

Helping schools inspire pupils by deepening their understanding of global issues

We're here to prepare pupils for life. Our philosophy is to teach good lessons, but also to create a curriculum that means something to them. We have a moral duty to show pupils that there's more out there than just what they see on a day-to-day basis.

Ian Kelly, Vice Principal
The Academy of St Francis of Assisi, Liverpool

Find out how your school can be part of the GLP...

"We can teach children certain things but actually it's that respect for themselves and respect for others that sees them through life."
Brian Walton, Head Teacher, Headley Park Primary School, Bristol

"Global learning brings a knowledge and awareness of the positive aspects of cultures around the world, the challenges that exist in terms of your future life and work contribution, and how you may be able to contribute to finding solutions to international problems."
Joan Deslandes, Head Teacher, Kingsford Community School, Newham

"Even the most disengaged students were involved in the class discussion."
Lilian Ogunbiyi, Head of Life Skills, Queensbury Academy

"It's about your impact on the world. What you're doing yourself to other people and what other people are doing to you. It makes you self-aware."
Year 9 pupil, St Peter's RC High School, Manchester

"Things develop in ways that are unexpected – but much more meaningful than we ever anticipate."
Jane Yates, Armathwaite Community Primary School

"When you talk to the children about their place in the world, and they get to explore different communities and different cultures, that's when they really come alive."
Reena Merali, Argyle School

"An imaginative approach to the curriculum inspires pupils to become confident learners. It promotes strengths in pupils in writing and, increasingly, an awareness of global issues."
Extract from Castle Park School Ofsted report, March 2014

"Pupils' spiritual, moral, social and cultural development is exceptional. They have a highly developed understanding of global issues and how they can make a positive impact on their local environment and beyond."
Extract from Hawkeshead Esthwaite Primary School Ofsted report, July 2014

Visit the website to find out more...

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What is the Global Learning Programme?

The Global Learning Programme (GLP) is a ground-breaking programme that is building a national network of like-minded schools, committed to equipping their students to make a positive contribution to a globalised world. The GLP helps teachers in **Primary**, **Secondary** and **Special** schools to deliver effective teaching and learning about development and global issues at Key Stages 2 and 3.

Why take part?

Schools participating in the GLP will experience the exciting impact that knowledge and understanding of global learning can bring to pupils' learning across the curriculum. It helps pupils make sense of the world in which they live and to understand their role within a global society. The GLP will also help schools develop an ethos promoting tolerance, fairness and respect.

Teachers involved in the GLP will work with colleagues in local, like-minded schools to drive forward global learning across the curriculum, share best practice and engage in CPD opportunities.

"The school uses global education themes very effectively to set pupils' learning in a worldwide context and broaden their views of the world. This makes the learning more relevant and interesting for pupils, and so it contributes to their enthusiasm for learning."

Extract from Buntingsdale Primary School Ofsted report, January 2015

Join the programme and become a GLP Partner School...

Why become a GLP Partner School?

Partner Schools have an interest in global learning and wish to join the programme as a means of **engaging pupils**.

Partner Schools will have access to a comprehensive programme of professional development to enhance both knowledge of and engagement with global learning in their school. **Partner Schools will have access to e-credits** that can be redeemed against GLP-approved courses run by third-party providers. Additional CPD is also provided via eight half-termly twilight sessions (or equivalent) run by the local GLP Expert Centre.

Each Partner School appoints a GLP co-ordinator who works closely with their local Expert Centre to explore how global learning and development education can be integrated across their whole school. Together they help colleagues integrate global learning across the curriculum to give pupils a better knowledge and understanding of international development and of their role in a globally interdependent world.

Next steps

Access the free tools, curriculum guidance, resources, funding and local network support at www.glp-e.org.uk



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"The Global Learning Programme will teach young people about some of the challenges the world faces; supporting teachers to help students think critically about issues such as development, security, trade and sustainability."

Rt. Hon. Justine Greening MP,
Secretary of State for International
Development, November 2013

Already have an interest in global learning?
Then become a GLP Expert Centre and get funding to lead your own GLP network...

If you have a passion and expertise in global learning and whole-school development, together with strong CPD capability, then becoming a GLP Expert Centre can provide a practical way for the school to **share this expertise** locally while also gaining recognition and **CPD opportunities** for colleagues. Many schools will see becoming an Expert Centre as a natural development from their existing expertise and work on other awards, such as the Rights Respecting Schools Award, International School Award or the Primary and Secondary Geography Quality Marks.

As well as exemplifying global learning in their own school, the main role of an Expert Centre is to build a local network of like-minded schools, and work with these colleagues to drive forward global learning across the curriculum, share best practice and host network CPD sessions.

GLP Expert Centres will be granted funding to deliver the programme of twilight CPD and support sessions for their network of Partner Schools. The funding amount is dependent upon the number of Partner Schools that each Expert Centre is supporting.

Find out more

To find out more about becoming a GLP Expert Centre, visit the GLP website (www.glp-e.org.uk).

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The GLP is funded by the UK government. All schools can join the programme, but funding is only available to Key Stages 2 and 3 in state schools in England.