

Geographical Enquiry Strand 1

Exam-style questions: Unfamiliar Fieldwork

Study Figure 1a, a photograph of a stretch of coastline, and Figure 1b, a photograph of a rural upland area.



Figure 1a A stretch of UK coastline, with a beach

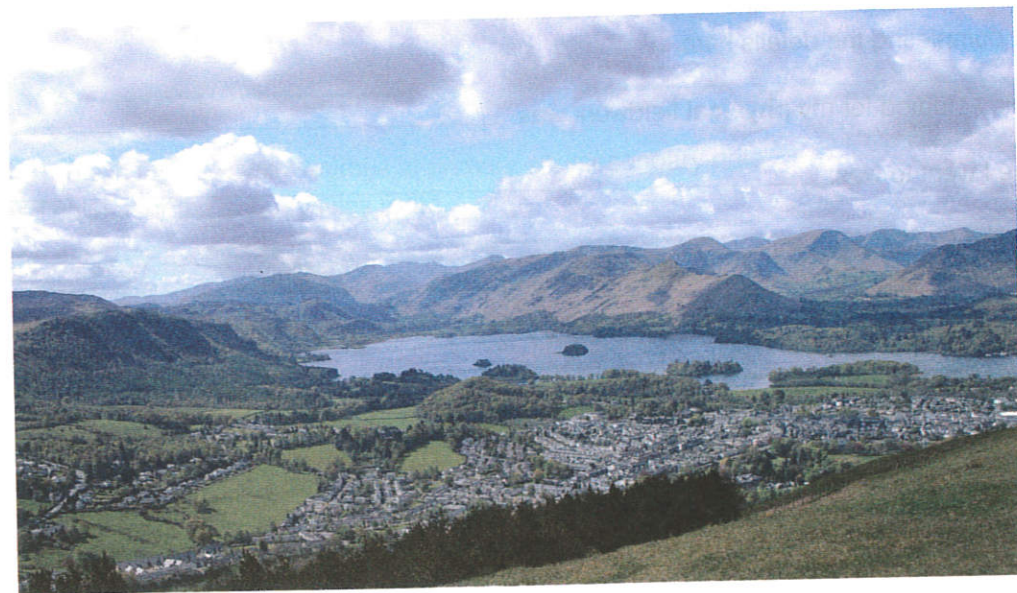


Figure 1b Part of an upland rural area

- 1.1 Identify **one** question or hypothesis that could be investigated using fieldwork in **each** of the areas shown in **Figures 1a** and **1b**.

[2 marks]

Question or hypothesis for Figure 1a:

Question or hypothesis for Figure 1b:

Study Figure 2, a cliff with different rock types in north-east England.



Figure 2 A cliff with different rock types in north-east England

- 1.2 Explain how a secondary source (such as the photo in **Figure 2**) can help you to develop a suitable question or hypothesis for a geographical enquiry.

[2 marks]

Figure 3 is a diagram showing how land-use and the age of buildings varies in a city.

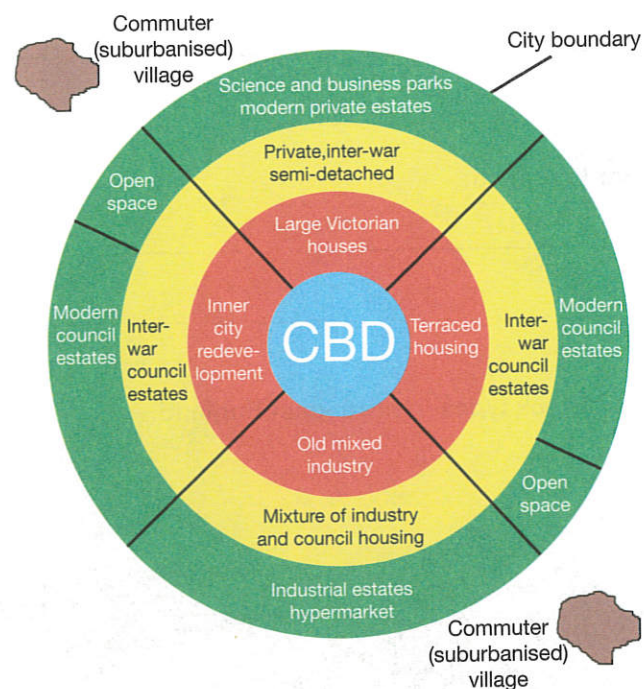


Figure 3 Land-use and building age in a city

1.3 Explain **one** way that a diagram like **Figure 3** could be used to help plan a fieldwork investigation.

[2 marks]

1.4 Explain **two** problems of using a diagram such as **Figure 3** in order to plan a fieldwork investigation.

[4 marks]

Problem 1:

Problem 2:

Study Figure 4, a photograph of students carrying out fieldwork in a woodland environment.



Figure 4 Students carrying out fieldwork in a woodland environment

1.5 Explain **two** possible risks in the area shown in **Figure 4**.

[4 marks]

Risk 1:

Risk 2:

1.6 Explain how **one** risk you identified from **Figure 4** could be managed.

[2 marks]

2.1 State the title of your fieldwork enquiry in which **human** geography data were collected.

Title of fieldwork enquiry:

Explain why it was a suitable title for a fieldwork enquiry.

[2 marks]

2.2 Explain **one** factor you considered when selecting a suitable question / hypothesis for your **human** geography enquiry about the place.

[2 marks]

2.3 State the title of your fieldwork enquiry in which **physical** geography data were collected.

Title of fieldwork enquiry:

Explain why you selected any **two** secondary sources you used as part of your fieldwork enquiry.

[6 marks]

2.4 With reference to the planning and design in **one** of your enquiries, assess how helpful a geographical theory or concept(s) were in developing your enquiry.

Title of fieldwork enquiry:

[9 marks]

[+ 3 SPaG marks]