



# Year 11 GCSE Checklist Paper 1 (Physical)

Specification: <https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/subject-content/living-with-the-physical-environment>

Past papers: <https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/past-papers/gcse-geography/aqa-paper-1/>

Subject	Paper	Duration
Geography	AQA Paper 1 PHYSICAL	1 hour 30 minutes
<b>What to revise</b>		<b>How to revise it</b>
1	Section A – The Challenge of Natural Hazards: <b>Natural Hazards</b> <b>Tectonic Hazards</b> <b>Weather Hazards</b> <b>Climate Change</b>  <b>Case Studies:</b> Examples of UK extreme weather Gorkha Earthquake & New Zealand Earthquake Typhoon Haiyan Somerset Floods (2013/2014)	Knowledge Organiser Pack A3 Sheet to go with knowledge organiser pack Knowledge PLCs  Revision Guide pages 2-26  BBC Bitesize link: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcdrbk7">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcdrbk7</a>
2	Section B – The Living World: <b>Ecosystems</b> <b>Tropical Rainforests</b> <b>Hot Deserts</b> <b><u>NOT COLD ENVIRONMENTS</u></b>  <b>Case Studies:</b> Slapton Ley Reed Beds (small scale) The Amazon Rainforest Sahara Desert	Knowledge Organiser Pack A3 Sheet to go with knowledge organiser pack Knowledge PLCs  Revision Guide pages 27-46 (+53)  BBC Bitesize link: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2tqwxs">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2tqwxs</a>
3	Section C – Physical Landscapes in the UK: <b>The UK Physical Landscape</b> <b>Coastal Landscapes in the UK</b> <b>River Landscapes in the UK</b> <b><u>NOT GLACIAL LANDSCAPES</u></b>  <b>Case Studies:</b> Dorset (example of a coastal landscape) Managed Retreat at Medmerry (Books) River Tees or River Clyde (example of river landscape) Jubilee River Relief Channel (Books) or Oxford Flood Scheme (Rev Guide)	Knowledge Organiser Pack A3 Sheet to go with knowledge organiser pack Knowledge PLCs  Revision Guide pages 54-82  BBC Bitesize link: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z34vfrd">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z34vfrd</a> <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zs3ptyc">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zs3ptyc</a> <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpypgdm">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpypgdm</a>

**MAKE SURE YOU READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE FRONT OF THE PAPER**

**ANSWER ALL OF SECTION A**

**ANSWER ALL OF SECTION B BUT MAKE SURE YOU FOCUS ON HOT DESERTS – NOT COLD ENVIRONMENTS**

**ANSWER THE QUESTIONS ON RIVERS AND COASTS IN SECTION C – DO NOT ANSWER THE SECTION ON GLACIAL ENVIRONMENTS**