

**St. Francis Xavier's College**  
**Course outline for F.5 Geography (17-18)**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Time allocation (lesson)</b>	<b>Assignment</b>
9/17	7.1) Is our earth getting warmer?	2	Summary
	7.3) What are the causes of global warming?	6	Summary
	7.4) How does global warming affect us?	6	Summary
10/17	7.5) How can we ease the problem?	6	Summary + Assessment for learning
	5.1) What is famine? Where do most famines occur?	6	Summary
<b>Chapter Test 1 (Section 7 &amp; 9)</b>			
11/17	5.2) What are the factors affecting agricultural production?	6	Summary
	5.3) What are the agricultural characteristics of nomadic herding in the Sahel?	6	Summary
	5.4) What are the agricultural characteristics of irrigation farming in southern California?	6	Summary
<b>Chapter Test 2 (Section 5)</b>			
12/17	5.5) To what extent can technology help increase agricultural production and alleviate food shortage?	6	Summary + Assessment for learning
<b>First term examination (Section 5, 7 &amp; 9)</b>			
1/18	<b>Discussion of Exam Paper</b>	2	
	6.1) What is happening to TRF?	2	Summary
	6.2) What does a natural TRF look like?	4	Summary
2/18	6.3) How does a TRF ecosystem function?	4	Summary
	6.4) What causes tropical deforestation?	4	Summary
3/18	6.5) What is the impact of large-scale deforestation on TRF?	4	Summary
	6.6) How can we prevent TRF from disappearing?	4	Summary + Assessment for learning
	3.1) Where were manufacturing industries in HK mainly located in the past? Where are they now?	4	Summary
	3.2) Where should manufacturing activities be located?	4	Summary
<b>Chapter Test 3 (Section 6)</b>			
4/18	3.3) How has the location of the iron and steel industry in China changed over time?	4	Summary
	3.4) What are the location factors of the IT industry?	4	Summary
	3.5) What is the impact of changes in industrial location and modes of production?	4	Summary + Assessment for learning
<b>Chapter Test 4 (Section 3 &amp; 4)</b>			

5/18	<b>4.1) How has the urban population in HK changed?</b>	4	Summary
	<b>4.2) How has the internal structure and urban areas of our city changed?</b>	4	Summary
	<b>4.3) What problems does a growing city bring?</b>	4	Summary
	<b>4.4) Sustainable city: Is it a possible solution?</b>	6	Summary
	<b>4.5) What are the costs of developing HK into a sustainable city?</b>	4	Summary + Assessment for learning

### **Assignments:**

- 1) Summary + Assessment for learning
  - Summary on the textbook will be checked during the lessons.
  - Assessment for learning will be marked after every Unit.
  - Additional Map exercises, MC questions, Data-Based questions will be used for training students before the examination.
  - Short essay questions will be practiced in the 2<sup>nd</sup> term.

### **Assessment Mode and Weighting:**

	<b>Form 4</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 10% RT (1)</li> <li>➤ 10% RT (2)</li> <li>➤ 80% Exam</li> </ul>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 10% RT (3)</li> <li>➤ 10% RT (4)</li> <li>➤ 80% Exam</li> </ul>