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Geography Reading – Summer 2022

Suggested reading for geography specialists

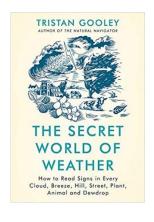
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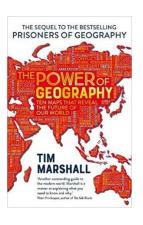
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The secret world of weather: How to Read Signs in Every Cloud, Breeze, Hill, Street, Plant, Animal and Dewdrop

Tristian Gooley (2021) Hodder & Stoughton

This is a remarkably interesting and enjoyable read. If you are someone who likes to go outdoors and observe the weather around you, then Tristian Gooley's book is worth picking up. This book is a guide to many of the clues that help us forecast weather and work out what is going on. Full of interesting facts and advice such as the best types of trees to shelter under during heavy rainfall it is often a humorous read.





Power of geography – 10 maps that reveal the future of our world.

Tim Marshall (2021) Elliott & Thompson Limited

Following his 'Prisoners of Geography' book released in 2016, in this book Tim explores ten countries/regions of geo-political importance: Australia, Iran, Saudi Arabia, the UK, Greece, Turkey, the Sahel, Ethiopia, Spain and Space. Unpicking some of the historical and geographical information of each area, this sequel book to his 'Prisoners of Geography' provides a rich background to each of the regions making you appreciate how important geography is when understanding global politics.

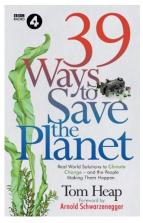


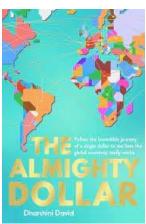


39 Ways to Save the Planet

Tom Heap (2022) BBC press, Ebury Books

This book and the podcast series that goes with it has been highlighted in the article in World Environment Day. This is one of those books which not only should us geography teachers read, but it's a great book to give to family and friends. (Members of my family and friends will all be receiving copies for birthdays this year) Sharing the stories from the series each chapter unpicks a real-world solution to help protect our environment. As he says: 'We got ourselves into this. Here's how we can get ourselves out.'





The Almighty Dollar: Follow the Incredible Journey of Single Dollar to See How the Global Economy Really works.

Dharshini David (2018) Elliott & Thompson Limited

This book has been out for 3 years, but I only recently had the chance to read it, as I was loaned a copy by Jo Skinner at Wildern School. I would recommend it to anyone interested in economics, geopolitics and globalisation. The book is broken down into 9 chapters following the story of one dollar through the interconnected web of trade and finance. It really is a great read to help understand how the global economy works. For potential use in class, you could use sections which explore why so much of our stuff is made in China and why China has been heavily investing in African countries?





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