

What is development?			
Development is an improvement in living standards through better use of resources.			
Economic	This is progress in economic growth through levels of industrialisation and use of technology.		
Social	This is an improvement in people's standard of living. For example, clean water and electricity.		
Environmental	This involves advances in the management and protection of the environment.		
Measuring development			
These are used to compare and understand a country's level of			

development. Economic indictors examples

Employment type	The proportion of the population working in primary, secondary, tertiary and quaternary industries.
Gross Domestic	This is the total value of goods and services

Gross National An average of gross national income per Income per capita person, per year in US dollars.

Social indicators examples

Infant mortality	The number of children who die before reaching 1 per 1000 babies born.
Literacy rate	The percentage of population over the ag of 15 who can read and write.
Life expectancy	The average lifespan of someone born in

that country. Mixed indicators

Human Development
Index (HDI)

Product per capita

A number that uses life expectancy. education level and income per person.

produced in a country per person, per year.

Variations in the level of development

Poorest countries in the world. GN
per capita is low and most citizens
have a low standard of living.

NEEs These countries are getting richer as their economy is progressing from the primary industry to the secondary industry. Greater exports leads to better wages.

HICs These countries are wealthy with a high GNI per capita and standards of living. These countries can spend money on services.



Causes of uneven development

Development is globally uneven with most HICs located in Europe, North America and Oceania. Most NEEs are in Asia and South America, whilst most LICs are in Africa. Remember, development can also vary within countries too.

Unit 2b The Changing Economic World

Physical factors affecting uneven development

Natural Resources

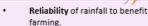


- Fuel sources such as oil.
- Minerals and metals for fuel.
- Availability for timber.
- Access to safe water.

Natural Hazards

- Risk of tectonic hazards.
- Benefits from volcanic material and floodwater.
- Frequent hazards undermines redevelopment.

Climate



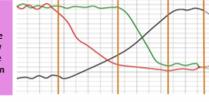
- Extreme climates limit industry
- and affects health.
- Climate can attract tourists.

Location/Terrain

- Landlocked countries may find trade difficulties.
- Mountainous terrain makes farming difficult.
- Scenery attracts tourists.

The Demographic Transition Model

The demographic transition model (DTM) shows population change over time. It studies how birth rate and death rate affect the total population of a country.



STAGE 1 STAGE 2 STAGE 3 STAGE 4 STAGE 5 Rapidly BR Low Slowly High DR Low DR Declining falling DR Falling DR High BR Low BR DR Low BR Low BR Steady Zero Very High High Negative e.g. Tribes e.g. Kenya e.g. India e.g. UK e.g. Japan

Human factors affecting uneven development

Aid



- Aid can improve services such as schools. hospitals and roads.
- Too much reliance on aid might stop other trade links becoming established.
- Countries that export more than they import have a trade surplus. This can improve the national economy.

Trade

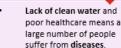
- Having good trade relationships.
- Trading goods and services is more profitable than raw materials.

Education

Education creates a skilled workforce meaning more goods and services are produced.

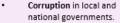
Educated people earn more money, meaning they also pay more taxes. This money can help develop the country in the future.

Health



- People who are ill cannot work so there is little contribution to the economy.
- More money on healthcare means less spent on development.

Politics



- The stability of the government can effect the country's ability to trade.
- Ability of the country to invest into services and infrastructure.

History

- Colonialism has helped Europe develop, but slowed down development in many other countries.
- Countries that went through industrialisation a while ago, have now develop further.

Consequences of Uneven Development

Levels of development are different in different countries. This uneven development has consequences for countries, especially in wealth, health and migration.

Wealth	People in more developed countries have higher incomes than less developed countries.		
Health	Better healthcare means that people in more developed countries live longer than those in less developed countries.		
Migration	If nearby countries have higher levels of development or are secure, people will move to seek better opportunities and standard of living.		



