



Key Questions

What is a Global Citizen?

- A global citizen isn't just someone who has travelled the world.
- It's someone who understands the interconnectedness of our planet and their role within it.
- They care about global issues and strive to make a positive difference.

Key Qualities of a Global Citizen

- Open-mindedness and Respect: Appreciating different cultures and perspectives.
- Empathy and Compassion: Understanding the challenges faced by others around the world.
- Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving: Thinking globally about solutions to global issues.
- Action and Participation: Taking steps to create a better world, big or small.

Global Issues Facing Global Citizens

What are the challenges we face?

- Climate Change: Rising temperatures, extreme weather events, and rising sea levels.
- Poverty and Inequality: Unequal distribution of resources and wealth.
- Conflict and War: The devastating effects of war and displacement on people's lives.
- Human Rights: Ensuring everyone has their fundamental rights protected.

Taking action:

- Stay Informed: Read news from international sources about global issues.
- Think Critically: Question information, consider different viewpoints.
- Support Global Causes: Raise awareness, volunteer your time, or donate to charities.
- Make Sustainable Choices: Consider the impact of your actions on the environment.
- Embrace Diversity: Celebrate different cultures and promote understanding in your community.
- Examples: Greta Thunberg (climate activism), Malala Yousafzai (education rights), Marcus Rashford (poverty and food insecurity).

Being a Global Citizen in School

- Learning about different cultures and perspectives.
- Participating in school projects with a global focus.
- Respecting and valuing your classmates from diverse backgrounds.