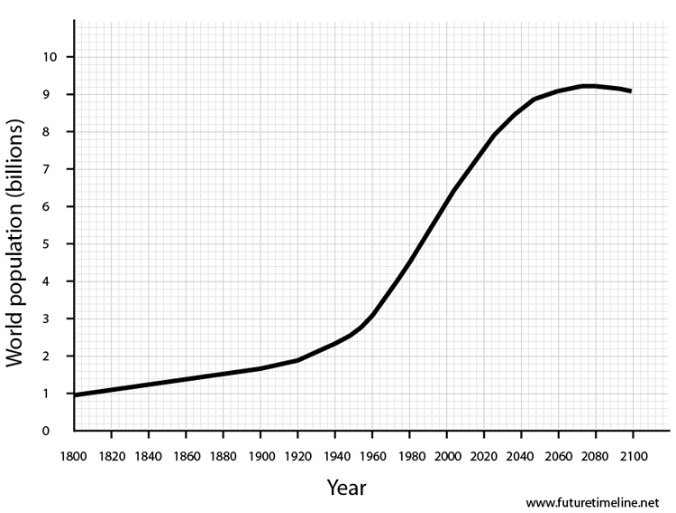
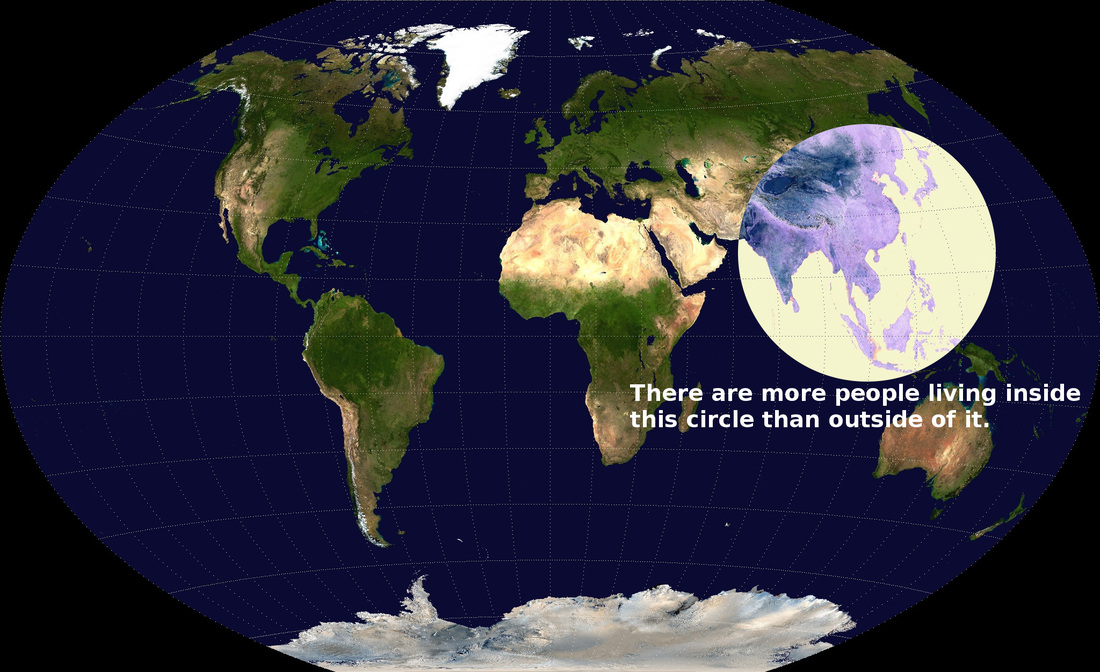
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| **IGCSE Geography – Population Growth & Distribution** |



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| **Task 1 –** Using Geographypods, note down the five reasons why the population growth rate has started to slow. |
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| **Task 2** –  **Task 2i**. Study the graphic and data on geographypods. In the space below, identify the three most populous countries in this circle.  **ii.** Try to identify three issues that could be caused by having such a high concentration of population in this area (circle). |



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| Country 1:  Country 2:  Country 3:  Issue 1:  Issue 2:  Issue 3: |

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| **Task 3** - Define ‘Population Distribution’ |
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| **Task 4** - Define ‘Population Density’ |
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| Picture |
| **Task 5** - Write a good quality description of the distribution of the world’s most populous countries. Try to identify countries that have swelled hugely and those that have almost disappeared. |
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| **Task 6 -** Population density is influenced by a number of factors. Try to explain why the following factors are important in determining whether people can survive in an area or not: |

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| Factor | Explain how it influences population density | Example of place in the world where it causes **high** population density | Example of place in the world where it causes **low** population density |
| Availability of freshwater. |  |  |  |
| Communications (roads, railways, airports). |  |  |  |
| Proximity to the coastline. |  |  |  |
| Cities and their opportunities. |  |  |  |
| The shape (relief) of the land. |  |  |  |

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| **Task 7** - Using the embedded map below, label (using text boxes & arrows) the two different areas of the world where each of the five factors above is / is not available. |