Reducing the Global Development Gap

Microfinance Loans This involves people in LICs receiving smalls loans from traditional banks.

- + Loans enable people to begin their own businesses
- Its not clear they can reduce poverty at a large scale.



This is given by one country to another as money or resources. + Improve literacy rates, building

- dams, improving agriculture.
- Can be wasted by corrupt governments or they can become too reliant on aid.

Fair trade This is a movement where

farmers get a fair price for the goods produced.

- + Paid fairly so they can develop schools & health centres.
- -Only a tiny proportion of the extra money reaches producers.

Foreign-direct investment S This is when one country buys property or infrastructure in another country.

- + Leads to better access to finance, technology & expertise.
- Investment can come with strings attached that country's will need to comply with.

Debt Relief

This is when a country's debt is cancelled or interest rates are lowered.

- + Means more money can be spent on development.
- Locals might not always get a say. Some aid can be tied under condition from donor country.

Technology Includes tools, machines and affordable equipment that improve quality of life.

- + Renewable energy is less expensive and polluting.
- Requires initial investment and skills in operating technology

CS: Reducing the Development Gap In Jamaica

Location and Background

Jamaica is a LIC island nation part of the Caribbean, Location makes Jamaica an attractive place for visitors to explore the tropical blue seas, skies and palm filled sandy beaches

Tourist economy

-In 2015, 2.12 million visited. -Tourism contributes 27% of GDP and will increase to 38% by 2025. -130,000 jobs rely on tourism.

-Global recession 2008 caused a decline in tourism. Now tourism is beginning to recover.

Multiplier effect

-Jobs from tourism have meant more money has been spent in shops and other businesses. -Government has invested in infrastructure to support tourism.

-New sewage treatment plants have reduced pollution.

Development Problems

- Tourists do not always spend much money outside their resorts.
- Infrastructure improvements have not spread to the whole island.
- Many people in Jamaica still live in poor quality housing and lack basic services such as healthcare.

Case Study: Economic Development in Nigeria

Location & Importance

Nigeria is a NEE in West Africa. Nigeria is just north of the Equator and experiences a range of environments.

Nigeria is the most populous and economically powerful country in Africa. Economic growth has been base on oil exports.



Social

Nigeria is a multi-cultural, multi-

conflicts from groups such as the

Industrial Structures

Once mainly based on agriculture,

A thriving manufacturing industry

is increasing foreign investment

and employment opportunities.

Nigeria plays a leading role with

Growing links with China with

huge investment in infrastructure.

Main import includes petrol from

the African Union and UN.

the EU, cars from Brazil and

phones from China.

Changing Relationships

50% of its economy is now

manufacturing and services.

Although mostly a strength,

diversity has caused regional

Boko Haram terrorists.

faith society.

Influences upon Nigeria's development

Political

Suffered instability with a civil war between 1967-1970. From 1999, the country became

stable with free and fair elections. Stability has encouraged global investment from China and USA.

Cultural

Nigeria's diversity has created rich and varied artistic culture. The country has a rich music,

literacy and film industry (i.e. Nollywood). A successful national football side.

The role of TNCs

TNCs such as Shell have played an important role in its economy.

- + Investment has increased employment and income.
- Profits move to HICs.
- Many oil spills have damaged

fragile environments.

Environmental Impacts

The 2008/09 oil spills devastated swamps and its ecosystems. Industry has caused toxic chemicals to be discharged in open sewers - risking human health. 80% of forest have been cut down. This also increases CO2 emissions.

Aid & Debt relief

- + Receives \$5billion per year in aid. + Aid groups (ActionAid) have
- improved health centres, provided anti-mosquito nets and helped to protect people against AIDS/HIV.
- Some aid fails to reach the people who need it due to corruption.

Effects of Economic Development

Life expectancy has increased from 46 to 53 years. 64% have access to safe water. Typical schooling years has increased from 7 to 9.

