

CGCS
CENTRE FOR GLOBAL
CITIZENSHIP STUDIES

AN ACCREDITED SERVICE-LEARNING PROGRAMME · FOR SCHOOLS 2026/27

Your students already serve. Now it counts.

An Ofqual-regulated Level 3 diploma that runs as a CCA, an after-school club or around a trip. We provide the course, the training and the marking.

16	9	20–21
UCAS POINTS	US COLLEGE CREDITS*	ECTS CREDITS*

*Indicative equivalences, with an optional US transcript. Each university decides how it recognises credit.



HOW IT SLOTS IN

One teacher. One hour a week. We do the rest.

No specialist, no new syllabus, no marking. Run it in a slot you already have, led by your teacher or ours.

Your school brings

- A slot you already timetable
- About 26 hours of guided study in total
- A staff lead, or one of our facilitators
- A room and a screen
- Students aged 14 and over

CGCS brings everything else

- The full course, lesson plans and resources
- Student logins to our online learning platform
- Free training for your staff lead, or a CGCS facilitator
- Support to plan a real local service project
- All marking, moderation and assessment
- Certificates issued through NOCN, the awarding body
- A launch kit for students and parents
- An invitation to our awards ceremony

No marking for your staff. No curriculum to write. No setup fee.

RUNS WHEREVER IT FITS

In the school day	After school	Enrichment week	Around a trip	Over the holidays
CCA slot	ECA or club	Activities block	Before and after	Intensive block

WHO RUNS THE SESSIONS

Your teacher. Trained by us. No subject specialism needed.

Our facilitator. If you'd rather we supplied one.

No facilitator. Students work through the platform independently.



RECOGNITION

A real qualification, not a certificate of participation.

Ofqual
REGULATED
Awarded through NOCN in the United Kingdom.

410
HOURS TQT
Total Qualification Time across 41 UK credits.

No
EXAMS
Portfolio-assessed. The service is the curriculum.

2 yrs
TO SUBMIT
Up to two years after the project to complete.

Credit system	Value	What it means
UK, UCAS Tariff	16 points	The same value as an AS-Level at grade B
US, college credit	9 semester credits*	Through our US School of Record, Hartwick College
Europe, ECTS	20–21 credits*	The European credit framework

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FITS WHAT YOU ALREADY DO

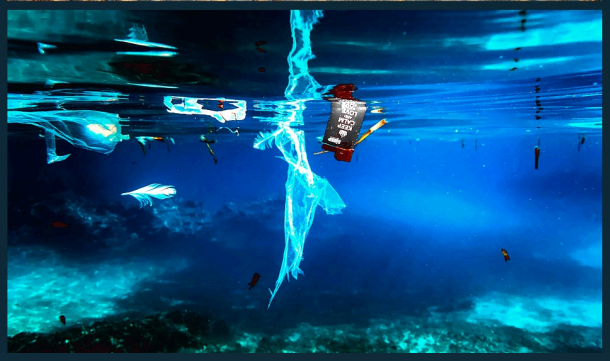
- IB CAS
- Duke of Edinburgh
- Cambridge Global Perspectives
- Your existing service trips

TRACK RECORD

- Around 2,000 learners in 2026 · Partners in 46+ countries
- Leadership & Advocacy Award, World Education Summit 2026
- Study Abroad Provider of the Year, WYSTC Awards 2025 · Shortlisted, Educational Provider of the Year, WYSTC 2024
- Educational Supplier of the Year, ASEAN 2026 · Shortlisted, QS Reimagine Education Awards 2026

> "CGCS has brought real academic structure and depth to experiences we already valued. Students are not simply taking part — they are reflecting critically and producing thoughtful work."
>
> SARAH COOKE · HEAD OF SIXTH FORM, DAUNTSEY'S SCHOOL






THE DIPLOMAS

Two ways in. Do one or both.

The Social Impact Diploma

Real service in your own community, in a slot that suits your school.

Level 3 Diploma in Social Impact and Community Engagement

The International Diploma

The same five modules, with the fieldwork on a service trip abroad.

Level 3 Diploma in Global Citizenship, Service and Leadership (previously International Volunteering)

Do both: Social Impact in Grade 9 or 10, then International in Grade 11. Students who complete both earn two separate Level 3 diplomas.

HOW STUDENTS GROW · THE 5 MS

1	2	3	4	5
Mindset	Motivation	Making It Happen	Momentum	Meaning

See if it fits your school in 20 minutes.

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