

'Culture is the acquired pair of glasses through which we see life.'

Global Cultures | An Interactive Talk

Overview: Have you ever thought about what 'culture' actually is or what it means? Have you questioned how it might shape who you are, what you wear or eat, even the way you think or how you see the world?

Our interactive talk on *Global Cultures* opens the box on cultural identity, exploring some of the ways that culture is embedded into our daily lives whilst challenging some of the cultural stereotypes that exist by turning them inside out, helping students to develop a stronger sense of identity as global citizens of the world.

Objectives: To engage students with an understanding of their own sense of cultural identity in the world supporting them in becoming positive global citizens in the future.

Content and structure: Students will be introduced to some of the core influences on their cultural identities, with a few short videos and a range of questions linked to media, society and global citizenship.

The talk will explore some of the key life-skills needed to help them navigate their way into a globally-connected future.

Student outcomes: Students will practise key skills of critical thinking, empathy building and connected learning by exploring a range of ideas to engage them in thinking about their own sense of cultural identity and their unique place in the world.

Skills Development: Critical Thinking | Empathy Building | Active listening | Global Citizenship | Community Building | Connected Learning