Case Study: Economic Change in the UK

UK in the Wider World

The UK has one of the largest economies in the world. The UK has huge political, economic and cultural influences. The UK is highly regarded for its fairness and tolerance. The UK has global transport links i.e. Heathrow and the Eurostar.



Causes of Economic Change

De-industrialisation and the decline of the UK's industrial base. Globalisation has meant many industries have moved overseas, where labour costs are lower. Government investing in supporting vital businesses.

Towards Post-Industrial

The quaternary industry has increased, whilst secondary has decreased. Numbers in primary and tertiary industry has stayed the steady. Big increase in professional and

technical jobs.

Developments of Science Parks

Science Parks are groups of scientific and technical knowledge based businesses on a single site.

- Access to transport routes.
- Highly educated workers.
- Staff benefit from attractive working conditions.
- Attracts clusters of related high-tech businesses.

CS: UK Car Industry

Every year the UK makes 1.5 million cars. These factories are owned by large TNCs. i.e. Nissan.

- · 7% of energy used there factories is from wind energy.
- New cars are more energy efficient and lighter.
- Nissan produces electric and hybrid cars.

Change to a Rural Landscape

Social

Economic

Rising house prices have caused tensions in villages. Villages are unpopulated during the day causing loss of identity. Resentment towards poor migrant communities.

Lack of affordable housing for local first time buyers. Sales of farmland has increased rural unemployment. Influx of poor migrants puts

pressures on local services.

Improvements to Transport

A £15 billion 'Road Improvement Strategy'. This will involve 10 new roads and 1,600 extra lanes. £50 billion HS2 railway to improve connections between key UK cities. £18 billion on Heathrow's controversial third runway. UK has many large ports for

importing and exporting goods.

- UK North/South Divide - Wages are lower in the North.
- Health is better in the South.
- Education is worse in the North.
- + The government is aiming to support a Northern Powerhouse project to resolve regional
- + More devolving of powers to disadvantaged regions.

differences.



Exmouth Community College Academy Trust

Relief of the UK Relief of the UK can be divided into uplands and lowlands, Each have their own characteristics.

Lowlands

Uplands

Example:

Spurn

Head,

Holderness Coast.



Areas +600m: Peaks and ridges cold, misty and snow common. i.e. Scotland

Areas -200m: Flat or rolling hills. Warmer weather. i.e. Fens

Types of Erosion The break down and transport of rocks smooth, round and sorted.

trition	Rocks that bash together to become smooth/smaller.

	become smooth/smaller.
ion	A chemical reaction that dissolves rocks.

Rocks hurled at the base of a cliff to break pieces apart.

Water enters cracks in the cliff. air compresses, causing the crack to expand.

Types of Transportation

A natural process by which eroded material is carried/transported.

Solution	Minerals dissolve in water
	and are carried along.

Suspension Sediment is carried along in the flow of the water.

Saltation Pebbles that bounce along the sea/river bed.

Traction Boulders that roll along a river/sea bed by the force of

the flowing water. The debris at the base of the cliff is then removed and transported by waves or river.

collapses.

Mass Movement

gravity in a vertical direction.

slope making it unstable.



What is Deposition?

When the sea or river loses energy, it drops the sand, rock particles and pebbles it has been carrying. This is called deposition.

Formation of Bays and Headlands

A large movement of soil and rock debris that

moves down slopes in response to the pull of

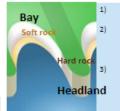
Rain saturates the permeable rock above

Waves or a river will erode the base of the

Eventually the weight of the permeable rock

above the impermeable rock weakens and

the impermeable rock making it heavy.



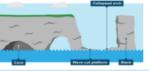
Waves attack the coastline. Softer rock is eroded by the sea quicker forming a bay, calm area cases deposition. More resistant rock is

Original position

Slumped

left jutting out into the sea. This is a headland and is now more vulnerable to erosion.

