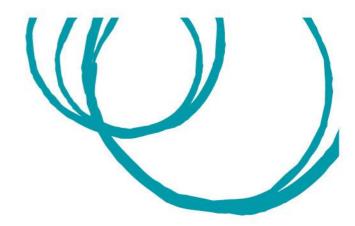


# **CONNECTING**CLASSROOMS



"Global issues are local issues ...

... they are global in their reach but we experience them in very different ways."



## Make Learning Meaningful through Global Collaboration and Connection

Living in an increasingly interdependent and complex world, young people need to see the relevance of their learning, and develop skills and competences that will stay with them through life. From 2018-2021, Connecting Classrooms through Global Learning (CCGL) is offering a flexible menu of opportunities, to support pupils and teachers to connect with their peers across the world and to become critically engaged and active in the issues that are shaping their lives.

- Book in-school or cluster CPD training tailored to support your global learning journey
- Connect students in collaborative pupil projects through an International School Partnership
- Apply for a grant to support your project and reciprocal teacher visits
- Join other schools in a local CCGL cluster to learn and travel together

Schools can express their interest and take up these opportunities at any time. Our Global Learning School Advisors are available to support you. Grant applications are open four times a year.

We also provide scheduled training for teachers and staged support to clusters in the run up to grant application deadlines. Please see overleaf for an overview of planned support this academic year.

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#### Find an International Partner School

To find an international partner school contact **schools@britishcouncil.org** or the British Council's Belfast office on 028 90 192 229/266 (email Satya.Roberts@britishcouncil.org/ Elaine.Nesbitt@britishcouncil.org)

For further information on partner countries and themes, visit: https://connecting-classrooms.britishcouncil.org/find-a-partner/international-themes

## Training for Cluster Leads: Making a Successful International Partnership Grant Application

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2019 or Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2019 Play Resource Centre, Belfast

To book onto this course, there must be a minimum of two schools from Northern Ireland, each with an international partner school (or awaiting a match from the British Council partnerships team). Each local school must have completed a CCGL school self-evaluation and be committed to submitting a grant application in June (April training) or October (June training) 2019. Sub-cover is available for attending this course if there are 3 or more local schools in your cluster. For further information and to book onto a training day for cluster leads visit:

www.globallearningni.com/events/cluster-lead-training

### Scheduled Global Learning Training

Belfast, Bellaghy & Omagh, April – May 2019

We are offering a Level 2 course for primary teachers in Global Learning: Educating for a Fair & Sustainable World. You must commit to attending at least **two thematic plus one sharing practice sessions**. If you have already been trained through the Global Learning Programme you will have covered content in the Introduction to Global Learning and Topic Based Learning workshops, though you are welcome to join if you would like a refresher. We welcome teachers that lead on Global Learning and their colleagues. All workshops run from **2:30-4:30pm**. For further information and to book onto a training course visit: www.globallearningni.com/connecting-classrooms/ccgl-professional-development-for-teachers

Primary Workshops	Omagh	Bellaghy	Belfast
Introduction to Global Learning	26 <sup>th</sup> March	27 <sup>th</sup> March	28 <sup>th</sup> March
Promoting Mutual Understanding through Inquiry and Mapping	9th April	3 <sup>rd</sup> April	4 <sup>th</sup> April
Introduction to Facilitating Pupil Action Projects	2nd April	10 <sup>th</sup> April	11 <sup>th</sup> April
Communication & Literacy Through a Global Learning Lens	30 <sup>th</sup> April	1 <sup>st</sup> May	2 <sup>nd</sup> May
Adding a Global Learning Dimension to Topic Based Learning	7 <sup>th</sup> May	8 <sup>th</sup> May	9 <sup>th</sup> May
Sharing Practice Workshop	28 <sup>th</sup> May	29th May	30th May
Sharing Practice Online Webinar (if unable to attend face to face)	4 <sup>th</sup> June & 5 <sup>th</sup> June		

#### **Book Bespoke Training for your School 2019-2021**

Our professional development training is designed to support schools to enhance their global learning and international school partnerships. You can book our trainers to come to your school or cluster at a time and date that suits you. The minimum number of participants is 4. For further information see pages 14-15 of the CCGL project handbook or visit:

www.globallearningni.com/connecting-classrooms/ccgl-professional-development-for-teachers

**For Further Information** about any of the above opportunities see the project handbook or contact a School Advisor at the Centre for Global Education on 028 90 241 879 or email **schools@centreforglobaleducation.com**.