## Year 8 Unit 1 Overview – Employment and Globalisation

## How is industry changing and where is the best location for a new industry?

## You will learn about

- Different types of employment sectors
- Where industries are located and why
- How employment has changed in the UK and globally due to globalisation.

#### You will be able to

- Give reasons for and compare location of factories
- Make geographical decisions using evidence
- Use literacy (PEEL, PEAL), numeracy (graph skills, and map skills (OS maps)

## **Lesson Overview**

- 1. What types of jobs are there? (What do I want to do when I'm older?)
- What are our class aspirations and how do they compare with the UK? (classroom survey- fieldwork skill)
- 3. How has UK industry and employment changed?
- 4. How do jobs compare around the world?
- 5. What does a factory location need and how can we see that on an OS map?
- 6. What impacts might a new factory have on an area?
- 7. Where to locate a surfboard factory? assessment preparation
- 8. Assessment Where to locate a surfboard factory?
- 9. DIT- What have I learned and how can I improve?

## **Key Words**

- **Economic activity**: a Primary, Secondary, Tertiary industry.
- Factories: buildings where products are made from natural resources.
- High- tech industries: using the latest technology and communications for high quality products.
- **Industry**: Different types of work that people do.
- Labour: people who get paid to work for a living, employed.
- Primary activities: gathering or collecting natural materials.
- Quaternary activities: research and development, invention, discovering new knowledge and ideas.
- Resources: Things useful to produce goods to sell.
  These can be natural and of other value such as money or skilled workers.
- **Secondary activities**: processing raw materials into finished products usually in factories.
- **Site**: the place where a factory is located.
- Tertiary activities: providing a service.

# **Suggested reading**

# Fiction book-

Kick by Mitch Johnson

## Non-fiction book-

Economics through Everyday Stories from Around the World by Elena Fernandez Prados

Non-fiction articles available on showbie

#### **Cross curricular**

**SMSC**: Using empathy when writing about other cultures. Sustainability concerning industrial development.

**Literacy**: The rules and conventions of researching and writing a DME. PEEL paragraphs, SPaG, Slow writing exercise.

**Numeracy**: Chronology, pie charts to represent data from class survey, calculating percentages. Clarke fisher model to represent changing economies and grid references.

Research	Note-making	Group work &	Memorisation	Precision &	Independence	Reflection
		discussion		accuracy	·	