

# Promoting Independence at KS5



<b>Student Name:</b>		<b>Teacher Initials:</b>		<b>Subject:</b>	Geography
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In order to be successful at KS5 you will need to do lots of independent learning and take accountability for your learning. These tasks will allow you to apply your learning to the real world and explore the impact of the theory and concepts you have been learning in your subjects.

You will find below some suggestions for activities you could do throughout the year. Some of them are one-off tasks, but some of them, such as watching news bulletins and reading magazines, should become regular habits. Keep this learning log and all your evidence. This independent learning will stretch and build on your capability in this subject.

<b>Task (in no particular order)</b>	<b>Completed (date/s)</b>	<b>Evidence seen (date/s &amp; teacher's initials)</b>
<i>Task 1: Read the "Prisoners of Geography" and produce an A4 Summary of the different chapters</i>		
<i>Task 2: Read the "Power of Geography" and produce an A4 Summary of the different chapters</i>		
<i>Task 3: Extended essay practice: There is not enough food to feed the World's population.' To what extent do you agree with this statement?</i>		
<i>Task 4: Extended essay practice: How have 'augmented places' affected people's relationship with traditional notions of place?</i>		
<i>Task 5: Extended essay practice: Coastal management will never be sustainable as we can't fully control sea level rise. Do you agree with this statement? Justify your reasons.</i>		
<i>Task 6: Extended essay practice: "Using an example, assess the relative importance of the concept of vulnerability in understanding hazard impacts."</i>		
<i>Task 7: Borrow an A Level magazine from KGG or PHH and write a review for the student and teacher bulletin</i>		
<i>Task 8: Develop one of your 20 mark essays and submit to the Routes journal for student geographers. <a href="https://routesjournal.org/">https://routesjournal.org/</a></i>		
<i>Task 9: Visit <a href="https://routesjournal.org/">https://routesjournal.org/</a> and read a selection of the past articles and write a summary of one of them.</i>		

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Below is a list of possible courses to extend your independent learning, recommended by your KS5 subject leader.

**MOOC** - <https://www.my-mooc.com/en/>

Course Title	Provider
<a href="#">Tropical Coastal Ecosystems</a>	University of Queensland

**Future Learn** - <https://www.futurelearn.com/>

Title	Link
Come Rain or Shine	<a href="https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/come-rain-or-shine">https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/come-rain-or-shine</a>
Planet Partners: Tackling the Climate Crisis Together	<a href="https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/tackling-climate-crisis">https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/tackling-climate-crisis</a>
Governing Religion: Global Challenges and Comparative Approaches	<a href="https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/governing-religion-global-challenges-and-comparative-approaches">https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/governing-religion-global-challenges-and-comparative-approaches</a>
Transport Systems: Global Issues and Future Innovations	<a href="https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/transport-systems-global-issues-and-future-innovations">https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/transport-systems-global-issues-and-future-innovations</a>

**Coursera** - <https://www.coursera.org/>

Title	Link
Geopolitics of Europe	<a href="https://www.coursera.org/learn/geopolitics-europe">https://www.coursera.org/learn/geopolitics-europe</a>
Our Earth: Its Climate, History, and Processes	<a href="https://www.coursera.org/learn/our-earth">https://www.coursera.org/learn/our-earth</a>