

## UK landscapes – useful resources

### *Activities and lessons*

- **Teachit geography** <http://www.teachitgeography.co.uk/Ks4physical> - a range of resources (some interactive) written and edited by teachers.
- **Wish you were here!: A different view, Geographical Association** - <http://www.geography.org.uk/resources/adifferentview/imagesandactivities/> - using images from the GA manifesto, 'A different view', this resources suggests a range of activities to investigate physical processes.
- **Managing flood risk: Geographical Association** <http://www.geography.org.uk/resources/flooding/> - four case studies (flooding in Uckfield, Bewdley, Wallasea and Carlisle) looking at why flooding occurs and how the flood risk can be managed in the future.
- **Earth Learning Idea** <http://www.earthlearningidea.com/> - an innovative range of resources supported by the Geologist's Association to teach earth processes. There is an audit of some of these in relation to the new KS3 National Curriculum although many would be useful for GCSE <http://www.geography.org.uk/resources/physicalgeographyresources/>
- **Our wonderful world: Loch Lomond, Geographical Association** <http://www.geography.org.uk/resources/ourwonderfulworld/secondary/lochlomond> - a range of activities and questions based around the landscape of Loch Lomond.
- **Discovering Britain, landscapes discovered through walks: Royal Geographical Society** <http://www.discoveringbritain.org/> - a series of guided walks through the different landscapes of Britain. The guides for the walks can either be downloaded as a print version or as an audio file.
- **Make-a-map, British Geological Survey** <http://www.bgs.ac.uk/discoveringGeology/geologyOfBritain/makeamap/home.html?src=topNav> – an interactive geology map of the UK which can be customised to display or conceal features
- **GB geology with Minecraft, Geological Survey** <http://www.bgs.ac.uk/discoveringGeology/geologyOfBritain/minecraft/home.html#/6232/64/22413/-11/0/0> - a 2D geology map of Great Britain with OS map data on the surface and the position of the geology, built using Minecraft blocks beneath

### *Videos*

- **Pumpkin TV** <http://www.pumpkin-interactive.co.uk/collections/geography> - the new DVD on River processes and landforms has a number of video clips, between 4 and 7 minutes long, and activities to accompany the clips.
- **BBC Learning Zone Class Clips** <http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/z2f4d2p> - a range of short video clips covering a variety of aspects of coastal, glacial and fluvial landscapes.

### *Books and articles*

- **Looking into the physical future, Teaching Geography (2014), volume 39** <http://www.geography.org.uk/journals/journals.asp?articleID=1170> - Duncan Hawley describes activities aimed at stimulating students to probe more deeply into what images might reveal about physical environments.
- **Layered decision making: coastal protection along the Holderness coast, Teaching Geography (2008), volume 33** <http://www.geography.org.uk/journals/journals.asp?articleID=446> - Anna Avanesian applied the strategy of 'layered decision making' to a lesson on coastal erosion in Holderness while she was a PGCE student. It provides a powerful way of examining the complexity of the issue of coastal erosion.
- **From crack to stack!, Teaching Geography (2006), volume 31** <http://www.geography.org.uk/journals/journals.asp?articleID=186> - Hayley Briggs reports on how a hands-on approach to learning about coastal landforms brings fun and creativity to key stage 3, 4 and 5 geography