

Snapshot: Geography 7–10

Changes in Australian Curriculum Version 9.0

		Comments
Strand and sub-strand	Renamed, moved or deleted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • strands renamed from Geographical knowledge and understanding to Knowledge and understanding and from Geographical inquiry and skills to Skills • Knowledge and understanding strand has been reorganised into sub-strands (previously units) • sub-strands in Skills strand have been reorganised and renamed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Questioning and researching using geographical methods Observing, questioning and planning – Collecting, recording, evaluating and representing – Interpreting and analysing geographical data and information Interpreting, analysing and concluding – Concluding and decision-making – Communicating Reflecting and responding
Learning area content	What's new?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • structure <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – emphasis on the interrelated nature of the two strands, noting that they should be programmed and taught in an integrated way – expectation that all sub-strands are to be studied in each year level in Years 7–8 and if taught, as an elective in Years 9–10
	What's changed?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cultural connectedness of people to places in Year 7, with a focus on the cultural connectedness of First Nations Australians to Country/Place • identification of a strategy for action in relation to environmental, economic, social or other factors and explanation of potential or predicted impacts in Years 7, 8 and 10
	What's been removed?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • content related to reflections
Achievement standard	What's changed?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • achievement standard paragraph structure remains unchanged

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