Subject: Geography Year Group: 12

Scheme title	Coastal landscapes and change	Techtonic processes and hazards	
	Enquiry question 1: Why are coastal	Enquiry question 1: Why are some	
	landscapes different and what	locations more at risk from tectonic	
	processes cause these differences?	hazards?	
	2B.1 The coast, and wider littoral zone,	1.1 The global distribution of	
	has distinctive features and	tectonic hazards can be explained	
	landscapes.	by plate boundary and other tectonic	
	2B.2 Geological structure influences the	processes.	
	development of coastal landscapes at a	1.2 There are theoretical frameworks	
	variety of scales.	that attempt to explain plate	
	2B.3 Rates of coastal recession and	movements.	
	stability depend on lithology and	1.3 Physical processes explain the	
	other factors.	causes of tectonic hazards.	
	Enquiry question 2: How do	Enquiry question 2: Why do some	
	characteristic coastal landforms	tectonic hazards develop into disasters?	
	contribute to	1.4 Disaster occurrence can be	
	coastal landscapes?	explained by the relationship between	
	2B.4 Marine erosion creates	hazards, vulnerability,	
	Distinctive coastal landforms and	resilience and disaster.	
	contributes to coastal landscapes.	1.5 Tectonic hazard profiles are	
	2B.5 Sediment transport and deposition	important to an understanding of	
	create distinctive landforms and	contrasting hazard impacts,	
	contribute to coastal	vulnerability and resilience.	
	landscapes.	1.6 Development and governance are	
	2B.6 Subaerial processes of mass	important in understanding	
	movement and weathering influence	disaster impact and vulnerability	
	coastal landforms and	and resilience.	
Knowledge in	contribute to coastal landscapes.	Enquiry question 3: How successful is	
sequence	Enquiry question 3: How do coastal	the management of tectonic	

Skills

- (1) GIS mapping of the variety of coastal landscapes, both for and beyond the UK.
- coastlines to attempt to classify them.
- (3) Field sketches of contrasting coastal landscapes.
- (4) Using measures of central tendency to classify waves into destructive and constructive wave types.
- (5) Using student t-test to investigate changes in pebble size and shape along a drift

aligned beach and also across the littoral zone to above the storm beach.

- (6) Map and aerial interpretation of distinctive landforms indicating past of sea level change.
- (7) Use of GIS, aerial photos and maps to calculate recession rates for a variety of

temporal rates (annual changes and longer-term changes).

cells to ascertain land use values and develop cost/benefit analysis to inform the

(8) Interrogation of GIS of management

choice of coastal management strategy.

- (1) Analysis of hazard distribution patterns on world and regional scale maps.
- (2) Satellite interpretation of a variety of (2) Use of block diagrams to identify key features of different plate boundary settings.
 - (3) Analysis of tsunami time-travel maps to aid prediction.
 - (4) Use of correlation techniques to analyse links between magnitude of events, deaths and damage.
 - (5) Statistical analysis of contrasting events of similar magnitude to compare deaths and damage.
 - (6) Interrogation of large data sets to assess data reliability and to identify and interpret complex trends.
 - (7) Use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) to identify hazard risk zones and degree of risk related to physical and human geographical features.

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	management, conflict, littoral cells, shoreline management plan, strategic		
Key Words	realignment, holistic approach		
End Point	Paper 1 Section B 40 marks	Paper 1 Section A 16 marks	
Assessment method	EQ1 assessment- 20 marks 20 minutes EQ2 assessment-40 mark assessment 40 minutes covering aspects of EQ1. EQ3 assessment- 60 marks 60 minutes covering EQ1 EQ2 and EQ3. EQ4 assessment- 60 marks 60 minutes, assessment based on Hazards and Coasts	EQ1 assessment- 20 marks 20 minutes EQ2 assessment-40 mark assessment 40 minutes covering aspects of EQ1. EQ3 assessment- 60 marks 60 minutes covering EQ1 EQ2 and EQ3. EQ4 assessment- 60 marks 60 minutes, assessment based on Techtonic proccesses.	