

THEALE GREEN SCHOOL TRANSITION GEOGRAPHY ACTIVITY

A warm, LAVA-LY welcome to TGS from the Geography Department!

Hello future Year 7! You are about to look at the best subject in school 😊. Geography is part of the Humanities department, alongside History and EP. Geography is everywhere and it is so much more than just maps and capital cities! We look at the world from physical and human viewpoint and tackle many of the issues that are happening in society around us all the time.

In Year 7 we study many wonderful things, such as Natural Disasters, Coasts, Places around the World, Map Skills and many more! We learn through many skills, such as: discussion, independent work, exploration, problem solving, ICT research and presentation.



Your challenge – should you choose to accept it... [is to become a news reporter!](#)

Geography is something that is all around us and can link to anything! With this in mind we would like you to choose something that you feel strongly about that you have studied or interests you that you have seen and give a short presentation on this!



You could choose almost **anything!** Such as the Amazon Rainforest Wildfires, Climate Change, Earthquakes, Awesome Places, Plastic in the Oceans, Maps... If it interests you, present on it!

For this activity, can you:

- Research your topic – using any resources you have.
- Present your topic on camera or to your family like a real-life news reporter!
 - Can you introduce yourself?
 - Can you introduce your topic?
 - Can you explain why you have chosen it?



Here is a link to show how the professionals do it!

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-0lqugxMeU8>



If you want a **challenge** can you stick up a piece of paper with a fantastic image/title of your topic that you have created, just like on TV!

If you want **EVEN MORE** of an awesome challenge, can you have a short discussion with a member of your family on the issue? 😊 Let us call them the “expert correspondent”.



We would love to see your expert reporting, feel free to email us pictures and videos to transition@thealegreen.w-berks.sch.uk. If you are happy for them to be shared on social media, please let us know. We would really like to show the rest of the year group what you are all achieving. We will also reward house points for all work shared with us – start collecting them now!

GOOD LUCK! – Mr Wall, Mrs Quinn
Mr Taplin and Mrs Brown