



# *National 4/5 Geography*

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# N4/5 Geography: The Course

## Physical Environments

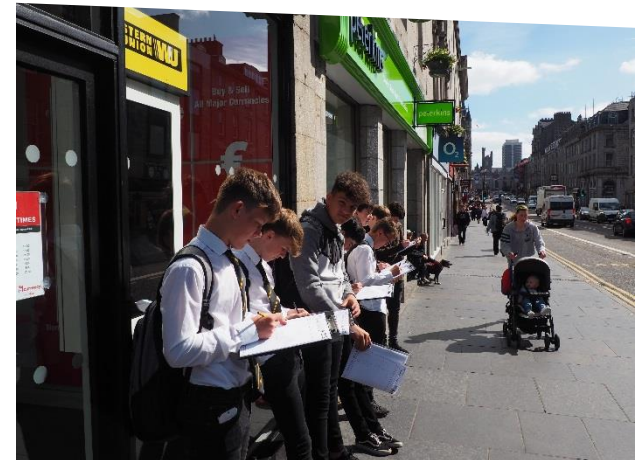
- Glaciation
- Coasts
- Weather

## Human Environments

- Urban
- Rural
- Population + Development

## Global Issues

- Climate Change
- Health





# N4/5 Geography: Assessment Requirements

## N4 Added Value Unit

Based on urban fieldwork to be completed in the New Year. Students will then process data and complete a write up.

## N5 Assignment

To be sat in March 2020

Fieldwork will be completed in the New Year.

It is worth 20 marks (20% of final mark)

## N5 Exam

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2020

13.00 – 15.20 (2hrs 20mins)

80 marks (80% of final mark)

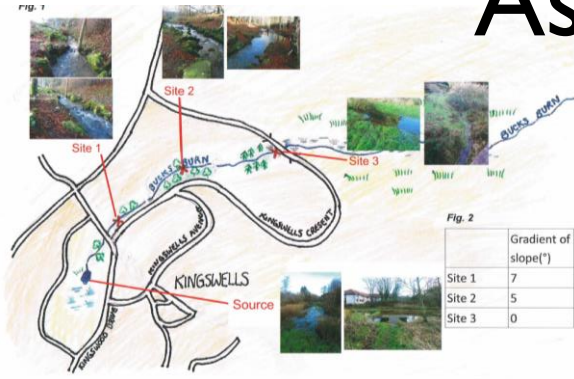
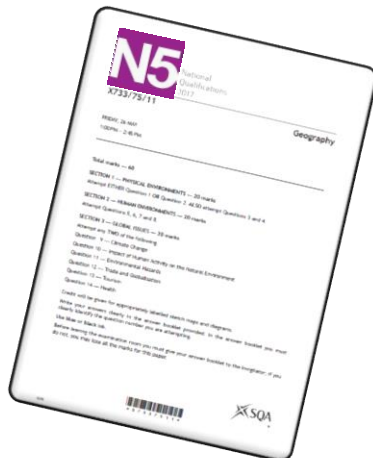
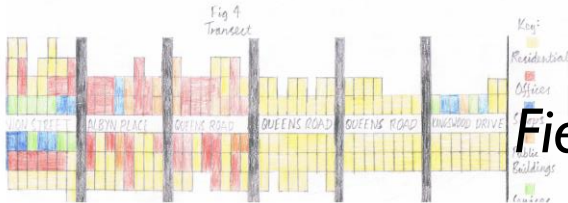


Fig. 2

	Gradient of slope(°)
Site 1	7
Site 2	5
Site 3	0



# ASSIGNMENT



## RESEARCH METHODS

Describe **two** research methods you used to collect information about your topic or issue  
**6 MARKS**

## FINDINGS / CONCLUSION

- i. Describe and explain, in detail, the main findings of your research. You must include reference to the Processed Information you have brought into the assessment.
- ii. State what conclusions you have reached about your topic or issue.

**14 MARKS**

# ***Missed a few lessons and need to catch up?***

Humanities operate an open door policy at lunchtime - pupils are encouraged to pop in for extra support.

Alternatively, all resources are uploaded onto Google Classroom



Google  
Classroom

<https://classroom.google.com/c/Mzc2MjczMzl1OTJa>

# N4/5 Geography: FAQ's

**My child needs to 'explain/give reasons' – what does this mean?**

To explain they need to say **'why'**. e.g. tourists leave gates open in Dorset which causes conflict (why does it cause a conflict?)

**Where can I find SQA past exam questions?**

These are available on the SQA website. H/W exercises are often based on past exam questions.

**Are there any books or resources I should buy to support my child?**

Students have good course notes, we also have a limited number of N5 Success Guides (old edition) which students can sign out from the department. The new edition is available to buy from Amazon.

**How can I help my child with their N5 Assignment?**

Help your child to stay on top of deadlines. We can give limited support, which your child will need to act on.

**How can I help my child to revise for N5 Geography?**

We will provide each student with a revision checklist. Every student is different and will approach their revision in different ways. Throughout the year we will showcase a number of different strategies – they should use what works for them.