

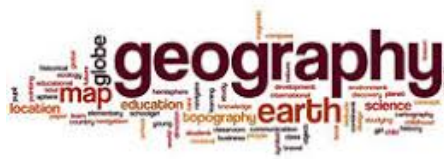


MARICOURT SIXTH FORM CENTRE

GEOGRAPHY

WHAT IS IT?

Geography combines well with almost any subject at A level as part of preparation for University and most offer a wide variety of Geography based degree courses. Employers tend to like Geography graduates because their skills of research and analysis make them very employable. The study of Geography enables you to be inspired by your natural surroundings and will enable you to engage critically with real world issues and places. The course enables you to grow as an independent thinker and to become informed and engaged citizens, who understand the role and importance of Geography as one of the key disciplines relevant to understanding the changing world.



REQUIREMENTS

GCSE Geography—Grade 6
GCSE English Language—Grade 5

ASSESSMENT

Module 1: Physical Geography.
Written paper – 2 hours. (30% of total A-level mark)
Module 2: Human Geography.
Written paper – 2 hours. (30% of total A level mark)
Module 3: Synoptic Themes.
Written paper – 1 hours 45 minutes (20% of total A level mark)
Module 4: Independent investigation. Non-examined assessment. (20% of total A-level mark)

CONTENT

The course aims to provide a link between physical, human and environmental Geography. You will develop a knowledge and understanding of geographical change – locally, nationally and globally through enhancing your knowledge of locations, places, processes and environments. This will help you to understand the importance of people-environment interactions and to appreciate how these underpin our understanding of some of the key issues facing the world today.