HEAD OF DEPARTMENT: Mrs Liz Walker

Subject Outline:
Geography is concerned with people in varied environments around the world. Environments are the surroundings we live in, including such things as landforms, climates, settlements, and our social organisation. Studies in geography help us live our day to day lives by informing us about our local area and other parts of the world and students will be encouraged to actively involve themselves with community and social issues which will be impacting on them at present and in the future.

Assessment Outline:
- Research reports
- Oral report
- Assignments
- Short Answer/ response to stimulus tests
- Practical activities (graphing/ mapping etc.)

Unit 1 - The Geographies of Human Wellbeing
Inquiry question/s:
- How can the spatial variation between places and changes in environments be explained?
- What management options exist for sustaining human and natural systems into the future?
- How do world views influence decisions on how to manage environmental and social change?

Unit 2 - Environmental Change and Management
Inquiry questions:
- How can the spatial variation between places and changes in environments be explained?
- What management options exist for sustaining human and natural systems into the future?
- How do world views influence decisions on how to manage environmental and social change?

Student Requirements:
- A keen interest in the subject
- Literacy skills which will equip student to read, speak and write competently in various formats.
- Compulsory, consistent and active participation
- The ability to work independently and meet deadlines