



Geography

Intent: To inspire curiosity about the world around us.

The intent of Geography at Beckfoot is to provide students with an understanding of the world and their place in it, with a firm grasp of physical and human Geography. We will also instil empathy as a global citizen and an appreciation in developing a better world for the future. Students will be custodians of the environment. At Beckfoot a Geographer will show a passion for learning through enquiry.

Confident Communicators

Knowledgeable and Expert Learners

Committed community contributors

Future Ready Young People

Intent

What are we trying to achieve?

Geography supports learners' ability to construct well-argued, well-informed, balanced and structured written arguments to discuss, evaluate and analyse.

Our students are encouraged to develop a detailed knowledge of real world examples and the use of detailed knowledge to support their points. Our use of knowledge organisers creates confidence in this learning.

Our intent as a subject is to inspire curiosity about the world around us and develop learners to become global citizen and an appreciation in developing a better world for the future.

The Geography curriculum develops a range of employable skills: analysis and evaluation, researching and supporting arguments. Students will also have opportunities to present their ideas and argue their opinions.

The key concepts that run through your subject are...

- Physical processes- Students need to be explain how the sequence of the formation of geographical features or the process of geographical events e.g formation of volcano.
- Opportunities and challenges- Students need to be able to identify and explain how events in Geography can create opportunities (positive impacts) as well as challenges (negative impacts). At a higher level student need to be able to evaluate and discuss solutions.
- Sustainability- The need to meet the needs of the present without compromising the needs of the future.
- Interdependence- The dependence of two or more things on each other.