



WELSH BACCALAUREATE Foundation (Post-16)

Global Citizenship Challenge Citb - Eco-Friendly and Ethical Construction Materials



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Reviewing Eco-Friendly and Ethical Construction Materials

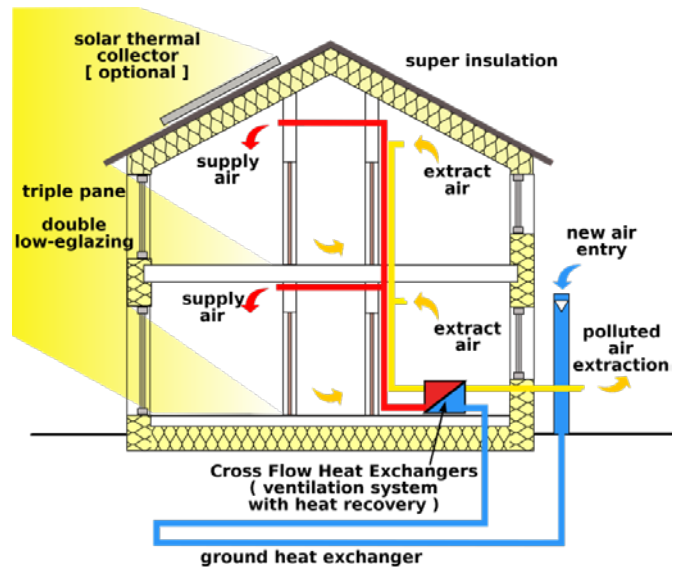
PURPOSE

The purpose of the Global Citizenship Challenge is to develop learners' skills, whilst providing opportunities to understand and respond appropriately to global issues. During the Global Citizenship Challenge learners will explicitly develop skills of **Critical Thinking and Problem Solving** and **Creativity and Innovation** and apply them in an appropriate manner.

BRIEF

There are many problems in the world that we should all help to resolve even if it happens hundreds or thousands of miles away, or where you live in Wales. How do you become a global citizen? You need to develop a human conscience and make judgments about the issues that matter and the type of world you want to live in. Being a global citizen gives you the power to bring about positive change to make this world a better place.

There are potential global, financial and environmental impacts from the sourcing and use of eco-friendly and ethical construction materials. During this Challenge you will use a variety of information on reviewing **eco-friendly and ethical construction materials** to investigate different impacts and views of people locally and globally. From this you will then identify your own ideas in a **personal standpoint** on the **sourcing of these construction materials**.



You then have to raise awareness of the local and global impact of the sourcing and use of eco-friendly and ethical construction materials, with a target audience. This could be with learners from Higher Education, within your own college, apprentices or learners from local schools. This should be done in a creative and innovative way to ensure your message is conveyed and remembered effectively. You should design your raising awareness so that it will appeal to the target audience and make use of effective communication by providing a clear message which is memorable, original and relevant.

By completing this challenge you will show that you can reason, make judgements and make decisions in order to create an informed personal standpoint on the local and global impact of **the sourcing and use of eco-friendly and ethical construction materials**. The raising awareness allows you to show how creative and innovative you can be in communicating your ideas and presenting your message to other people.

RESOURCES

<http://buildgreen.co.nz/definition.html> <https://www.bre.co.uk/sustainability>

<http://www.sustainablematerials.org.uk/> <http://www.ukgbc.org/>

http://www.designingbuildings.co.uk/wiki/Sustainability_in_building_design_and_construction

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