State of the Park Report 2013 ~ A guide for GCSE students

The Report http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/microsites/sopr/overview draws together all the research and data that helped shape the 2012~2017 Management Plan National Park and strategies. It is designed for anyone with an interest in the Peak District National Park including teachers and school students researching for projects.

Both Hyperlinks above are *microsites* within the main PDNP website http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/ and the SotP Report can be found via the magenta button **LEARNING** about the National Park ~ Resources for Secondary Schools.

<u>What does the report have in it?</u> The chart below gives you an overview of what is contained in the report. The data will be continuously updated online.

Most pages contain several hyperlinks to more detailed information on the topic

Overview

Purpose ~ what and who is the report for?

Structure of this website ~ Explains how is the website organised?

Location & Overview:The Peak District ~ Where is it and what is it like?

Major Land Ownership ~ who owns the Peak District NP?

Data Availablity ~ where does our information come from?

Other Research ~ Links to publications and reports that research various aspects of the Peak District and National Parks in 4 'libraries';

Landscape & Environment

Welcoming ~ Tourism & Recreation

Communities ~ **Demographics**

Economy & Business

Landscape

and its effect on factors listed below;

Climate ~ what is our 'average weather' like? ~ includes charts & issues.

Climate Change ~ issues including Global Warming. Includes charts.

Landscape Character ~ the variety of PD landscapes.

Biodiversity ~ to be updated soon.

Minerals ~ mining & quarrying and related issues.

Air Quality ~ Pollution of the atmosphere ~ includes charts & issues.

River Quality ~ for main rivers. Includes charts & issues.

Agriculture ~ Includes charts & issues about farming.

Light Pollution ~ issues re. artificial light pollution with maps.

Nature Conservation ~ designations including SSSIs and challenges.

Cultural Heritage ~ from the prehistoric period to modern times & 'Risks'.

Welcoming ~ Who visits the NP? Includes tables of data.

Tourism ~ includes Volume, Value, Profiles, NP Visitor Centres & current Data sets.

Recreation ~ current trends, charts & issues.

Communities ~ Who lives here?

Demographics ~ Age Structure / Resident population & Density .

Deprivation ~ levels of 'unmet needs' e.g. unemployment.

Access to services ~ residents distance from key services/ chart

Housing ~ issues re. 2nd homes, housing composition, type, etc.

Crime ~ levels of crime and anti social behavior

Broadband ~ provision, speed and quality of broadband / Maps

Transport ~ car ownership, usage & road statistics from1980

Residents Survey~2012/charts.

Economy ~ Economic activity within the Peak District ~ each subsection shows charts / tables of data & lots of LINKS.

Labour Supply ~ current work force& employment levels.

Unemployment ~ current rates with trends & analysis.

Employment ~ resident unemployment rate with trends.

Turnover & GVA ~ types of industry / jobs by sector

Industry & Business ~ the contribution of businesses to the economy

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You may also find the following links useful;

Aims and Purposes of National Parks (UK Association of National Park Authorities)

National Parks (Natural England)

Purposes and Duty (National Park Management Plan)

The **PDNP** Recreation Strategy in the Management Plan ~ http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/microsites/npmp/our-vision/a-welcoming-and-inspiring-place/wi-4-recreation

And the *Delivery Plan* for the **Recreation Strategy**

http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/__data/assets/pdf_file/0009/238464/WI4-Delivery-Plan.pdf

The **PDNPSustainable Tourism** policy in the Management Plan ~ http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/microsites/npmp/our-vision/a-welcoming-and-inspiring-place/wi-1-sustainable-tourism

And the *Delivery Plan* for **Sustainable Tourism** ~ http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/ data/assets/pdf_file/0010/238447/WI1-Delivery-Plan.pdf