

Year 8 End of Year Exam What do you need to know?

Make sure you read your class notes through carefully – once you have revised try out the online games / quizzes on www.geoblogbytes.wordpress.com (see Year 8)

POPULATION

- Key Terms (Birth Rate, Death Rate, Infant Mortality, Life Expectancy, Migration, Push and Pull Factors, Internal and International Migration, Population distribution, Population Density)
- The meaning of sparsely and densely populated for each you need to be able to:
 - Name examples of places which are sparsely or densely populated
 - Explain why a place is sparsely or densely populated
- Reasons for migration (push and pull)
- Types of migration (international / internal etc.)

TRADE

- Types of industry (primary / secondary / tertiary / quaternary)
 there meanings and examples of each
- What is trade and why do we need trade
- The nature of the trading relationship between MEDCs and LEDCs
- Cocoa production (the basics of how cocoa is produced)
- Fairtrade what it is and how it helps farmers

RIVERS

- features of a drainage basin (source, mouth, tributary, river channel, watershed etc.) – know their meanings and be able to identify them
- River work (erosion, transport and deposition)
- Processes of river erosion (hydraulic action, abrasion and attrition)
- Processes of river transport (saltation, traction, suspension, solution)
- River features v-shaped valleys, waterfalls and meanders