

Year 9 GEOGRAPHY REVISION CHECKLIST. Winter Examinations

As you begin your revision, complete this honestly to help you see where your priorities should lie for your revision. The target is eventually to get all your ticks in the left hand column.

I CAN:	☺	☹
Identify the countries of the continent of Europe (as indicated by my teacher) on a map		
Identify the main cities of the continent of Europe (as indicated by my teacher) on a map		
Match European countries with their capital city		
Identify the main oceans and seas of Europe on a map		
Identify the main mountain ranges and rivers of Europe on a map		
Describe the historical growth of the population of the world		
Know the meanings of key population terms: <i>Birth Rate, Death Rate, Natural Increase, Life Expectancy, Infant Mortality.</i>		
Calculate the natural increase of a population (as a %) from the birth rate and the death rate.		
Explain how the population changes – using terms such as birth rate and death rate		
Give reasons to explain why some countries of the world have high birth rates while other countries have low birth rates.		
Give reasons to explain why some countries of the world have high death rates while other countries have low death rates.		
Explain what a population pyramid shows		
Draw and explain the shape of a population pyramid for a LEDC		
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Use evidence from a population pyramid to answer questions about the population of an area/country		
Know the difference between the terms population density and population distribution		
Name at least two areas of the world that are densely populated		
Explain at least two reasons why a country/area may be densely populated		
Name at least two areas of the world that are sparsely populated		
Explain at least two reasons why a country/area may be sparsely populated		
Describe what a choropleth map is used for		
Use the choropleth mapping technique to display information on a map		
Understand the strengths and weaknesses of a choropleth map.		