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| **January 2016 Mock Examination Friday 8th January 2016 2PM (1 hr 30)** |

**IGCSE Geography 0460 – Paper 2 Skills**

Paper 2 is a 1hr 30 exam that will test you on your abilities to read and interpret maps, photos, graphs and other data. The questions are generally short response and are based around the core themes that you have been learning in Geography e.g. settlement, rivers etc and do require specific knowledge.

You will have a 1:50000 Map Extract with this paper. You will also have an insert with colour photos to study and interpret. You will also need to bring a Protractor & Ruler for the examination. There are 14 pages and 60 marks available. **You should complete all 6 questions fully**. Watch your time!

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| **Skill** | **Revised and confident** | **Need More Revision** |
| What does 1:50000 actually mean? |  |  |
| I can locate features on a map using four figure grid references. |  |  |
| I can find an area on the map from a blank but numbered grid on the exam paper.  |  |  |
| I know how height is shown on maps (contour lines & spot heights) |  |  |
| I understand what is meant by a settlement hierarchy.  |  |  |
| I know how contour lines can show if land has high relief (steep slopes) or gentle relief (gentle slopes) |  |  |
| I can locate features on a map using six figure grid references. |  |  |
| I know my eight major directions on a map N, NE, E, SE, E, SW, W, NW and can give a bearing in degrees from North for these directions e.g. East is 90° |  |  |
| I understand how the scale line on a map works. |  |  |
| I can measure distances on maps using a ruler for straight line or piece of paper for non-straight line.  |  |  |
| I can spot similarities and differences in photos and have good perception skills.  |  |  |
| I can spot river processes from photos such as meanders, point bars, flood plains etc.  |  |  |
| I can interpret a simple climate graph and can calculate mean temperature and rainfall. |  |  |
| I can interpret bar, line and pie charts |  |  |
| I can remember the different plate boundaries and especially those that cause volcanic activity.  |  |  |

\*\*\*Test your skills by completing the online test [**here**](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/gcsebitesize/geography/geographical_skills/maps/quiz/q51189076/)