

Examples of Global Citizenship and primary and secondary school curriculum links

Subject	Class Group	Environmental Issue Covered
Geography	6 th class 11 – 12 years old	People in other places – Global Citizenship – European countries, Scandanavia, Germany, Polar exploration.
Geography	6 th class 11 – 12 years old	Glacial, sea and river erosion
Geography	5 th & 6 th class 10 – 12 years old	Earthquake – Jan. 2011
Science	5 th & 6 th class 10 – 12 years old	Water – used in food production Coast care – beach clean-up
Music	5 th & 6 th 10 – 12 years old	“What a Wonderful World” on Tinwhistle
Geography	5 th class 10 – 11 years old	Rivers and pollution
Geography	5 th class 10 – 11 years old	Renewable energy
History	5 th class 10 – 11 years old	Transport
Geography	4 th class 9 – 10 years old	Sustainability – reuse, renew, recycle Environmental awareness
Science	4 th class 9 – 10 years old	Materials/ Sustainability – looking at what materials are used to make different products e.g milk carton – how many can be recycled
Science/SPHE	3 rd class 8 – 9 years old	Water conservation – washing hands, toilet
SPHE/ English	3 rd class 8 – 9 years old	Voting/ language etc
Geography	3 rd class 8 – 9 years old	Natural disasters Global warming and rising water levels
Geography	2 nd class 7 – 8 years old	Caring for my locality At the Seaside: How you can make a difference.
Science	2 nd class 7 – 8 years old	Materials – Manmade and natural
Geography	1 st class 6 – 7 years	People in other places – similarities and differences between their lives and the lives of children in different parts of Peru, including water issues
Science	1 st class 6 – 7 years old	Caring for my locality Strategies to keep my environment clean, litter.

Geography	Senior Infants 5 – 6 years old	Reuse, recycle. Rainfall and water conservation. Awareness of people and place in a non- European country
Science	Senior Infants 5 – 6 years old	Electricity – uses and conservation Spring – plant and animal life Growing seeds
Geography	Senior Infants – 6 th class 5 – 12 years old	Projects on countries, of which there are citizens in the school for International Day
English	6th	Poem-The Sea Litter in school Story-Caring for our school environment
Geography	6th	Water pollution in our seas and rivers Water Conservation
Geography	5th	Water shortages Irish forests Weather+ Global Warming+ Climates Environmental awareness+ care
SPHE	5th	Fair Trade Transport and how it affects our environment
Science	5th	Energy sources- electricity Caring for our world
English	4th	Waterfalls- caring for our environment- keeping clean Landfills- Reduce Reuse Recycle Tom Crean in the Antarctica- melting ice caps
Science	4th	Temperature- conserving heat- using less energy Environmental Awareness+ Care- places of natural beauty Woodlands- caring for different species of plants + animals Electricity- conserving energy+ alternative forms of energy
Geography	4th	Fishing
Geography	3rd	The Weather Rainfall Buildings in our community Caring for the environment The Water Cycle
Science	3rd	Building a better world

English	3rd	Fair Trade
Geography	2nd	Italy-Global Warming and flooding in Venice Making our world a better place Using water at home Keep a water use diary
Science	2nd	Seashore Habitat
Geography	1st	Litter Turn off the lights Recycling Graffiti The Tree Living in the local community Weather watch
Science	1st	Autumn, Winter, Spring All living things grow and change Habitats
Science	Senior Infants	The Tree Winter Water Healthy Habits Litter How can we keep our school safe and happy
Geography	Senior Infants	School Walkabout
Geography	Junior Infants	Weather
Science	Junior Infants	How some materials can harm animals and trees Plant growing Litter and waste
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Geography	5th and 6th class	Creating Charts/projects on the European Union
Geography	4th, 5th and 6th class	Creating posters/projects about countries represented in our school
Art	1st to 6th class	Green Schools Postcard Competition - Sustainable Development - Enough for Everyone, Everywhere, Forever!
Maths	Green Schools Committee	Bar charts created to show the reduction in water usage in the school

