

Fullbrook 6 Preparing for A-levels

Subject: **Geography**

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Resources for September:

- Pearson Edexcel A level Geography Book 1 ISBN: 978-1398312555
- Pearson Edexcel A level Geography Book 2 ISBN: 978-1398312555
- Pearson REVISE Edexcel AS/A Level Geography Revision Guide & Workbook ISBN: 978-1292270333

Resources for summer: Developing as a geographer – through general reading around / watching videos / listening to podcasts etc. to develop your geographical knowledge and understanding

Online News article

- **BBC News** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news> - an excellent source of up to date articles
- **The Guardian** <https://www.theguardian.com/uk> - keep an eye on the Environment, Science, Society, Global Development stories in particular!

Podcasts

- **Costing the Earth** – <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b006r4wn/episodes/player> Many topics, including.. climate change, carbon, urban greening, deforestation, alternative power, plastics etc.
- **Royal Geographical Society** – “Ask the Geographer” podcasts - <https://www.rgs.org/schools/teaching-resources/ask-the-expert-podcasts/> A fantastic set of podcasts to keep A Level studies up-to-date with the latest geographical research

Books

- **Prisoners of Geography** (Marshall, T) – an insightful book which helps understand how physical geography impacts on political reality and really helps to understand how decisions of world leaders have been shaped by geography – a great introduction to geopolitics.
- **Factfulness:** Ten reasons we’re wrong about the world – and why things are better than you think (Rosling, H 2019) – this is a must-read book from a geography perspective – this takes a more realistic view of the world, presenting issues in fact-based context.

Geographical documentaries

- **The Americas with Simon Reeve** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/m00095p0/theamericas-with-simon-reeve>
- **Before the Flood** (2016) (PG) – National Geographic <https://www.filmsforaction.org/watch/before-the-flood-2016/> (presented by Leonardo DiCaprio – exploring climate change and looking at what needs to be done today to prevent catastrophic disruption of life on our planet.

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