Global Concerns, Local Action

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Global Education Resources

Boix Mansilla, V., and Jackson, A. (2011). *Educating for global competence: Preparing our youth to engage the world*. New York: Asia Society and Council of Chief State School Officers. Download as PDF at https://asiasociety.org/files/book-globalcompetence.pdf

Reimers, F., Chopra, V., Chung, C. Higdon, J., and O'Donnell, E.B. (2016). *Empowering global citizens: A world course*. North Charleston, SC: CreateSpace. Creative Commons license.

United Nations. (2015). *Sustainable Development Goals*.
http://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/

Project-Based Learning Books

Boss, S., and Krauss, J. (2014). *Reinventing project-based learning: Your field guide to real-world projects for the digital age, 2nd Ed.* Eugene, OR: ISTE.

Larmer, L., Mergendoller, J., and Boss, S. (2016). *Setting the standard for project based learning: A proven approach to rigorous classroom instruction*. Alexandria, VA: ASCD.

More Project-Based Learning Resources

Buck Institute for Education (www.bie.org): Extensive PBL planning, management, and assessment resources (including project planning templates and sample rubrics for assessing 21st century skills). Free to register and download.

Edutopia (www.edutopia.org): Many examples of PBL, including video case studies, along with project advice from practitioners.

GLOBE—Global Learning and Observations to Benefit the Environment (www.globe.gov): Site invites students to gather data as citizen scientists and contribute to ongoing research projects focusing on climate, water, and other issues.

iEARN (www.iearn.org): Collaborative online projects from around the world connect students and teachers. All projects in some way address the question, "How will this project improve the quality of life on the planet?"

Technology Tools for Global Connections

Google Arts and Culture (https://artsandculture.withgoogle.com) Launch a project with an immersive virtual tour. Tours include national parks, museums, historic sites, and more. Or take a close look at a distant place with Google Street View (https://www.google.com/streetview/).

Quadblogging (http://quadblogging.net/): Connect with global colleagues for month-long collaborative writing projects. Hear how teachers are using this platform to build students' global competence (http://www.edutopia.org/blog/quad-blogging-technology-classroom-suzie-boss).

Twitter: Follow hashtag #pblchat to connect with like-minded colleagues, invite collaboration. Join a weekly #pblchat in real time every Tuesday, 8 p.m. Eastern.

Skype in the Classroom (https://education.microsoft.com/skype-in-the-classroom/overview): Use Skype videoconferencing to connect your students with a global community.