

**St. Francis Xavier's College**  
**NSS Geography**  
**Reminders for Form 6 students in 2024-2025**

**Assessment Mode and Weighting:**

	<b>Form</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Term	➤ 100% First Term Examination

**First Term:**

Cycle	Date	Unit	Teaching Objectives	Assignment
1	<b>Oxford NSS Geography Book 3 Chapter 6 – Disappearing green canopy – Who should pay for the massive deforestation in rainforest regions?</b>			
	4 Sept – 13 Sept	<b>Unit 6.3</b>	- TRF as an ecosystem (energy flow and nutrient cycling)	Past Paper Exercises 2016, 2018 climate
2	14 Sept – 25 Sept	<b>Unit 6.4</b>	- Causes of deforestation in TRF	Past Paper Exercises
3	26 Sept – 7 Oct	<b>Unit 6.5</b>	- impacts of deforestation in TRF	Past Paper Exercises
4	8 Oct – 17 Oct	<b>Unit 6.6</b>	- Measures of protecting the TRF and their effectiveness	Revision Exercises Past Paper Exercises
5	<b>Oxford NSS Geography Book E2 – Weather and Climate</b>			
	18 Oct – 29 Oct	<b>Unit 9.2</b>	- Factors affecting temperature patterns: insolation, land sea difference, ocean current, winds, altitude and aspects	Revision Exercises Past Paper Exercises
6	30 Oct – 12 Nov	<b>Unit 9.3</b> <b>Unit 9.4</b>	- Factors affecting air pressure: air temperature, altitude and air movement - Planetary wind system: How air pressure belts and wind belts shift with the seasons, Tri-cellular model of atmospheric circulation - Rain formation and geographical distribution	Past Paper Exercises
7-10	13 Nov – 17 Jan	<b>Unit 0</b>	- Map-reading skills revision - Past paper practice	