

Geography Sixth Form Transition Task

2022

As preparation for the course next year, and to confirm your suitability for the course, you must complete this Transition task over the summer. This is expected to take you the time we have had in the class as well as independent research.

All pupils should aim for a C grade in this assessment (60%), so we need you to take this seriously and to be completed to the best of your ability.

Transition task: Essay title.

For two contrasting hazard events, assess the effectiveness of their responses to the hazard. (20 marks)

Use the grid below to check/assess your progress when completing this question

<u>Task</u>	<u>confident</u>	<u>unsure</u>	<u>Not confident</u>
Essay chosen and 'BUGed'			
Notes of research to compare two case studies			
Essay plan completed			
I have included pictures, maps, and graphs to help develop and explain my points.			
Essay completed			

For this task choose two case studies. One in a HIC and another in a LIC/NEE. For each one compare the impacts and how the country dealt with the disaster.

Then.... assess how well they dealt with the disaster. What went well? What didn't go well.

<https://www.internetgeography.net/geography-case-studies/>

Use the grid below to help you!

Title/Question For two contrasting hazard events, assess the effectiveness of their responses to the hazard. 20 marks
What are the command words in the question? What do they want you to do? (BOX) ASSESS- to say how successful the responses were.
What are the key words in the title question? (UNDERLINE) Contrasting Hazards Effectiveness responses
What are the key issues? What is the question about? What geographical information is relevant? The essay is asking you to look at the same hazard (earthquakes) in two different places and say how good or bad their responses were and why they were good or bad
What are the opening points of the answer? State the two case studies you are going to look at. I suggest a LIC (Indonesian tsunami 2004, Haiti earthquake 2004) and compare to a HIC (Japanese tsunami 2010).

What are the key points of this information? Summarise

For each of the case studies describe how they responded to the hazard and assess how good their responses were. Were they a success or not? If is so why were they a success or not?

Websites/books
used to research

Add in here sites
you have used.

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netgeography.net/
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How can your question be concluded?

Which country the LIC or the HIC has dealt with the hazard the best and why.