Geography Scheme of Learning Year 9 – Term 1/Unit 1 Africa – opportunities and challenges

Intent - Rationale

Africa is a most geographically diverse continent. Our world contains staggering inequalities and our intent in this unit is to raise awareness of difference and levels of development. Through exploring students' existing imagination and perceptions of Africa, we aim to and build upon them to gain a sense of what it is like to live in Africa in comparison with the UK. We also consider how poor management has led to environmental challenges for coral reefs and desertification.

Sequencing – what prior learning does this topic build upon?	Sequencing – what subsequent learning does this topic feed into?
 Latitude and longitude (Y7) Google Earth – locating and exploring places (Y7) 	 GCSE The Development Gap GCSE Nigeria – Case study of a newly emerging economy that has experienced rapid economic growth leading to significant social, environmental and cultural changes GCSE consequences of uneven development – migration
What are the links with other subjects in the curriculum?	What are the links to SMSC, British Values and Careers?
History – the Slave Trade and colonialism	SMSC Spiritual development 2 – enjoyment and fascination in learning about themselves, others, and those around them Cultural development 2 – an understanding and appreciation of the range of different cultures within school and further afield as an essential element of preparation for life in modern Britain Careers: Gatsby Benchmark GB4 a) communication – role play discussion and CB4 – i) Encouraging creativity – rhino rap!

What are the opportunities for developing literacy skills and developing learner confidence and enjoyment in reading?	What are the opportunities for developing mathematical skills?
Out of Africa – Karen Blixen	Lesson 2 – latitude and longitude plotting locations on grids
Americanah – Chimamanda Ngozi Adiche	Lesson 3 – ranking, shading and comparing HDI values on
The Butterfly Lion – Michael Morpurgo	choropleth map of Africa
FROM THE LIBRARY	Lesson 9 – drawing a line graph to show rhino poaching in South
Going Solo; Roald Dahl -Bio	Africa and extrapolation/interpolation skills
My Story-Desert Danger-Bio	Lesson 9 – calculating percentage change of rhino poached
Exploration of Africa-916	
Crisis in Central Africa-967	
Africa-916	

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<u>Intent – Concepts</u>

What knowledge will students gain and what skills will they develop as a consequence of this topic?

Know

Our perception of the continent of Africa may differ from the reality

Physical and human features of tourist attractions in Africa

Range of ways of measuring levels of development (development indicators)

Factors that affect levels of development in African countries

Health care challenges facing Uganda

Causes, impacts and strategies to manage desertification

How rhinos are threatened in Africa

Apply

Knowledge of development indicators to compare countries' levels of development

Knowledge of latitude and longitude to locate tourist locations

Discuss historical, economic and geographical reasons why some countries in Africa may struggle to develop Apply knowledge of social and economic sustainability to justify which health care scheme is most appropriate for Uganda Apply knowledge of human and physical factors to explain why desertification is occurring in the Sahel

Extend

Evaluate development indicators and explain how they are appropriate/useful Assess the role of colonialism in affecting the 'Development Gap' Evaluate strategies that reduce desertification in the Sahel Assess to what extent human factors have a role in coral bleaching Evaluate and justify choice of strategy to reduce rhino poaching

What subject specific language will be used and developed in this topic?	What opportunities are available for assessing the progress of students?
stereotype, colonialism, cash crop, commodities, development gap, life expectancy, GDP per capita, infant mortality rate, literacy rate, Human Development Index, choropleth mapping, conflict, corruption, polyps, salinity, zooxanthellae, coral bleaching, poaching, translocation, keratin, interpolate, extrapolate Command word: Justify	In starters, plenaries and during the lessons – formative assessment and retrieval practice to reinforce prior knowledge e.g. word searches, bingo, memory recall, definition matches etc.
	 For homeworks-tasks that require students to research new knowledge (e.g. a research the issue of conflict minerals/ answer questions using BBC Bitesize) or apply existing knowledge to extended answers.
	3. Summative assessments: multiple-choice, one mark answers, extended answers in test or exam conditions as end-of-unit tests eg. Eg. Justify your choice of a health care programme for Uganda (6 marks)

Key word meaning and spelling tests are included as part of the focus
on building a knowledge bank of geographical vocabulary.

