

SUBJECT: Geography

UNIT: Year 7 People and Places



Physical features – A feature on earth's surface that has been created by nature. For example, upland areas (mountains), rivers and seas.

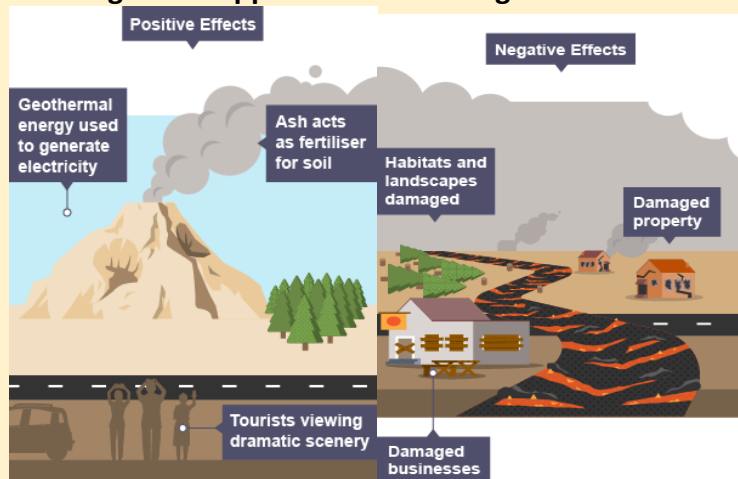
Tectonic hazards– Tectonic hazards are threats caused by the movement of tectonic plates that have the potential to cause damage to life, property, the environment, human activity and/or the economy.

Superpower – A superpower is a country with the ability to project its power and influence around the world.

The **north south divide** is the term used to describe the social, economic and cultural disparities between London and the southeast of England and the rest of England.

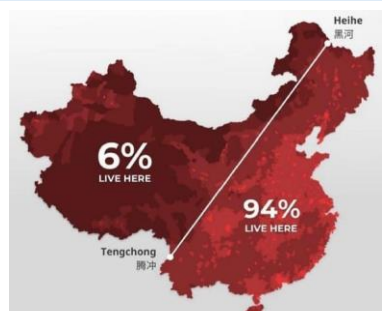
	London	Newcastle
Average yearly income	£44,370	£35,000
Employment rate	66%	74.3%
Education level (maths and English GCSE at grade 9-4)	71.2%	40%
Child Poverty rate	33%	45%
English as a second language	22%	10.5%
Average house price	£521,000	£218,961

Challenges and opportunities of living near a volcano



China

Most people in China live in the eastern half of the country. This is due to the regions rich soil, moderate temperatures and fresh water which makes it ideal for farming to support the large population.



Oil in Saudi Arabia

Oil in Saudi Arabia accounts for 90% of their budget and it is one of their main exports. They export it to countries such as China, Japan and South Korea. Having control over large amounts of oil has allowed Saudi Arabia to gain significant influence in global energy markets and international politics.

The wealth from the oil industry has allowed for significant investment in infrastructure, healthcare and education.

Natural Resources in Russia:

- Energy (Russia has the world's largest reserves of natural gas reserves and is a major producer and exporter of oil. The Russian government's budget is largely dependant on revenues from oil and natural gas sales).
- Minerals (important for economic development as it is closely tied to its mineral resources and the prices of the raw materials. Russia's mineral industry is one of the world's leading mineral industries)