

Summary

Paper 2 - 3.3 Resource stewardship

Subject	Year	Start date	Duration
Geography	IB1	Week 1, June	4 weeks

Course Part

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Description

The core theme provides an overview of the geographic foundation for the key global issues of our time. The purpose is to provide a broad factual and conceptual introduction to the geography of population dynamics, climate change and resource consumption issues.

The content is underpinned by the four key concepts of the course: places, power, processes and possibilities. Each unit examines issues at different scales from local to global, as well as the interaction between different places.

Attention should be given to the positive aspects of change (not only the negative ones), to the need to accept responsibility for seeking solutions to the demographic, economic and environmental issues—and, where appropriate, to the management strategies adopted to meet the challenges.

Curriculum

Syllabus Content

Part two: Geographic perspectives - global change (SL and HL core)

Unit 3: Global resource consumption and security

3. Resource stewardship

Possibilities for managing resources sustainably and power over the decision-making process


Divergent thinking about population and resource consumption trends: pessimistic views, including neo-Malthusian views; optimistic views, including Boserup; balanced views, including resource stewardship

Resource stewardship strategies, including: the value of the circular economy as a systems approach for effective cycling of materials and energy; the role of the UN Sustainable Development Goals and progress made toward meeting them

Different perspectives on global resource use and the likely effectiveness of management actions at varying scales

ATL Skills

Approaches to Learning

 Thinking

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Research



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Knowledgeable



Reflective