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Lesson title	Learning challenge	Higher level challenge	Suggested activities and resources
1) Perceptions of Africa	To question our perceptions of	To evaluate our perceptions of	Powerpoint 1 African word association
, ,	Africa as a continent.	Africa and consider to what	task
		extent they are representative	Africa or not images?
			Video clip showing images of Band Aid
			'Feed the World'
			https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b
			<u>jQzJAKxTrE</u>
			Geog. 1 4 th edition, pages 102-103
			questions 7,8,
2) Measuring and mapping	To understand the ways that	To interpret a choropleth map	Powerpoint 2
development	levels of development can be	and compare African countries	Geog. 3 4 th Edition questions pages 70-
·	measured (GDP per person),	to suggest why they have	71
	adult literacy, % of people with	contrasting levels of	Table to complete which compares UK
	access to safe water, number	development	development indicators with countries
	of doctors, infant mortality		in Africa
	rates life expectancy, HDI		Homework - choropleth map
	(Human Development Index)		description and explanation (ask SL)

3) Physical characteristics of African tourist attractions	To identify key physical features on a map of Africa	To apply knowledge of latitude and longitude from an atlas to locate countries, cities and attractions in Africa	Possible extension task: Gapminder sheet – looking at relationship between life expectancy and wealth Powerpoint 3 Geog. 1 4 th edition pages 112-113. Memory game – Q10
4) The development gap	To list reasons why countries in Africa may be poor (historical, geographical, health and education, conflict and corruption, few exports, lack of industry)	To be able to explain/present ideas about why countries in Africa may struggle to develop	Powerpoint 4 Clip on colonialism and scramble for Africa https://www.youtube.com/watch?tim e continue=393&v=LbT44HwzNrI Reasons for the development gap – Geog. 1 4 th edition pages 76-79 Colonialism in Africa. Geog. 1 4 th edition page 105 Either 'Teach me, tell me more task on the Development Gap' or Role Play activity with a BBC Journalist and expert discussing reasons for the development gap.
5) Sustainable levels of development in Uganda	To understand some of the development challenges facing the country of Uganda	To decide and justify which health programme is the most sustainable for Uganda	Powerpoint 5 Health care issues in Uganda youtu.be/z7LJ5YnTMGw Teach it Geog – Sustainable Development in Uganda and factsheet 34269

			Assessed extended writing justifying a health care programme
6/7) Coral reefs in Kenya	To be able to describe the distribution of coral reefs on a global scale and explain their formation	To be able to assess the threats facing coral reefs	Powerpoint 7 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E O Zc5XH6e0 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e NqbSi 6KdA https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R DCk9SgdEZY - from 34.10 Role play discussion – conservationists and government minister in Kenya about the threats facing coral Worksheet – importance of coral reefs 'Save the coral' poster
OPTIONAL LESSONS -TIME PERMITTING			
8) Wildlife Crime in Africa – Rhino poaching	To produce a line graph and describe how the number of poached rhino has changed over time in South Africa	To extrapolate and interpolate from the graph the number of rhino poached in South Africa	Powerpoint 8/9– wildlife crime lesson 1 Rhino task worksheet Line drawing task and questions
9) White rhino under threat	To be able to explain why the white rhino is under threat in Africa	To be able to propose solutions to the issue of rhino hunting in Africa	Powerpoint 8/9 – Wildlife crime lesson 2 Knowledge of rhino challenge grid Poem – status quo of the rhino Homework – in groups write a 'rhino rap!' Clip – translocation of rhino

10) Strategies to reduce rhino	To be able to suggest	To discuss advantages and	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z dP-m2h53G8 Powerpoint 10– Wildlife crime 3.
poaching	strategies to reduce rhino poaching in Africa	disadvantages of strategies to reduce rhino poaching and justify choice of strategy	Newspaper article and questions 'Rhino poaching another year, another grim record.' Clips: • https://www.youtube.com/wat ch?v=vAqU4y1ZO1U • https://www.worldwildlife.org/stories/wwf-develops-a-new-technology-to-stop-poachers-in-their-tracks • http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/science-environment-35769413 • (from 1 minute in) Decision-making grid – solving rhino poaching justification
End of topic test			Data response, multiple choice and short and extended answers