

GSP Starter Activity 2 application form

Outline

The Global School Partnerships (GSP) programme aims to support high quality, sustainable school partnerships between schools in the UK and the South to promote global education through the curriculum.

GSP is aiming to attract 'new' UK schools (i.e. that do not have a partnership in a GSP¹ country), particularly faith and special schools, to explore partnerships.

Eligibility

A school is NOT eligible if it already has a partnership with a school in a GSP country.

A school that has a partnership in a non-GSP country (e.g. Europe/China) is eligible to apply if they wish to establish a new partnership with a school in a GSP country.

One DEC payment is available per school. This application form must be submitted before the training date to receive the DEC payment.

UK Private (fee-paying) and public (government-funded) pre-schools, primary schools, middle schools, secondary schools, special schools and sixth form colleges in the four UK nations (England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales) are all eligible for Starter Activity 2.

The following are not eligible: Schools in the Crown Dependencies (e.g. Jersey or Guernsey); Further education and tertiary institutions.

Starter Activity 2

The payment of £250 can be used to cover the cost of a whole school INSET from a local Development Education Centre (DEC).²

This must include at least one of the following:

- a tailored introductory workshop which incorporates global school partnerships
- specialist support for a school-wide curricular audit of current global education practice with a view to developing a global school partnership

¹ Please visit this website for a list of GSP countries: <http://www.dfid.gov.uk/Getting-Involved/For-schools/global-school-partnerships/about-gsp/Eligible-countries/>

² Please see www.dea.org.uk/members/decs.asp for details of your local DEC.

- identifying new opportunities for a global school partnership.

The payment will pay for the preparation of materials and the delivery of half a day's training or two twilight sessions by a DEC. The DEC will receive the payment directly.

In order for the payment to be awarded the school should:

1. select a local DEC to provide INSET for the school. The training must be at least half a day or two twilight sessions
2. confirm an agreed date, location and length of INSET with the DEC
3. confirm the number of staff who will attend the training
4. complete the application form **before the training has taken place** including the details and email address of the DEC
5. register your details on the Global Gateway³ website (if not already done so) or specify an alternative route
6. NB. The DEC will submit their invoice after the training

Your application will be responded to within 7 days of receipt

Application form to complete

Please email cef@camb-ed.com, fax 01223 578501 or post to **Jo Beresford, Cambridge Education Foundation, Cambridge Education, Demeter House, Station Road, Cambridge CB1 2RS**

Contact name & email:	
Title / focus of training:	
Date & length of training:	
Location of training:	
Name of school:	
School address:	
School Postcode:	
Telephone number:	
Type of the school:	<input type="checkbox"/> Faith <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify).....
Name of the trainer:	

³ <http://www.globalgateway.org.uk>

Name and address of the training provider's organisation:	
Email of the training provider's organisation:	
Number of staff attending training:	

Terms and Conditions

I confirm that my school is not involved in a partnership with a school in a GSP country and has not participated in any of the following GSP events in the past 12 months:

- a GSP Professional Development workshop (including online workshops)
- a Partner Finding conference (two day residential event)

NB: If you are unsure, please contact the GSP team on 0131 524 5780 or by email globalschools@britishcouncil.org.

- I will enter my school's details on the Global Gateway website or
- I am choosing to embark on the following route to find a partnership:

Please specify:

I confirm that the above details are correct and I have appropriate authority to sign on behalf of my school.

Signed:

Date:

**For more information, please contact Cambridge Education Foundation on
01223 463761 or email cef@camb-ed.com**