



New York

Geography Today

A message from the Royal Geographical Society: -
As the subject that bridges the natural and human sciences in understanding societies, places and environments, geography is highly relevant to many current issues. Geographical issues are frequently in the media - although often they are not labelled as such - and research and expertise conducted by academic and other professional geographers has filtered to most areas of public life. Geography also continues to be one of the most popular subjects at school in the UK. At university level, there are around 34,000 people studying geography and environmental sciences in the UK.

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Geography



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Learn how the processes of human and physical systems have arranged and sometimes changed the surface of the earth.

Geography students actively study some of the most challenging and important issues facing the world. Through their studies, they develop the knowledge and skills needed by decision-makers in both the public and commercial sectors. In essence geography is about the future of our world.

Geographical skills are transferable and lead to a wide range of career options such as urban planning, farming & food supply, public service provision, countryside management, tourism, weather, water resource management, coastal protection, leisure resource management, hazard management, international relations, development and many more fields

The course is active and students will be expected to attend field trips. We usually try to offer an optional trip to North America or Europe and compulsory local fieldtrips.

Students at the UN HQ in New York City



Cultural Geography in Harlem



Coastal Fieldwork in Sussex



What does the course include?

YEAR ONE

Tectonic Processes & Hazards
Coastal Landscapes & Change, including fieldwork
Globalisation & Development
Diverse Places, including fieldwork
Research Techniques & Fieldwork

YEAR TWO

The Carbon Cycle & Energy Security, including carbon in ecosystems
The Water Cycle & Water Insecurity, including water in ecosystems
Superpowers & geo-politics
Migration
Sovereignty & identity
Individual Coursework (involving fieldwork)
Geography Synoptic skills