



# WJEC GCSE Geography January 2019

Happy New Year! It was fantastic to meet so many enthusiastic geographers during the Autumn CPD events. We hope that the Unit 3 NEA went well and we look forward to receiving them at our Treforest office ready for marking.

## Unit 3 - NEA

- Please ensure that all NEAs have now been returned to WJEC and email your Fieldwork Statement and Centre Declaration to Steve James [steve.james@wjec.co.uk](mailto:steve.james@wjec.co.uk)
- [Guidance for the 2020 series](#) for 'Transects' and 'Sphere of Influence' is now available on the website.
- NEA approaches for future series

Exam Series	Methodology	Conceptual Framework
2020 (NEA taken Nov/Dec 2019)	Transects	Sphere of Influence
2021 (NEA taken Nov/Dec 2020)	Geographical Flows	Mitigating Risk

## CPD

- All resources from CPD are now on the website. Go to the '[Training Materials](#)' section of the Geography page.
- For the Unit 3 NEA, a Webinar and FAQs document was published in September and can be found [here](#).

## Online Exam Review

- [Online Exam Review](#) (OER) is a collection of interactive units that bring together a number of elements including general data, exam questions, their marking schemes and examiner comments, which will lead you through a review of selected exam questions.
- Ensure that you read the instructions on the homepage and view the documents with Adobe Acrobat DC.

## Digital Resources

- Please continue to check the [Digital Educational Resources website](#) as we work to add more resources to support your teaching. The latest resource to be published is on Tropical Rainforest ecosystems. There are a number of other resources and tools on this website to support teaching and learning.
- There are also PDF versions of the interactive maths and statistics resources available for pupils and teachers.

## Geographical Association

- The [WelshWise quiz](#) is taking place in February. It is great opportunity to get Year 8 and Year 9 involved before option choices are taken. The previous quizzes are also on the GA website and could be used in class.
- The [GA Conference](#) takes place in Manchester between 9<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> April 2019. It is an excellent opportunity for CPD with contemporary teaching ideas from subject experts in more than 100 lectures, workshops, Teacher-to-Teacher sessions and field visits.

## Contacting WJEC Geography

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