HIGHDOWN SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM CENTRE ON THE ROAD TO POST-16 STUDY









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Read/Research	Watch/Listen	Revisit	Other Tasks
 Factfulness (Hans Rosling) Prisoners of Geography (Tim Marshall) The New Silk Roads (Peter Frankopan) How population change will transform our world (Sarah Harper) No one is too small to make a difference (Greta Thunberg) Flood (Richard Doyle) The Water Wars (Cameron Stracher) Empire: How Britain made the modern world (Niall Ferguson) Urban theory – a critical 	Watch/Listen ■ An Inconvenient Truth and An Inconvenient Sequel ■ Blue Gold – world water wars ■ Flood (2007) ■ Syriana (YouTube – 2005) ■ Watch some Ted Talks: ○ We need to track the world's water like we track the weather ○ My country will be underwater soon unless we work together ○ How we could change the planet's climate future ■ Watch some Gresham College lectures:	Revisit Look back at your GCSE work on the following themes: Resource Management Climate Change Coasts Development Tectonic Hazards Urban challenges and opportunities Economy of the UK Globalisation Nigeria, a newly emerging economy	 Collect newspaper articles / create a scrapbook about articles linked to hazard events, coasts, economic development, globalisation, energy or water Pick a country of the world that you have never studied or visited before. Research its human, physical and environmental geographical characteristics and features? What are the human, physical and environmental issues it's facing? What is it doing about these?
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	challenge for 21st Century

- The Secret History of our streets (Portland road especially relevant)
- 'Straight Outta Compton' (18)
- 8 Mile (18)
- The Way Home (2002)
- The Cup (1999)
- Globalisation The rise of networks
- Empire: How Britain made the modern world
- Russia with Simon Reeve
- The Americas with Simon Reece
- On the frontline of Ukraine's proxy war between the West and Russia
- BBC Documentary Earth Under water

- How could you investigate urban regeneration in Reading?
 Field work techniques – find out
- Keep up to date with recent developments between the various superpowers. E.g. US-China relations, emergence of BRICs and MINT countries and the implications for regional and global superpower geographies.
- Find out how have patterns of power changed over time? E.g. British Empire, World Wars, Cold war, US global dominance
- How are decisions made on a regional and international scale?
 Which groups are involved?
- Research some of the major causes of migration. Where are people migrating to and from? What implications do these migrations have for host and source countries?
- Explore how technological development is helping address a range of geographical issues.