Cambridge Global Perspectives

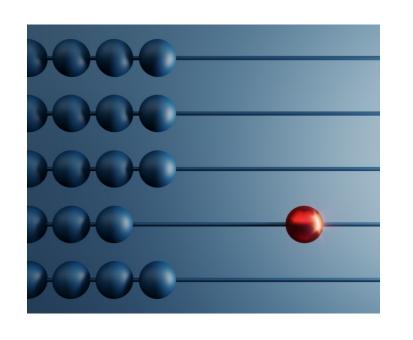
Breakout Session

How to introduce it ... and achieve excellence for all students



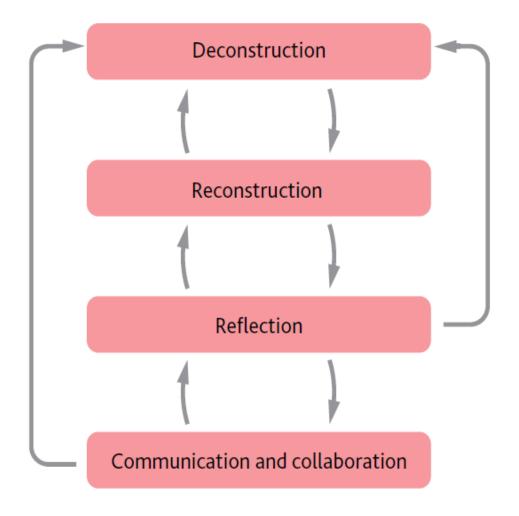
Cambridge Global Perspectives Breakout Session

An academic workout exercising educational ideology



- Introduction and Q &A who is teaching it? (5 10 minutes)
- Remind ourselves ... What is Global perspectives and why important
- How Pinehurst introduced it into Citizenship throughout the school
- Why Global Perspectives and How structured at Pinehurst
- IGCSE and A-Level Global
- Avoiding plagiarism and AI generated content
- IGCSE and A-Level resources and group discussion (40 45 minutes)
 - Student guidance handouts
 - Coursework Student Instruction handouts
 - Examination guidance
 - Coursework exemplars
- Q & A session (5 10 minutes)

The Critical Path as a learning process



Cambridge Global Perspectives - What is it?

A complete course from Primary to A-Level with supporting resources to use and modify

Focuses on developing research, analysis, evaluation, communication, and critical thinking skills = question what we read, see and hear

Achieved through the research of Global issues and a set of year level appropriate Challengers and coursework to work through and reflect on

Pinehurst School Cambridge Global Perspectives (and Citizenship)

Primary and Lower Secondary (age 5 - 13)
Global Perspectives (and Citizenship) - compulsory

IGCSE – Middle Secondary (age 14 -15)
Global Perspectives – compulsory Teamwork coursework

IGCSE – Middle Secondary (age 15 - 16)
Global Perspectives – compulsory Individual Report - Essay
(optional exam)

A-Level – Upper Secondary (age 17 - 18)
Global Perspectives and Research - optional



Cambridge Global Perspectives was introduced to:



- Help students develop a growth mind-set by challenging their thinking and taking risks = increases confidence making them more engaged
- Foster a sense of positive optimism for issues that need addressing and become active global citizens concerned engaged in local and global issues
- Develop the critical thinking, reasoning, evaluating, reflective, collaborative, cooperative and research skills = take their place in the world as confident, respectful, and contributing adults
- Promote acceptance where all people are valued for who they are

How is it structured in Pinehurst?

Age 5 – 13 Students have two lessons per week

A mixture of Service and Leadership combined with having discussions about global, local and current issues/events.

Environmental Issues and Sustainability, the role and use of Al in society and education, Media and Digital Literacy.

UN Sustainable Goals, Human Rights, Civics Education = with freedom comes responsibility for what you say and do.

Achieved through class discussions of issues and information studied as a set of challengers to learn about, evaluate, and reflect on = more engaged as students and as global citizens.



Cambridge IGCSE Global Perspectives (0457)

Aged 14 – 16 Students have 2 lessons per week (including Health and Careers education)



All Students complete the IGCSE Global Perspectives coursework and any student who wants to entry IGCSE Global can do so, <u>if</u> they have completed the work to an acceptable standard.

