



WELSH BACCALAUREATE National (Post-16)

Global Citizenship Challenge
Pembrokeshire College
Childcare
Ethical and Eco-friendly products



Available for assessment from September 2015

How eco-friendly are nappies?

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.



An average child can go through several thousand disposable nappies before they are fully potty trained. As they are only used once and are then discarded this means that nappies contribute greatly to household waste which then needs disposing of. With the increase in world population this issue continues to grow.

The Global Citizenship Challenge provides you with an opportunity to acquire knowledge and understanding on **the effects different types of nappies can have on the environment**; and develop an insight into the challenges faced across the world in addressing the waste management issue. You will use a variety of information to develop and support particular opinions, viewpoints or arguments to construct your own **Personal Standpoint**.

You then have to produce an item for an Exhibition on **'How eco-friendly are nappies?'** to educate, engage and encourage **parents and prospective parents** to think and act as global citizens. You should design your item in a creative and innovative way so that it will appeal to **your 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 **effects of different nappies on the environment**. Producing an item for an exhibition allows you to show how creative and innovative you can be in communicating your ideas and presenting your message to other people.