐ What causes waves?
- ☐ What is erosion?
- ☐ What are the four types of erosion and how do they work at the coast?
- ☐ Which erodes faster – soft rock or hard rock? Why?
- ☐ How are headlands and bays formed?
- ☐ How are caves, arches, stacks and stumps formed?
- ☐ What is transportation?
- ☐ How does sediment get transported along a coast?
- ☐ What is deposition?
- ☐ When do waves deposit sediment?
- ☐ How are spits formed?
- ☐ How are beaches formed?
- ☐ What is the difference between hard engineering and soft engineering?
- ☐ What are sea walls? How do they protect the coast? Advantage and disadvantage?
- ☐ What are groynes? How do they protect the coast? Advantage and disadvantage?
- ☐ What is rock armour? How do they protect the coast? Advantage and disadvantage?
- ☐ What is beach nourishment? How do they protect the coast? Advantage and disadvantage?

SETTLEMENTS AND UK

- ☐ What is the settlement hierarchy?
- ☐ What are natural advantages? Examples?
- ☐ How did our towns and cities grow?
- ☐ What is urbanisation?
- ☐ How has urbanisation changed over time?
- ☐ Where is most urbanisation happening?
- ☐ What is rural-to-urban migration? How does it cause urbanisation?
- ☐ What are push factors? Give two examples.
- ☐ What are pull factors? Give two examples.
- ☐ How does urbanisation impact rural areas?
- ☐ How does urbanisation impact urban areas?
- ☐ What is a slum?
- ☐ What are some positive aspects about life in slums?
- ☐ What are some negative aspects about life in slums?
- ☐ How can the conditions in slums be improved?
- ☐ What countries make up Great Britain?
- ☐ What countries make up the UK?
- ☐ What countries make up the British Isles?

RIVERS

- ☐ What are some of the major rivers around the UK and where are they located?
- ☐ What is the water cycle and how does it link to river processes?
- ☐ What processes can a river do to shape the land?
- ☐ What are the different stages along a river's long profile and how does the characteristics of the river change as you move downstream?
- ☐ How are erosional landforms of the upper course formed (v-shaped valleys, waterfalls, gorges)?
- ☐ How are landforms of the middle course formed (meanders and ox-bow lakes)?
- ☐ How are depositional landforms of the lower course formed (floodplains)?
- ☐ What challenges do we face in managing rivers in terms of flooding and water quality?
- ☐ How can we effectively manage rivers and water resources?