



TCOLC Sixth Form

Yr11 – 12 Transition Activities

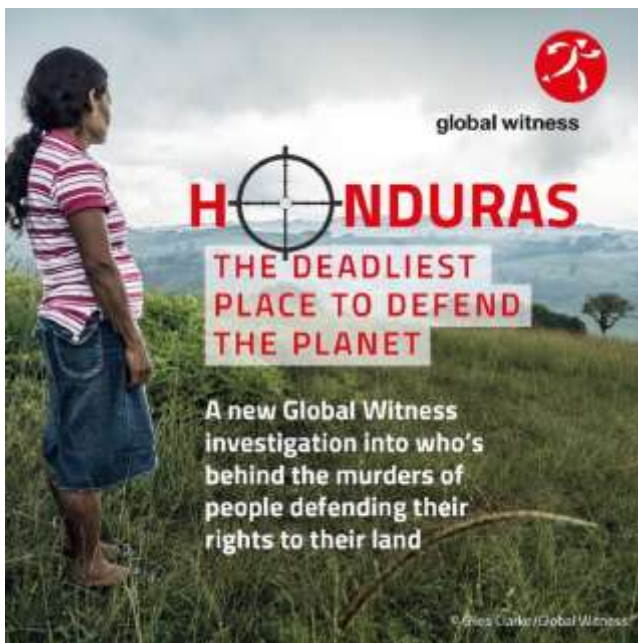
Subject: **Geography**



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HUMAN RIGHTS RESEARCH

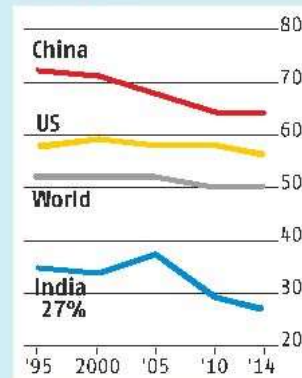
A-LEVEL GEOGRAPHY



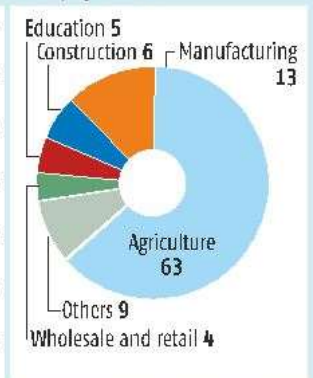
EMPOWERMENT

India's women are among the least likely to be part of the labour force; of the Indian women that are employed, most work in agriculture

Female participation rate in the labor force



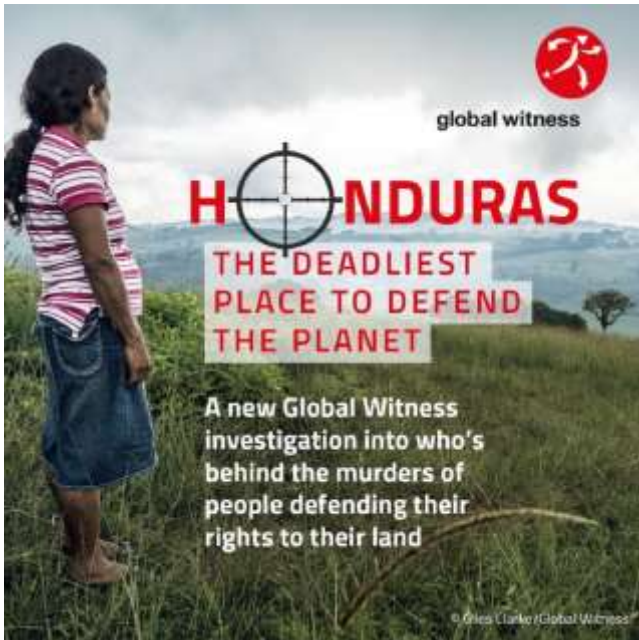
Share of India's female labor force, by sector



(Figure in %) Sources: The World Bank (participation rate); India's Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation



Human rights abuses in **HONDURAS**



Background to Honduras

One of the least developed countries in Central America

GDP/capita \$4700 / life expectancy for males 69, female 73

MMR 120 / 100000 live births

IMR 18/100000 live births

Employment: 39% of the population

85% literacy

Country has been politically unstable – military control until

Problem with security

Country damaged by Hurricane Mitch in 1998

Watch the following videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VERguOc0laE>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KbnhUrJ13po>

Make notes on the following:

1. What are the reasons for the human rights abuses in Honduras?
 2. How should a developing country address these human rights abuses?
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Human rights abuses in Afghanistan



Background information:

Landlocked

Mountainous

Political instability

Primary sector

Taliban controls ____% of the country overthrown by USA and allies

Started negotiations for peace – attacks still continue



Watch the following videos and make some of the questions that follow:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tdIEhOqSnUA>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wk3ZN7YXUro&t=527s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sEtYN70okug>

1. What is life like for a woman in Afghanistan?
 2. What are the human rights abuses in Taliban controlled areas?
 3. Why is the USA withdrawing from Afghanistan?
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CASE STUDY WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN INDIA

MasterCard Worldwide Index of Women's Advancement						
Market	Overall Score 2012	Five Indicator Scores				
		Tertiary Education	Business Owners	Business & Govt Leaders	Workforce Participation	Regular Employment Opportunities
Australia	83.3	134.5	56.6	73.1	81.6	105.5
New Zealand	83.1	137.7	46.8	77.1	83.2	111.1
Philippines	77.8	125.8	47.1	192.3	62.8	98.1
Singapore	77.4	98.1	46.0	65.5	74.0	113.6
Vietnam	75.0	107.2	37.5	32.7	90.1	71.6
Thailand	74.6	133.2	38.5	36.0	79.9	95.2
China	73.7	118.4	42.6	24.0	84.3	82.8
Hong Kong	73.7	104.2	29.0	48.4	75.1	110.1
Taiwan	73.5	107.0	30.4	34.3	78.8	109.0
Malaysia	68.3	135.9	32.5	58.7	57.1	111.2
Indonesia	67.9	103.3	35.9	45.9	61.0	94.4
Japan	64.8	89.6	29.4	15.0	69.0	105.3
Korea	63.5	73.1	42.2	17.3	68.9	102.8
India	48.4	69.5	32.5	65.8	35.9	52.9

The scores above show the proportion of women to every 100 men for each category. Scores of over 100 are truncated to 100 when the overall Index score is derived, so as to ensure one component does not skew the overall Index score.

INDIA'S GENDER SLIDE

Source: The Global Gender Gap Report 2017, World Economic Forum

India's rank out of 144 nations on global gender gap index

108

India's rank in 2016

87

India's rank in 2006

98

PARAMETERS

ECONOMIC PARTICIPATION

Rank: 139

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Rank: 112

HEALTH AND SURVIVAL

Rank: 141

POLITICAL EMPOWERMENT

Rank: 15

Other BRICS countries:

China

Rank: 100

Russia

Rank: 71

S. Africa

Rank: 19

Brazil

Rank: 90

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PLEASE NOTE THAT SOME OF YOU MAY FIND UPSETTING

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xm8Gn5IEoxI>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MT6HoFa8ZDk&t=202s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=epO7CVlvzZE>

1. Why is India seen by many as the most dangerous place on earth for women?
2. How is society causing a lot of abuses of women to go unpunished?
3. Why do you think is human rights abuses so much more prevalent in the rural areas?

Movie watching homework:

Please try and watch the film Chhapaak with Deepika Padukone

