

St Paul's Catholic School and Sixth Form



Transition Work for Sixth Form

"Let your light shine before others." – Matthew 5:16
Sixth Form, the St Paul's way — with Christ at the heart of it all.

AQA Geography at St Paul's Catholic School and Sixth Form

These tasks are designed to get you thinking about 2 key topic themes in A level geography, one that is physical and another that is human.

Completion of these tasks will enable you to take part in class discussions of these topics to an A-level standard from the first lesson.

Due date: Monday 1st September 2025

Task 1

The Global Water and Carbon Cycles are the theme for task 1. Both of these systems are essential for life, but they are also greatly affected by human activity.

Task 2

Task 2 has a focus on Globalisation and Global Systems that drive economic and social change, but they are also linked to a growing global development gap.

Specification: AQA

Links to websites: [AQA Geography A-level: Water and Carbon Cycles Revision - PMT](#) and [AQA Geography A-level: Global Systems and Global Governance Revision - PMT](#)

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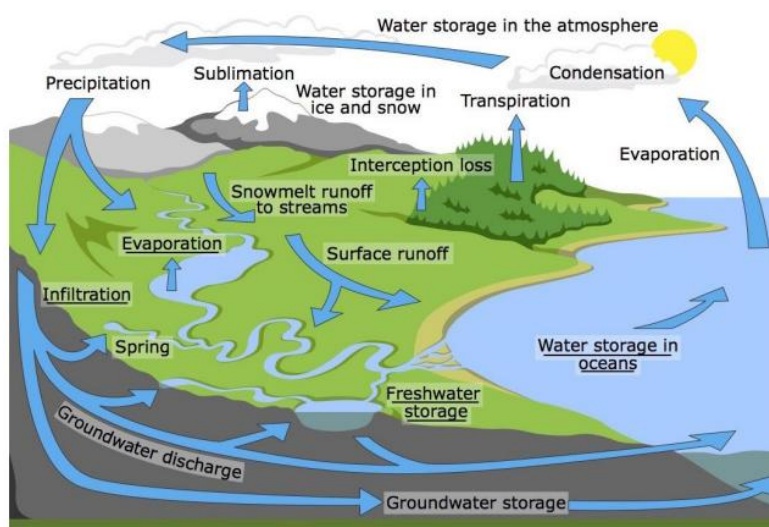
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Task 1



[AQA Geography A-level: Water and Carbon Cycles Revision - PMT](#)

Use the link provided and look at the "detailed notes" pdf. Define the following key terms:

- Precipitation
- Evaporation
- Surface Runoff
- Transpiration
- Condensation
- Sublimation
- Infiltration

1. What effects can humans have on the water cycle?
2. How might climate change affect the water cycle
3. What links exist between the water and carbon cycles?

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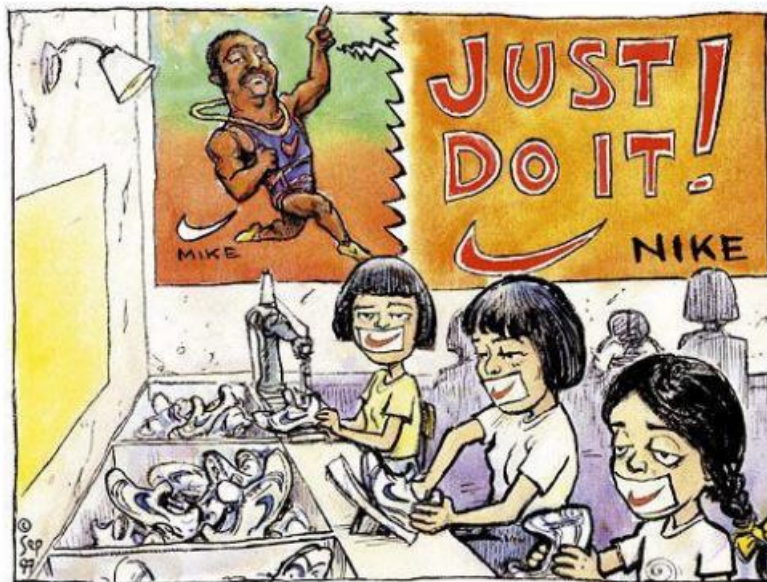


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2



[AQA Geography A-level: Global Systems and Global Governance Revision - PMT](#)

Use the link provided and look at the "detailed notes" pdf.

1. What is globalisation?
2. What are the causes of globalisation?
3. What does the cartoon on the suggest about globalisation?
4. What factors have caused globalisation to speed up?