Progressing in Geography - 0-1 Scale

Timescale	Contextual World knowledge	Understanding	Geographical enquiry and application of skills		
0	Student working towards elements of grade 1				
G - 1	 Develop World locational knowledge Knowledge of place in local area, UK and wider world Knowledge of global physical and human features 	 Demonstrate knowledge of human and physical patterns Demonstrate knowledge of how places change Identify links between people and environment Compare places (similarities and differences) 	 Investigate places and environments by asking geographical questions and answering them Use maps, atlases, globes, images and aerial photographs Express own opinions Recognise others may have different opinions 		
F - 2	Student has achieved grade 1 but only part of grade 3				
E - 3	 Some detailed knowledge of the world – physical and human Awareness of Case studies (places) within the news 	 Understand factors that influence patterns Understand processes that lead to change Identify links between places, people and environment Understanding of how and why places are similar, different, changing 	 Carry out investigations using a variety of sources – maps, graphs, text, images Express and explain own opinions Recognise why others may have different opinions 		
D - 4	Student has achieved grade 3 but only p	part of grade 4			
C - 5	 Detailed knowledge of the world – physical and human Awareness of scale – local to global (case studies) 	Understand physical and human processes lead to development of change	 Independently choose relevant data to investigate, interpret, make judgements and draw conclusions about geographical issues 		

B - 6	Student has achieved grade 5 but only part	Describe ways in which places are linked and how these impact on people and places Beginning to make connections between topics studies of grade 7	Express, explain and recognise different points of view	
A - 7	 Extensive knowledge of the world – physical and human Understanding of scale – local to global (case studies) 	 Understand physical and human processes lead to development of change in a variety of places, features and systems Explain ways in which places are linked and how these impact on people and places Clear connections made between topics studies 	 Independently choose a wide range of relevant data to investigate, interpret, make judgements and draw conclusions about geographical issues Express, explain and recognise in detail different points of view 	
A* - 8	Students had achieved grade 7 but only part of grade 9			
A** - 9	 Broad and deeper understanding of location (case studies) Awareness of importance of scale (especially global issues) 	 Deep understanding of processes that lead to change Linking interactions between human and physical Knowledge of geographical theory Making valid statements 	 Plan and undertake a fieldwork/ research investigation Competence in a range of skills – graphs, fieldwork, photograph analysis etc Form arguments Evaluate 	