

The Polesworth School – Yr 11-12 Summer homework compulsory task Geography

Your task for the summer is to choose a **recent** (last 2 years) event and examine it from a geography viewpoint. For example, river flooding, coastal erosion/management, Brexit, terror threats, a recent tectonic event, fracking for gas, the HS2 train link, global warming/climate change, plastic pollution, water scarcity, hurricane etc. You are only limited by your imagination and or awareness of the world around you. Some basic guidelines to stick to. It can be presented as a report/essay/information poster etc.

1. Avoid cut and paste and or plagiarism (copying work without crediting your sources), get in the habit of creating a bibliography.
2. Include the 5 Ws, who, what, why, where and when. To assist this include relevant maps (it is geography!), tables, figures or diagrams.
3. Try to use as much geographical terminology as you can.
4. Try to give a balanced view but do include your opinion based on evidence provided.
5. Word processed, between 1000-2000 words approx.

Good luck, make it interesting. Please bring your work to your first A-level Geography lesson.