



# WELSH BACCALAUREATE SKILLS CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE

National/Foundation

## Global Citizenship Challenge

Christian Aid

Natural and Human disasters –

Displacement of people due to the climate  
crisis



**Available for assessment from September 2023**

# The displacement of people due to the climate crisis

## 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.



**Christian Aid** is a charity that funds projects in some of the world's poorest countries. It helps people to improve their own lives and to tackle the causes of poverty and injustice. It was set up in 1945 by churches in the UK and Ireland. We are a Christian charity, but we fund projects that help people regardless of their beliefs. We work with organisations of all faiths and none.

There are many causes as to why people are forced to be displaced, in the past decade an estimated 21.6 million people annually were internally displaced by climate-related hazards worldwide (IDMC, 2022). Increasingly we have seen how the climate crisis is disproportionately affecting people living in poverty, one of the results is people being forced to leave their homes due to extreme weather. **Christian Aid's** partners work with people who have been displaced as well as on projects to support people so that they are better able to adapt to climate changes and make a new life for themselves where they are. We are also campaigning for a loss and damage fund in order to offer some compensation for those worst affected by the climate crisis.

During this Challenge you will use a variety of information on displacement of people due to the climate crisis to identify your own ideas on meaningful action that would make a difference and see these numbers reduced. You then have to raise awareness of these issues with other young people in your school or local area in a creative and innovative way. You should design your raising awareness so that it will appeal to young people, helping them to better understand and form their own view on the contributing factors as well as possible solutions.

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 people displaced due to the climate crisis, and what can be done to help. 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

Please email [wales@christian-aid.org](mailto:wales@christian-aid.org) to register to receive a weblink to the Resource Pack.

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