



Promoting a global dimension in the
school curriculum

'We are not born understanding each other. We have to learn to do so. Global school partnerships offer an excellent way of helping us all understand one another.'

Stewart Hay, Deputy Headteacher,
Secondary school, Scotland

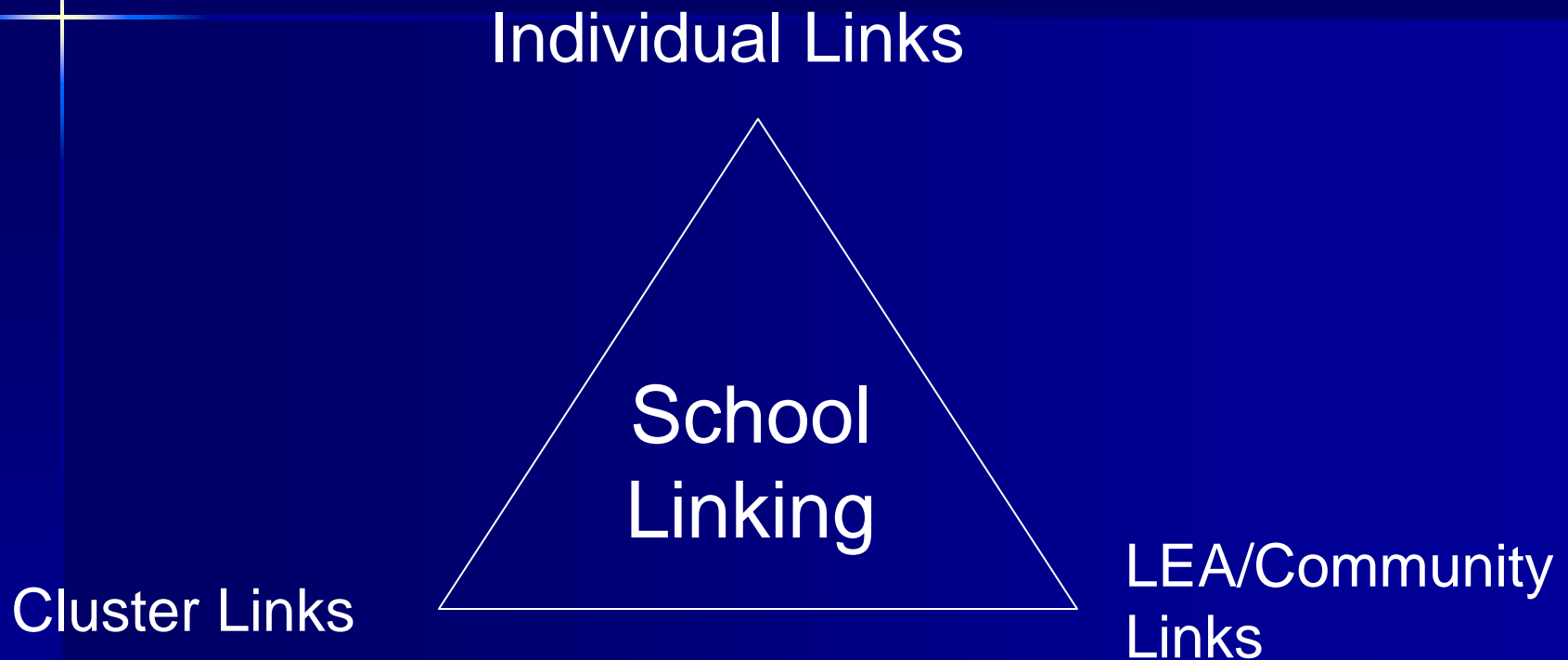


What is a school partnership?

A school partnership is a mutually beneficial relationship between a Pakistani school and a school in the UK.



Structures of Links



How it can benefit your schools

- To challenge perceptions of teachers & students about UK/PK
- Introducing global education to schools in Pakistan
- To promote mutual learning
- To enable students to become better Global citizens
- To encourage joint curriculum projects
- Help teachers to share teaching methodology and resources to elevate the standard of education

We promote school partnerships which:

- ⇒ 'global dimension' education goals
- ⇒ emphasise equality-based relationships
- ⇒ embed the partnership in the curriculum
- ⇒ contribute to teachers' professional development
- ⇒ focus on pupil learning in the partner school
- ⇒ work towards whole school involvement
- ⇒ engage and involve the wider community
- ⇒ have long term aims

The programme supports schools and the wider community in developing successful, educational partnerships between schools in the UK and schools in Pakistan

The programme provides:

- 👉 Advice and guidance
- 👉 Professional development opportunities
- 👉 Grants

to schools that are using school partnerships as a means for developing a **GLOBAL DIMENSION** within their curriculum.

Grants Programme

- ⇒ Reciprocal Visit grants
- ⇒ £1,900 grant available
- ⇒ Global Curriculum Project grants
- ⇒ £5400 is available

Reciprocal Visit Grant

Intended for partnerships that are laying the foundations for long term, collaborative work.

£1,900 grant available:

Travel Costs

Subsistence Costs

- Covers one member of staff from each school
- Grants shared equally between partner schools
- Applications should be prepared on a collaborative basis

We see a global dimension as being a way of extending pupils' views of an interdependent world.

- ⇒ Citizenship
- ⇒ Conflict resolution
- ⇒ Diversity / equality
- ⇒ Human rights
- ⇒ Interdependence
- ⇒ Social justice
- ⇒ Sustainable development

Reciprocal Visit Grant

The visit was brilliant...we crammed in so much and a lot was achieved...I don't think I could have hoped for anything more from a reciprocal visit...so thanks a million for help in organising her visa.

Asima Qureshi, Dunkirk



Challenging Perceptions

Our perception of UK has completely changed and our students have learned a lot about their roles as Global Citizens, thanks to GSP

Irum Nayer, SLS School
Rawalpindi



GSP has opened up a significant opportunity for schools such as ours and has enabled us to correct misconceptions that the West may have about our culture and society.

Parveen Kassim, Karachi High School



'Through this programme I have developed new perspectives and a more complete understanding of the way I live my life. I now feel more equipped to judge who I am and where I want to go in the future'

Student from Secondary school, England



Eco Project- Gujranwala



SCOUTS READY TO SHARE THE MESSAGE WITH LOCAL COMMUNITY AT WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY, 05-06-07.

Comparing Pets



The partnership has helped us teach development issues in an effective and interesting manner

Khola Niazi, Tameer-e-Millat School, Mianwalli



Litter Free Surroundings



Language



Current Links



- SLS School System
Rawalpindi
- Kirklees School, UK



The Project was called
"Recipe Exchange"



A successful programme

- 173 schools across Pakistan have Partnerships
- So far 23 teachers have been on exchange visits to their partner school
- 830 teachers have been trained on how to bring a global dimension to their classrooms
- BC SL Programme has had media coverage on BBC website, TES London , GEO and lots of local/UK based newspapers

Website address

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