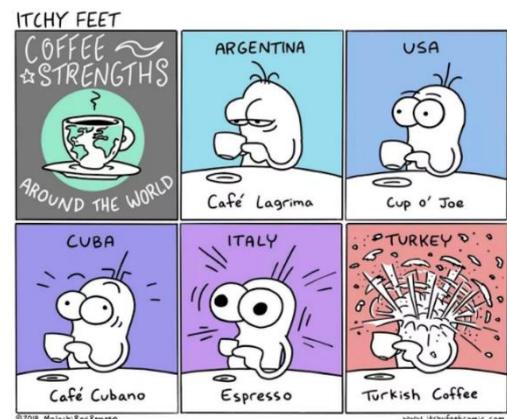


## Year 11 going into 12 – Human Geography Bridging Pack 3: Global Systems and Global Governance

The idea behind this bridging pack is to use the time that you have between now and September to get ahead for your A Level Geography course. You will be studying 3 modules for the Human paper. These three packs cover the Human paper topics.



1. What is globalisation?
2. Globalisation refers to a worldwide market. In contrast, glocalisation produces goods that are adapted to local markets. How does the cartoon image on the right illustrate glocalisation?
3. With reference to question 2, take a look at the artist's website for more ideas about glocalisation and perceptions of place (which gives a synoptic link to the Changing Places module too): <http://www.itchyfeetcomic.com/>



4. We study both Walmart and Tata as global companies. Find out some facts about each company (e.g. location of Head Office, value of sales, retail locations globally).
5. How do these two web pages show a world that is connected? What are the 'flows' that connect place both here and in other examples that you can think of?
  - a. [https://www.reddit.com/r/MapPorn/comments/b88cyg/all\\_the\\_underwater\\_fiber\\_optic\\_cables\\_that/?utm\\_content=buffer84b2c&utm\\_medium=social&utm\\_source=twitter.com&utm\\_campaign=buffer](https://www.reddit.com/r/MapPorn/comments/b88cyg/all_the_underwater_fiber_optic_cables_that/?utm_content=buffer84b2c&utm_medium=social&utm_source=twitter.com&utm_campaign=buffer)
  - b. <https://www.marinetraffic.com/en/ais/home/centerx:-1.5/centery:50.8/zoom:9>
6. What is the Yamal megaproject and how is it threatening the Nenets (indigenous nomadic reindeer herders)?
7. What is China's 'belt and road' initiative? Read this article and make some notes: <https://www.theguardian.com/cities/ng-interactive/2018/jul/30/what-china-belt-road-initiative-silk-road-explainer>
8. What is the trade war between the USA and China all about? Read this article and make some notes: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business-45899310>

9. We look at the coffee trade later in this module. Use images to show how coffee is grown and produced (I've asked for images as coffee that is growing does not look like coffee that you'd buy!) Try to include some specific locations.
10. What is palm oil and why do some people see it as a problem?
11. The global commons are places that are outside of the political reach of any country. What do you think the four global commons are?
12. We study Antarctica later in the module. Create a fact file about Antarctica. What threats does Antarctica face and how is it governed?
13. Suggested books to read for in preparation for this module:
  - a. Prisoners of Geography: Ten Maps That Tell You Everything You Need to Know About Global Politics - Tim Marshall
  - b. Factfulness: Why Things Are Better Than You Think - Hans Rosling
  - c. The Levelling: What's Next After Globalization - Michael O'Sullivan