Formation of Coastal Stack



Example: Old Harry Rocks, Dorset

Hydraulic action widens cracks in the cliff face

- Abrasion forms a wave cut notch between HT and 2)
- Further abrasion widens the wave cut notch to
- Caves from both sides of the headland break through to form an arch. Weather above/erosion below -arch collapses
- Further weathering and erosion eaves a stump.

Types of Weathering

Weathering is the breakdown of rocks where they are.

Carbonation

Solut

Abrasion

Hydraulic

Action

Breakdown of rock by changing its chemical composition.

Mechanical

Breakdown of rock without changing its chemical composition.

Unit 1c

Physical Landscapes in the UK

Mechanical Weathering Example: Freeze-thaw weathering

How do waves form?

Change in prevailing wind direction forms a hook.

Swash moves up the beach at the angle of the prevailing wind.

Backwash moves down the beach at 90° to coastline, due to gravity.

Zigzag movement (Longshore Drift) transports material along beach.

Sheltered area behind spit encourages deposition, salt marsh forms,

Deposition causes beach to extend, until reaching a river estuary.

Waves are created by wind blowing over the surface of the sea. As the wind blows over the sea, friction is created producing a swell in the water.

Why do waves break?

- Waves start out at sea. As waves approaches the shore, friction slows the base. This causes the orbit to become elliptical.
- Until the top of the wave breaks over. Direction of Wave

Stage One

Water seeps into cracks and fractures in the



Stage Two When the water freezes, it expands about 9%. This wedges apart the rock.



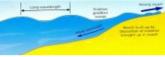
With repeated freeze-thaw cycles, the rock breaks off.

Stage Three



Types of Waves

This wave has a swash that is stronger than the backwash. This therefore builds up the coast.



Destructive Waves

This wave has a backwash that is stronger than the swash. This therefore erodes the coast.



Constructive Waves



Size of waves Fetch how

far the wave

has travelled

How long the

Strength of

the wind.

wind has

been blowing for.

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Coastal Defer	ices		Water Cycle Key T
Hard Engineerin	ng Defences		Precipitation
Groynes	Wood barriers prevent longshore drift, so the beach can build up.	 Beach still accessible. No deposition further down coast = erodes faster. 	Interception
			Surface Runoff
			Infiltration
Sea Walls	Concrete walls	✓ Long life span	Transpiration
	break up the energy of the	✓ Protects from flooding ✓ Curved shape	P

break up the energy of the wave . Has a lip to stop waves going over.	×	Protects from flooding Curved shape encourages erosion of beach deposits.
Cages of	,	Cheap

rocks/boulders

waves energy.

protecting the

Beaches built

up with sand,

so waves have

further before

eroding cliffs.

coast are left to

Located on the North-West coast of Norfolk. The town is a popular

-Hunstanton Cliffs are made from three different bands of rock

notch develops enough for the cliff face to become unstable and

-Hunstanton Cliff are exposed to cliff retreat. This is when a wave-cut

-Longshore drift travels from Sheringham in the north to the Wash in

In 2013, the town suffered damage from a storm surge. The Sea Life

flood & erode.

Low value areas of the

sea resort for tourists to visit all year round.

(sandstone, red chalk and white chalk).

to travel

cliff behind.

absorb the

Gabions or

Nourishment

Managed

Retreat

Soft Engineering Defences

Case Study: Hunstanton Coast

Location and Background

eventually collapses.

the south.

Rip Rap

used to look less strange.

Local material can be

× Will need replacing.

Beach for tourists.

Offshore dredging

damages seabed.

Reduce flood risk

× Compensation for land.

Creates wildlife

habitats.

Storms = need

replacing.

Chean

erms Moisture falling from clouds as rain, snow or hail. Vegetation prevent water reaching the ground. Water flowing over surface of the land into rivers Water absorbed into the soil from the ground. Water lost through leaves of plants. hysical and Human Causes of Flooding.

Physical: Prolong & heavy rainfall	
Long periods of rain causes soil to	
become saturated leading runoff.	