First year: Team Project - Presentation and Personal Reflection (35%)

Second year: Individual Report - Essay 1500 - 2000 words (30%)

IGCSE Global Perspectives **examination** (optional for those who choose to enter) is a skills-based 1 hour 25-minute exam (35%)

Term 3 - The Examination Class - prepare for the examination

Non-examination class continue with Citizenship Challenges and skill development

Cambridge International AS & A Level Global Perspectives & Research (9239)

AS (Y12)

Team Project - Individual Presentation (8-10 min)
Personal Reflection 800-words (32%)

Research Essay 2000-words (32%) Bibliography

Examination – skill-based 1 hr 30min (36%)

A2 (Y13) - (100%)

Research Proposal Form
Research Log – description and reflection
Research Report 5000-words
Bibliography



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Coursework - Avoiding Plagiarism and the use of Al

All work is completed in class. Deadlines set for sections to be completed and then work saved for cross reference later with final copy

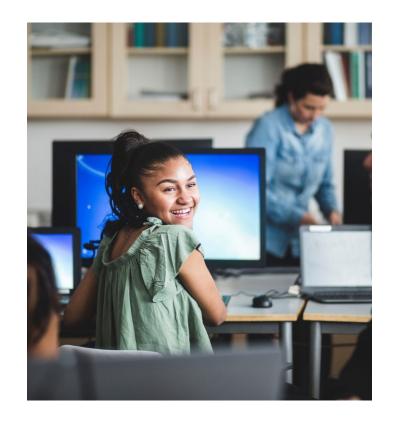
Competence in literature review methodology and use of search engines and databases - EPIC, JSTOR, Google Scholar. Also taught how to use AI for research using prompts

Structure – PEEZL paragraphs, and (AES) Article Evaluation Sheets

Students cite all sources used within the text and provide a fully formatted Bibliography

Turnitin – Similarity Report

Student interview to check for comprehension of work submitted - used for AS coursework and the 5000-word A2 Report



Evidence of Own Work – avoiding AI generated content



Research Proposal Form

Records initial thinking processes and evidence of research

Research Log

Provides proof of research and the thinking process behind the coursework component

Article Evaluation Sheets (AES)

Demonstrate research skills, work undertaken, source analysis and evaluation, and suggestions for further research to support the judgements reached

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Question and Answer Session



Cambridge IGCSE Global Perspectives Guidance

(15 - 20 minutes)

Handouts and Student Exemplars

Coursework Instructions

Examination Guidance

Coursework Exemplars



IGCSE Coursework and Examination Instructions

Work through and discuss

Course information handouts

Student Guidance sheets

- Team Project
- Individual Report

Examination Guidance Booklet



Cambridge IGCSE Global Perspectives Student Exemplars

Team Project

- Team Explanation and Planning Document
- Action (PowerPoint)
- Reflective paper

Individual Report - Essay

- Report
- Bibliography



AS – Cambridge International Global Perspectives and Research (15 minutes)



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Coursework Instructions

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AS - Level Coursework and Examination Instructions

Work through and discuss

Course information handouts

Student Guidance sheets

- Team Project
- Individual Report

Examination Guidance Booklet



AS - Level Global - Student Exemplars

Student work – exemplars

Team Project

- Team PowerPoint and Individual Presentation
- Reflective Paper

Individual Report – Essay

- Individual Report (Essay)
- Bibliography



A2 – Cambridge International Global Perspectives and Research (15 minutes)



Handouts and Student Exemplars

Coursework Instructions

Coursework Exemplars

A2 – Level Coursework

Work through and discuss

Course information handout

Student Guidance sheets

- Research proposal Form (RPF)
- Research Log
- Research Report
- Bibliography



A2 – Cambridge International Global Perspectives and Research

Student work Exemplars

Research proposal Form (RPF)

Research Log

Research Report

Bibliography



Cambridge Global Perspectives (5 – 10 minutes)

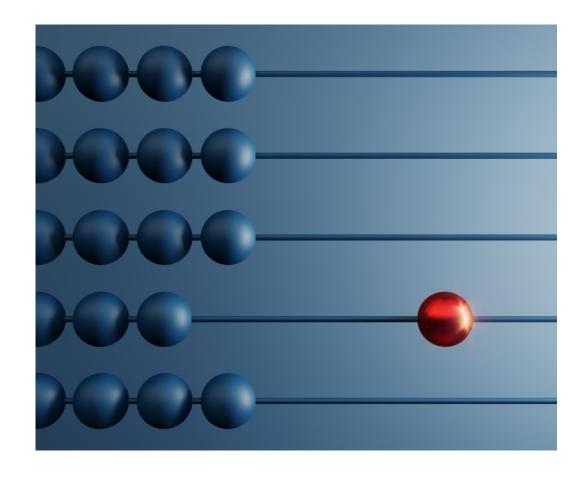
Where to from here?

Question and Answer Session



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Thank you



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