Advancing geography and geographical learning

Example of a medium-term plan applicable to the revised KS3 curriculum

Lesson	Key questions	Learning objectives	Teaching and learning	Resources	Assessment opportunities	PoS
5	How does the shape of the landscape influence where we live?	To develop pupils' understanding of settlement patterns. To be able to analyse and interpret relief from a map.	Focus on students' own settlement, and review site and situation factors. Students' study two contrasting paper maps and 'spot the differences' in settlement patterns. Students work in groups on GIS 'Site and Situation' project files to investigate the influence of relief on settlement patterns for aforementioned paper maps.	OS Maps (Provided by <i>Free Maps for</i> <i>Year 7s</i>). <i>Digital Worlds</i> <i>GIS.</i>	Students complete the follow-up exercise on 'Journey to School'.	Space 1.2b Scale 1.3b Physical human processes 1.5a Enquiry Fieldwork Graphicacy Communication Location 3c Phys Geog 3f Hum Geog 3g Interactions 3h Personal Exp 4a Maps GIS 4d