

SUMMER TASKS: GEOGRAPHY YEAR 7



TASK ONE

WATCH

Got Netflix? Watch 'The Impossible' (12): a film based on a true story set during the 2004 Indian Ocean tsunami. Or, '72 Dangerous Places to Live' (PG): get up close and personal with avalanches, fiery volcanoes and other natural disasters and learn why some people choose to live in their destructive paths. Or, 'Into the Inferno' (12): with stunning views of eruptions and lava flows this film captures the raw power of volcanoes. **Not got Netflix? Watch** all FIVE films in 'Week 4 The Nature of Change' (<https://ed.ted.com/earth-school>).

TASK TWO

LISTEN

Choose any four podcasts from '30 Animals That Made Us Smarter' (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p0731jmf>).

TASK THREE

READ

Ten interesting things about water (<https://climatekids.nasa.gov/10-things-water/>) or how we can learn to make self-driving cars safer by studying how ants behave (<https://interestingengineering.com/swarm-intelligence-how-autonomous-cars-might-need-to-learn-from-ants>).

TASK FOUR

EXPLORE

The land of fire and ice: Iceland! Navigate around this amazing country using this interactive Geographical Information System (GIS) map (<https://dtweducation.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapTour/index.html?appid=6b46b331295841eab6ec329869bccb82>)
Or, take a dive to the bottom of the world's oceans (<https://neal.fun/deep-sea/>).

TASK FIVE

DO (... TAKE ACTION)

Contact Middlesbrough MP Andy McDonald (<https://www.andymcdonaldmp.org/contact/>). Tell him what you think and feel about some of the issues facing young people in Middlesbrough today and explain what you would like him (as **your** representative in Parliament) to do about this. Remember to get your facts right and be polite!