Impermeable rocks causes surface runoff to increase river discharge.

Physical: Geology

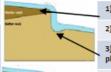
Physical: Relief Steep-sided valleys channels water to flow quickly into rivers causing greater discharge.

Human: Land Use Tarmac and concrete are impermeable. This prevents infiltration & causes surface runoff.

Upper Course of a River

Near the source, the river flows over steep gradient from the hill/mountains. This gives the river a lot of energy, so it will erode the riverbed vertically to form narrow valleys.

Formation of a Waterfall



- 1) River flows over alternative types of rocks.
- 2) River erodes soft rock faster creating a step.
- 3) Further hydraulic action and abrasion form a plunge pool beneath.



- 4) Hard rock above is undercut leaving cap rock which collapses providing more material for
- 5) Waterfall retreats leaving steep sided gorge.

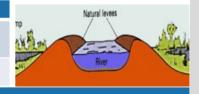
Lower Course of a River

Near the river's mouth, the river widens further and becomes flatter. Material transported is deposited.

Formation of Floodplains and levees

When a river floods, fine silt/alluvium is deposited on the valley floor. Closer to the river's banks, the heavier materials build up to form natural levees.

- Nutrient rich soil makes it ideal for farming.
- Flat land for building houses.



River Management Schemes

Soft Engineering

Afforestation - plant trees to soak up rainwater. reduces flood risk.

Demountable Flood Barriers put in place when warning raised.

Managed Flooding - naturally let areas flood, protect settlements.

Hard Engineering

Straightening Channel - increases velocity to remove flood water.

Artificial Levees - heightens river so flood water is

Deepening or widening river to increase capacity for a flood.

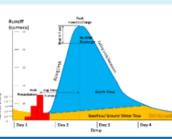
Hydrographs and River Discharge

River discharge is the volume of water that flows in a river. Hydrographs who discharge at a certain point in a river changes over time in relation to rainfall

- 1. Peak discharge is the discharge in a period of time.
- 2. Lag time is the delay between peak rainfall and peak discharge.
- 3. Rising limb is the increase in river discharge.
- 4. Falling limb is the decrease in river discharge to normal level. Case Study: The River Tees

Location and Background

Geomorphic Processes



Middle Course of a River Centre was flooded and closed for a number of months.

Geomorphic Processes Here the gradient get gentler, so the water has less energy and moves more - Old Hunstanton is dominated by dunes that are formed when sand slowly. The river will begin to erode laterally making the river wider. is trapped and built up behind objects.

Formation of Ox-bow Lakes

Step 1 Erosion of outer bank forms river cliff. Deposition inner bank

forms slip off slope.



Further hydraulic action and abrasion of outer banks, neck gets smaller.

Step 2

Step 4

from harder Whinstone and softer limestone rocks. Gradually a gorge has been formed.

Middle - Features include meanders and ox-bow lakes. The meander near Yarm encloses the town. Lower - Greater lateral erosion creates features such as

floodplains & levees. Mudflats at the river's estuary.

Upper - Features include V-Shaped valley, rapids and

waterfalls. Highforce Waterfall drops 21m and is made



-Hunstanton is protected by a number of groynes. These trap sand to build up the beach for better protection.

-The town is also protected by large sea walls to prevent flooding and deflect the waves energy.

-\$15 million has been spent on beach nourishment to add sediment to beach for increased protection against flooding.

Step 3

Erosion breaks through neck, so river takes the fastest route. redirecting flow



Evaporation and deposition cuts off main channel leaving an oxbow lake.

Management

-Towns such as Yarm and Middleborough are economically and socially important due to houses and jobs that are located there.

Located in the North of England and flows 137km from the Pennines to the North Sea at Red Car.

- -Dams and reservoirs in the upper course, controls river's flow during high & low rainfall.
- Better flood warning systems, more flood zoning and river dredging reduces flooding.