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Curriculum Integration

1. Global Literature

Our Library Includes literature from diverse cultures and countries to expose students to global narratives. *Example:* Reading works by authors like

2. Language Programs

Teach foreign languages to encourage communication and understanding of other cultures.

Example: Offering Mandarin, Spanish, or French, with opportunities to practice with native speakers online or during exchanges.

Exchange Programs and Partnerships

1. **Student and Teacher Exchange Programs** The School Partners with schools in other countries for exchange programs.

Example: A semester exchange with a school in Germany where students live with host families and attend local classes.

2. Virtual Exchange Projects

We Leverage technology to connect classrooms across the globe.

Example: Collaborating on environmental projects with a school in Kenya via video conferencing and shared digital platforms.

Cultural Events and Celebrations

1. International Day or Cultural Festival

Organize events where students and families can showcase traditions, food, music, and art from their cultures.

Example: A "World Fair" where students create booths representing different countries.

2. Guest Speakers and Workshops

Invite international speakers or professionals to share their experiences and perspectives.

Example: A diplomat or UN representative discussing global peace efforts.

Service Learning and Global Citizenship

1. Global Service Projects

Engaging students in projects that address global challenges like poverty, education, or climate change. *Example:* Collaborating with international NGOs to support education initiatives in underprivileged areas.

2. Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Projects

School projects are aligned with the United Nations SDGs.

Example: A campaign to raise awareness about clean water access in developing countries.

Use of Technology

1. Virtual Reality (VR) Field Trips

Employ VR to "visit" cultural and historical landmarks worldwide.

Example: Exploring the Great Wall of China or the Amazon Rainforest using VR headsets.

Interdisciplinary Projects

1. Global Economy Simulations

Simulations of international trade or global negotiations in economics or social studies classes. *Example:* A model United Nations (MUN) conference where students represent different countries.

2. Cultural and Scientific Innovations

Researching contributions from different regions to fields like medicine, technology, or the arts.

Student-Led Initiatives

1. Cultural Clubs

students form clubs focused on exploring global cultures and issues.

Example: A "Global Explorers Club" that organizes monthly discussions on current international events.

2. Pen Pal Programs

pen pal programs with schools in other countries.

Example: Writing letters to students in Japan to learn about their daily life and culture.

International Guest Speakers

- Inviting diplomats, international scholars, travelers, and expatriates to share their experiences with students.
- Organizing webinars with professionals working on global issues like climate change, human rights, or international law.

International Themed Projects

- **Global History Projects**: researching topics on events from different countries, highlighting how they impact the world.
- **Cultural Art and Music**: Exploring global art forms, musical traditions, or crafts in art and music classes.
- World Cuisine Days: Encouraging students to learn about and prepare foods from different cultures.

Field Trips and Local Connections

- Visiting cultural institutions like embassies, consulates, international museums, or cultural centers.
- Engaging with local immigrant communities and organizations to learn about different cultural experiences.

Global Competency Competitions

- o Global Citizenship Challenges: Focuses on solving global problems (e.g., sustainability, public health).
- Geography Bees: Emphasizes knowledge of international locations and features.
- Language Competitions: Promoting multilingualism through speaking, reading, and writing challenges.

Multidisciplinary Global Themes

- Use global themes in various subjects:
 - o Math: Analyzing global statistics, such as world poverty or climate change data.
 - Science: Exploring international collaborations in space research, medicine, or environmental science.

Collaborative Art Projects

- Partner with schools in other countries to create joint art projects, like murals or digital artwork, that reflect cultural diversity or global issues.
- Hosting international photo or video contests showcasing life and culture in different regions.

Global Book Clubs

- Reading and discussing books by authors from around the world.
- Choosing themes related to global issues or diverse cultural perspectives to foster meaningful discussions.

Environmental and Sustainability Initiatives

- Collaborating with schools in other countries on eco-friendly projects, like tree planting or recycling campaigns.
- Participating in global programs like Eco-Schools and Earth Day Network activities.

Annual International Week

- Dedicating a week to celebrating international cultures, cuisines, fashion, games, and films.
- Including presentations by students on global topics they are passionate about.

Cross-School Partnerships

- Developing sister-school relationships with institutions in other countries to facilitate ongoing collaboration and exchange of ideas.
- Planning annual collaborative projects, like environmental campaigns or history presentations.

Scholarships for Global Exposure

- Provide scholarships or funding for students to attend international conferences, camps, or cultural exchange programs.
- Partner with local businesses or global organizations to sponsor such opportunities.

Podcasts or Blogs

- school podcast and blog where students discuss global issues, cultural experiences, or international news.
- Encouraging students to interview peers or experts from different countries.