SESE/SPHE/English (OLD)	All Classes	Creating posters/projects to increase awareness of global citizenship - water
English	Junior Infants to 6th class (when presenting projects)	Promotion of communication skills
SPHE	1st to 6th class	Discussing and completing the Global Citizenship Awareness Survey.
Maths	Green Schools Committee	Using a tally method to find the result of our first Global Citizenship Awareness Survey.
SESE/SPHE/Religion	Green Schools Committee	Creating posters/projects to increase awareness of Fair Trade
SESE/SPHE/Religion	All Classes	Investigating Fair Trade
Art	All classes	Slogan/ Poster Competition
Geography	4th, 5th and 6th class	Creating and presenting projects on drought
English	1st to 6th class	Letter Writing – to local shops/hotels asking them if they use or would consider using/stocking fair trade products/local suppliers.
English	1st to 6th class	Water poetry – acrostic poetry
SPHE	Green Schools Committee	Promotion of personal development and well being, cooperation and working with others
Science	Infants	Waterproof Caring for my locality
Geography	Infants	People and places in other areas Local environment Caring for the environment
History	1stt & 2nd	Water in the home
Geography	1st & 2nd	Weather Watch
Science	1st & 2nd	Melting
Science	1st & 2nd	Floating & sinking
Geography	1st & 2nd	Near and Far

Geography	3rd & 4th	The Rivers of Ireland
Geography	3rd & 4th	Irish Trees
Geography	3rd & 4th	Oceans of the World
Science	5th & 6th	Plant Life Fungi and Moulds
Geography	5th & 6th	Study someone else's Home
Science/Geography	5th & 6th	Recycle/Renew/reuse
Science	5th & 6th	Keeping afloat
English	4th, 5th & 6th	Water acrostic poems
English	All classes	Stories and comprehension pieces based on Global Water and Global Citizenship
P.E.	All classes	Swimming lessons
SPHE	All classes	Water Safety
Geography	4 th – 6 th class	Antarctic – Global warming Clouds Fair Trade Global Studies – Country projects The Story of Chocolate A European Citizen Think Sustainable France Irish Coasts
Maths	4 th – 6 th class	Creating bar charts and graphs from data in surveys, questionnaires and quizzes
Art	4 th – 6 th class	Recycling Christmas decorations

English	4 th -6 th class	Child Labour and recycling of electronic goods in India
Science	4 th -6 th class	Distilling water
History	4 th -6 th class	Ireland, the EU and the UN
Geography	Junior and senior infants	The water cycle Why does it rain Taking Care of my class room Taking care of my school
Music	Junior and senior infants	Latvian Lullaby African Drumming
English	Junior and senior infants	Stories based in different countries
English	Junior and senior infants	Writing my news involving cultural details which we went through and explained
Art	Junior Infants	Mini-beasts -Construction of spiders from recycled materials
Geography	Junior Infants	Homes in other countries
History/Drama/English	Senior Infants	Handa's Surprise-story of a life in Kenya.
Geography	3 rd Class	Reducing our carbon footprint by buying local. Project on where local food comes from. Imports-foods we have to import and foods we import by choice.
Science	3 rd Class	Apple Tasting- blind tasting 5 varieties from different countries..conclusion Irish apples were the tastiest..recorded and graphed the results

Geography	1 st Class	Reduce/Reuse/Recycle Posters Life of a child in India
Geography	5 th Class	The Eu-Individual factfiles on each country. Brazil-fair-trade-the story of the banana.
Geography	6 th Class	Aid organisations-researching an aid organisation and making an information leaflet. Recycling in Switzerland/Australia
C.S.P.E	1st ,2nd and 3rd years	Stewardship, fair trade, energy(composting)
Art	All year groups secondary school	Poster competitions on Europe etc.
Geography	4th year	Europe and the world
History	All years secondary schools	Europe and the world