



# Lambton-Kent Composite School

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## CGF3M - Forces of Nature: Physical Processes and Disasters (College/University) - Grade 11

**Teacher:** Mr. I Avery

**Textbook:** Earth Matters (replacement cost \$75)

**Expectations:** This course examines Earth's physical patterns and processes and how they create natural disasters and can contribute to human disasters. Students will explore how physical processes related to Earth's water, land, and air, as well as interactions between these systems, can affect the planet and its people. Students will apply the concepts of geographic thinking and the geographic inquiry process, including spatial technologies, to investigate Earth's natural processes, to make predictions related to natural disasters, and to create plans to prepare for and/or respond to them.

**Prerequisites:** Geography of Canada, Grade 9, Academic or Applied

**Course Content:** The following list comprises the major units of study:

\*\*\*Mini Map Skills Unit

Unit 1 – Spheres of the Earth “Planetary Systems: Quest for Balance”

Unit 2 – Sustainability and Stewardship “Structure of the Earth”

Unit 3 – Interaction and Interdependence “Gradational Processes”

Unit 4 – Impacts of Change “Weather and Climate”

\*\*\* Culminating Activity

### Assessment and Evaluation:

<b>K</b> nowledge	25%
<b>I</b> nquiry	25%
<b>C</b> ommunication	25%
<b>A</b> pplication	25%

Term	70%
Exam & Culminating	30%

### LKCS Late and Missed Assignments Policy

*Students are expected to submit all assignments within the time frame specified by the teacher. Teachers will consider extenuating circumstances when assignments are late.*

*If an assignment is late, **10%** may be deducted per school day, up to a maximum of **50%**. Once assignments have been returned to students, any late submissions may receive a **mark of zero**.*

I have read and understood the above course outline including the new LKDSB Late and Missed Assignment Policy.

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