

# NEW GLOBAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES



Inspiring action through
learning about the World

### **ABOUT BPEC**

Brighton Peace and Environment Centre (BPEC) is an educational charity which encourages people to explore the links between their own lives and with people, places and issues around the world.

BPEC supports educators to bring a global dimension to learning. This explores diversity, social justice and environmental sustainability whilst developing creativity and critical thinking.

The education programme provides a range of training for staff teams and individuals. Our courses are run in a range of venues across Sussex, or we can visit your school for training tailored to your requirements.

#### We provide:

- courses run for teachers with a specific global learning focus
- whole school training (governors welcome)
- training for artists and other practitioners involved with the arts, music or sport.

#### Become a member

Membership allows schools and individuals to access BPEC's learning resource centre which has a wealth of teaching materials, children's books, artefacts and DVDs. You will also be kept up to date with events, opportunities, networks and resources.





Book a training session for your staff team or book on one of our upcoming courses – see dates below

# PEACE & ENVIRONMENT



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### TRAINING COURSES

# THINKING FOR GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP: TEACHER'S TOOLKIT



This exciting resource has been developed in conjunction with West Sussex teachers and Healthy Schools Team and trialled with primary schools in the county.

**NEW** 

A three day training course focusing on this resource will encourage participants to:

- recognise Global Citizenship as a whole school ethos, with links to all curriculum areas
- understand and address issues embodied in current agendas such as Prevent and Every Child Matters
- address controversial issues in the school community with confidence
- increase pupils' knowledge, critical thinking skills, motivation and self-esteem
- weave identity, globalisation and justice into the curriculum through a questioning approach
- become a catalyst for change.

All participants receive a free copy of this comprehensive toolkit.



### TRAINING COURSES

"Education for Global Citizenship enables pupils to develop the knowledge, skills and values needed for securing a just and sustainable world in which all may fulfill their potential" Oxfam

# GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP WITH DIVERSE COMMUNITIES



Practical engaging activities will explore teaching on local and global societies in a way which challenges stereotypes and presents a balanced view.

Tailored to your specific requirements, your team will be introduced to exciting resources available from the centre, exploring opportunities for a truly diverse curriculum.

Support with planning and time for discussing challenging issues, giving confidence to teachers to incorporate Global Citizenship into the primary classroom.



### GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP WITH ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Focusing on opportunities to explore common environmental concerns, through examples of communities around the world and how they are responding to global challenges.

Moving on from recycling to engage with complex issues which explore our many links with the environment, developing critical thinking skills and exploring positive solutions.

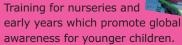


#### GLOBAL LEARNING SCHOOL: LEARNING IN A GLOBAL CONTEXT

Develop a whole school approach to Global Citizenship in your school. This comprehensive package includes:

- an audit of Global Citizenship within your school
- a tailored training programme to suit the needs and interest of your staff team and curriculum
- access to resources
- ongoing support and reviews.

### GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP FOR EARLY YEARS



- Supporting staff teams to foster understanding and respect of equalities, social justice and global environmental concerns with pre school and early years children.
- Discussing language and terminology to give confidence in challenging discriminatory behaviour.
- Introducing resources and childrens books that develop children's awareness of the wider world.

# SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY



Step-by-step guidance for teachers interested in establishing a school partnership.

- Exploring expectations of a school link.
- Activities that could take place between schools.
- Preparing for shared planning with your partner.
- Finding a partner and funding for first teacher visits.
- Overview of principles and practice and what to do next

In collaboration with the International Officer, Brighton & Hove City Council.



### WHOLE-SCHOOL THEMED WEEKS - ARTS, ENVIRONMENTAL OR INTERNATIONAL

Providing support and practical exciting ideas, to bring Global Citizenship into your school community.

- Introducing Global Citizenship and what it means for your school.
- Exploring resources and artefacts to focus on a specific Global Citizenship theme.
- Learning about examples from other schools and sharing ideas.
- Supporting how a themed week can be implemented in your school.



## ARTISTS AND EXTERNAL EDUCATORS IN SCHOOLS

Training in Global Citizenship is available for external practitioners working in schools. These courses are suitable for those involved in sports education and artists working in schools.

- Support with planning global learning programmes which fit with schools agendas.
- Maximise global learning opportunities within your practice.
- Network and share ideas.

BPEC holds a database of artists and practitioners working with schools locally. You may apply to be included within our network following this training day.