

# Year 9 Keywords:

## Autumn 1 Geography

**We live in a “Divided World” – one in which opportunity, wealth, and access to goods and services are very much different for people within richer High Income Countries and poorer Low Income Countries**

| <b>Keyword</b>                                | <b>Definition</b>   |
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| <b>Standard of living</b>                     | <b>The amount of money (or wealth) a person or a country has</b>  |
| <b>Gross National Income (GNI)</b>            | <b>A measurement of standard of living: the value of the total amount of goods and services a country produces – in effect the amount of money a country has</b>  |
| <b>Gross National Income (GNI) per capita</b> | <b>Another measurement of standard of living: the amount of money an individual has – in effect their individual wealth</b>                                       |
| <b>Quality of life</b>                        | <b>A person’s access to services such as housing, education and healthcare</b>  |
| <b>High Income Country</b>                    | <b>A country with a high total GNI and high average GNI per capita (over \$13,845)</b>  |
| <b>Low Income Country</b>                     | <b>A country with a low total GNI and low average GNI per capita (less than \$1045)</b>   |
| <b>Newly Emerging Economy</b>                 | <b>A country that has experienced rapid economic growth and increase in GNI, usually through industrial development</b>   |
| <b>Human Development Index (HDI)</b>          | <b>A measure of development using life expectancy, average years of schooling and GNI per capita (based on an individual’s purchasing power)</b>                  |
| <b>Trade</b>                                  | <b>The buying and selling of goods and services between countries</b>   |
| <b>Exports</b>                                | <b>Goods that are sold out of a country to another country</b>  |
| <b>Imports</b>                                | <b>Goods that are bought into a country from another country</b>  |
| <b>Aid</b>                                    | <b>The giving of assistance from a country or organisation to a different country, either in response to a natural disaster or to help the country to develop</b> |