

A Level Geography Preparation

The following tasks will cover different themes which we will be learning about in Y12. Please complete them and submit your work to me via email: Maisie.green@northoxfordshire-academy.org by Friday 29th August. If you cannot access the links please let me know.

At NOA we study the Edexcel A Level specification. I will give you more information on this in September but here is the web link if you are interested in looking yourself before then:
<https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/qualifications/edexcel-a-levels/geography-2016.html>

I look forward to seeing you in September 😊

Tasks:

1. **2 hours: Watch this school lecture from Royal Holloway University about managing coastal landscapes:**
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=65h30slg00s&list=PLQygHVIU1mb2vZbMJKbfDePtjN4XR0P8P>
Make notes on the following:
 - What management strategies are already in place?
 - How is the sediment budget changing?
 - What are the impacts on humans?
 - What role do local authorities play?
2. **Read this article:** <https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2020/jan/05/rebel-alliance-formed-to-halt-disneyfication-of-edinburgh>
 - Who are the main stakeholders in Edinburgh?
 - What are their attitudes about the Hogmanay (new years) changes?
 - How has Globalisation (the world becoming more interconnected) impacted Edinburgh?
3. **Answer the following essay question: Assess the social causes of vulnerability to disasters.**
 - This should follow the AKUU structure you are already used to
 - Ensure you have a clear introduction and conclusion which shows your judgement throughout about which factor is most significant.

Use the following resources to help you:

- Podcast: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m000b0c7>
- Article: <https://www.preventionweb.net/understanding-disaster-risk/component-risk/vulnerability>