**Research tasks to complete this week:**

**Train Travel 1**

You have been asked to book a trip to central Paris for your boss for a meeting on Monday, returning on Tuesday.

Find the cheapest and quickest way to get there, taking into account security times. (Eurostar security 45mins in advance, Flights 2 hours in advance, and transfers into central Paris upon arrival.

Leave London approx 09:00 on Monday, return Tuesday approx 17:00 (5pm) into London

Show your research and evaluate which method would be most suitable.

**Train Travel 2**

Research Shinjuku Train station and Evaluate it as a Gateway - <https://www.shinjukustation.com/>

Consider the good and bad points of the train station.

How does it meet the needs of different types of customer?

List down the facilities which are on offer there. How does this make it an appealing gateway?

**Integrated Travel Systems 1 – Rio de Janiero**

What is an integrated travel system?

Use the internet to research the how Rio developed an integrated public transport system

**Write down what they did and the benefits of this new system they developed**

You could use sites like:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqdkkqt/revision/6

https://www.travelandleisure.com/attractions/olympic-games/get-around-rio-during-olympics

<https://theculturetrip.com/south-america/brazil/articles/a-users-guide-to-rio-de-janeiros-public-transport-system/>

**Integrated Travel Systems 2 – Heathrow Airport**

Investigate and create a poster of all the different types of transport which are available from LHR to get into Central London.

**Sea Travel 1**

Find a ferry port in the UK

List the main routes (where the ferry goes) and the main companies that travel from there

Find the price of a journey in late August for one of the routes you have chosen

Which type of customers are likely to travel by ferry and why?

**Sea Travel 2**

Research the 'Best Port of Call in the UK 2019'

Create a poster to show why this is the best port of call in the UK.

Include:

Location , Reasons, Facilities and Key features.

**Sea Travel 4**

Map the Ten busiest ports…

**Top 5 by passenger numbers (Ferry and Cruise)**

Helsinki, Finland

Dover, UK

Tallinn, Estonia

Messina, Italy

Calais, France

**Top 5 Cruise ports by passenger numbers**

Miami, Florida, USA

Canaveral, Florida, USA

Everglades, Florida, USA

Cozumel, Mexico

Nassau, Bahamas

**Overland Travel**

Who would overland travel appeal to and why?

Who would overland travel **not** appeal to and why?

You are a backpacker and want to travel from London to Istanbul overland using a combination of different methods. Can you work out a route, with different options, stating the length of the journey and places you could stop off along the way, which would be of interest to them.

**Air Travel**

Is flying the most convenient way to travel?

Plan a journey on a selected date from central London to Brussels by scheduled airline, low cost airline, coach/Eurotunnel, Eurostar and self-drive/ferry. For each journey you should give travel routes, departure and arrival gateways, travel times, connections, transfers and costs.

Once complete justify which route you would recommend for different types of customer and why. (business traveller, backpacker, family going on holiday, elderly couple, group educational visit). You may recommend more than one route as long as you can justify your reasons why.