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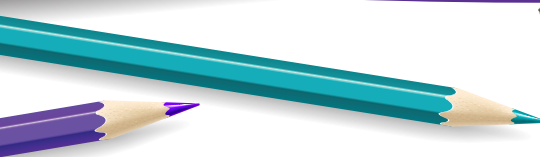
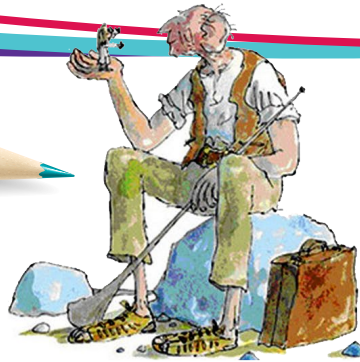


Illustration competition



Can you name these Roald Dahl characters drawn by famous illustrator Quentin Blake?

We hope you're all busy writing your entries for our creative writing competition. You now have an exciting opportunity to bring your 'somewhere unforgettable' to life by creating an illustration for the creative writing book.

Your picture can illustrate the place you described in your creative writing piece or can be of somewhere completely different. You don't have to have written a story to enter. Download the template from the Global Classroom and submit your entry by Thursday 16 April 2015.

Competition winners will have their illustrations published in the creative writing book.



The Great Debate

This month's debate motion is...

'Testing on animals is the only way to make sure that medicines are safe for humans.'

What do you think? Do some research, decide on your point of view then argue your point online with students from around the world.

You have until Friday 20 February to make your case.

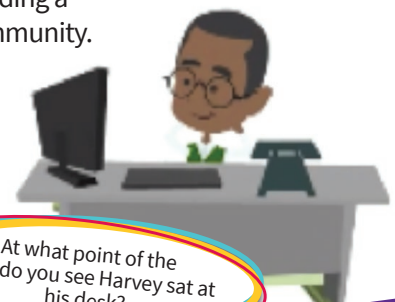
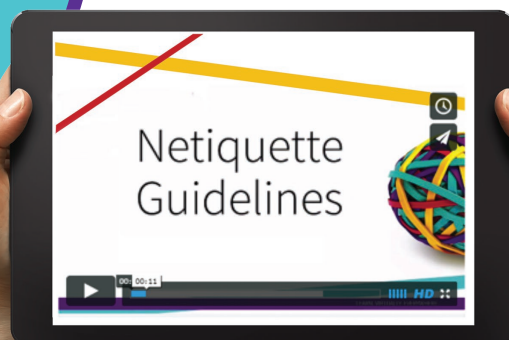


Global Classroom Netiquette

Posting online is different to having a face to face conversation with someone. You need to think carefully about what you are writing, read what other people have put, and check back regularly to see if anyone has responded. The Global Classroom has a social code to keep everyone safe and happy. We call this 'netiquette' and in different places around the Global Classroom, you'll see a video that tells you more.

At your fingertips is a really unique space where you can connect with 20,000 students around the world. Make the most of it and check out our top tips on how to be a tip top poster!

See if you can watch the video and learn something new about building a community.



At what point of the clip do you see Harvey sat at his desk?



Student Voice

After such a successful first challenge Jurgen Gladbach has set your Student Leaders off on an even more complicated task! This time a CD was discovered with some old music.



Led by your Student Leaders, your school community now needs to create one big song that shows the personality and character of your school.

Can you help them?

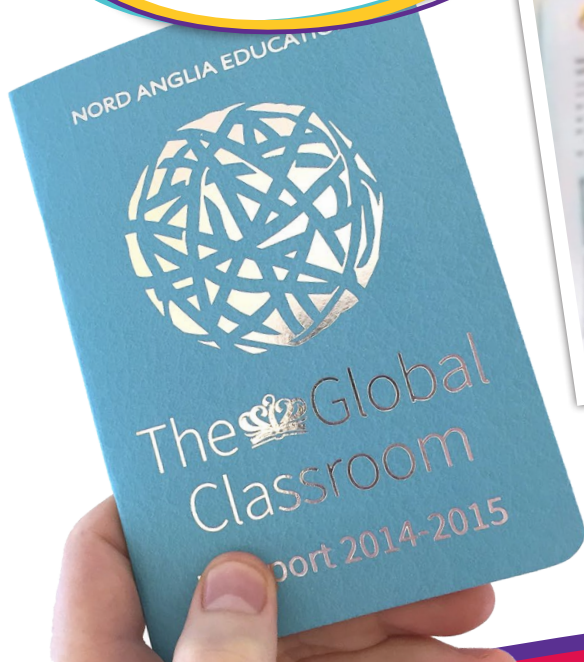
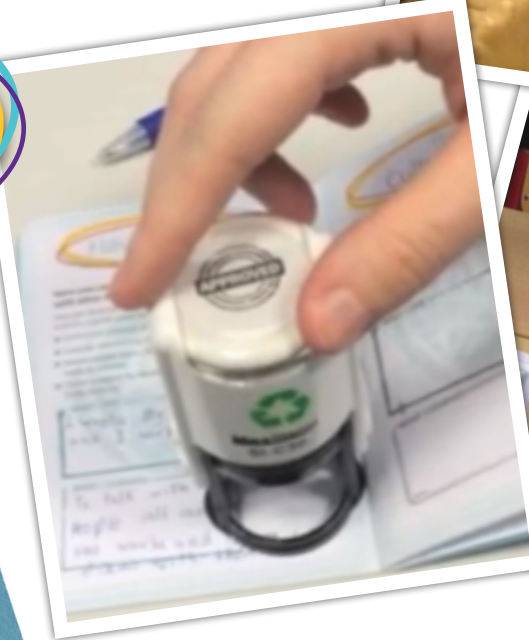
A journey with a difference

We're enjoying hearing about the journeys your Global Classroom passports are taking you on. You have all been working very hard to collect stamps. Don't forget there are lots of different areas for you to visit – who knows what you'll learn or who you'll meet within the different locations.

How many stamps have you got so far? Can you achieve the Gold Award?

Did you know?

The oldest passport in the world is from 1641; over 300 years old! Can you think where they owner may have travelled to and how they got there?



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