



GCSE Geography Exam Arrangements – Summer 2022

AQA have released information about your summer examinations, the GCSE Geography qualification will be marked out of a total of **207**. You have seen a complete Paper 1, we will show you sample papers so you know what to expect for Paper 2 and Paper 3. The exam papers will have the format below:

Paper 1: Living with the Physical Environment:

- **No change to the structure of this paper**
- Monday 23rd May – 9.00am, 1 hour 30 minutes
- 88 marks available

Section	Total Marks	Types of Question
A: Natural Hazards (Question 1)	33	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, 3 mark [1 x 4 marker], [1 x 6 marker], [1 x 9 marker +3SPaG]
B: The Living World (Question 2)	25	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, 3 mark [1 x 6 marker], [1 x 9 marker]
C: Coasts (Question 3)	15	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, [1 x 4 marker], [1 x 6 marker]
C: Rivers (Question 4)	15	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, [1 x 4 marker], [1 x 6 marker]

Paper 2: Living with the Human Environment

- **This paper has been altered.**
- **There is optionality which means that you will answer ALL questions in Section A: Urban Issues, but then choose either Section B (which we will NOT revise) or Section C: Resources.**
- Tuesday 7th June – 1.30pm, 1 hour 15 minutes
- 63 marks available

Section	Total Marks	Types of Question
A: Urban Issues & Challenges (Question 1)	33	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, 3 mark [1 x 4 marker], [1 x 6 marker], [1 x 9 marker +3SPaG]
C: Resource Management (Question 3)	30 marks in total	Multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, At least 1 x 4 marker, [2 x 6 marker]
C: Water (Question 5)		

Paper 3: Geographical Applications

- **This paper has been altered.**
- Tuesday 14th June – 9.00am, 1 hour
- 56 marks available
- No questions about your fieldwork on the Holderness Coast

Section A: is based on a pre-release material booklet we will receive from **22nd March 2022**. This is an issue evaluation, so we will predict what questions could be asked based on the pre-release book. You will get a copy of the material booklet in the exam to make reference to. We will have lessons to prepare for this.

You could be asked a selection of: multiple choice, 1 mark, 2 mark, 3 mark, 4 mark, 1 x 6 mark and 1 x 9 mark.

Section B: Unfamiliar fieldwork (knowledge of sampling/ fieldwork strategies) and geographical/ statistical skills