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YEAR 7

Population and Urbanisation and the Rise and Fall of Industry

This term your child will be expanding their knowledge of how population has changed over time impacting upon urban areas. They will then use this to consider how industry has changed alongside this.

Over the course of the term your child will learn:

- How world population has changed over time and the reasons for this.
- Attempts to control the change in a population over time focusing on China and Russia's population issues.
- Focus on movement from rural areas to urban areas over time.
- How larger cities are impacting different areas around the world with a specific focus on growth in Mumbai.
- The UK economy focusing on the different job sectors and how these provide differing opportunities.
- A specific focus on the primary sector with farming, mining and fishing.
- An in-depth look at industrialisation and deindustrialisation in the UK and the impacts on our population.

YEAR 8

Russia and the Importance of Rivers

Exploring Africa and Asia

This term your child will be expanding their knowledge of the country of Russia to decide whether their Geography is a blessing or a curse? They will then focus on the importance of water to civilisation and rivers to us in the UK.

Over the course of the term your child will learn:

- What is Russia like as a country and is it just a frozen wasteland?
- Whether Russia's size and natural resources are beneficial to the development of the country?
- How people can live in the coldest place on earth?
- Why Rivers are an important resource and how we use Rivers to our own benefit.
- How rivers forge and shape the land through a variety of different processes.
- How our actions as a population can affect rivers through pollution and deforestation.

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YEAR 9

Middle East and Global & UK Resources

This term your child will be expanding their knowledge of the country of the Middle East to decide whether their Geography is a blessing or a curse? They will then focus on the importance of water, food and energy within the UK.

Over the course of the term your child will learn:

- Where is the Middle East and what is the main climate zone there? How does this effect the region?
- Is the most important resource there Black Gold? And how do they use this to promote development?
- Why is the region important? And how does it compare to other world regions?
- How food, water and energy resources are spread around the globe.
- The provision of water, food and energy in this country and where we gain our resources from.
- Whether there are any issues with our supply and how we can solve these?