

“WORLD HEALER”



International Collaboration 2008-09

All details can be found at <http://worldhealer.wikispaces.com>

Topic: Ecological footprint



|          | Ho Lap College                      | IES Les Corts            |
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| Location | Hong Kong                           | Barcelona                |
| Students | 19 (aged 14-15)                     | 18 (aged 14-15)          |
| Class    | 1 hour 15 minutes on a weekly basis | 1 hour on a weekly basis |

**Objectives**

1. To inquire the concepts of global warming
2. To understand how people contribute to global warming
3. To develop ICT competencies (photo/ video editing, on-line forum, video conferencing)
4. To develop creativity as well as collaborative and communication skills
5. To develop global perspectives through exchange of ideas with international students
6. To develop the sense of global citizenship (particularly at environmental issues)

**Theme song**

Heal the world by Michael Jackson

<http://hk.youtube.com/watch?v=Jpz5eD9L4dA>

<http://hk.youtube.com/watch?v=W61Q-EZ8R7M>

**Supporting organizations**

University-School Support Programmes, HKSAR Education Bureau

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| Date   | Event HKG   | Event BCN   | Remarks   |
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| Nov 13   | 1. Welcome, briefing, group dynamics<br>2. Documentation of "a school day in my life"   | <b>Nov 11</b><br>- Ecological Footprint Quiz  |   |
| Nov 19   | 1. Making of the documentation<br>2. Sharing of the documentation   | <b>Nov 18</b><br>1. Some reflections and conclusions on the quiz<br>2. Editing video presentations*   |   |
| Nov 24   | 1. On-line inquiry<br>2. How do my daily routines contribute to global warming?<br>3. Briefing of the video conference on 13 January  | <b>Nov 25</b><br>- How do my daily routines contribute to global warming?   | Send souvenir to BCN friends<br>Send souvenir to HKG friends<br>We want to have our video presentations posted on the KF by the end of Nov. |
| <b>Dec 1-5</b><br><b>Dec 9-22</b><br><b>Dec 23 – Jan 3</b> | Pre-exam week<br>Examination<br>Christmas and New Year Holidays:<br>prepare the video conference rehearsal  | <b>Dec 3, 10, 17</b><br>-Use of the KF to reflect progress, conclusions...<br>- Prepare video conferene<br><b>Dec 22 – Jan 7 Christmas and New Year</b> |   |
| Jan 7  | Rehearsal of video conference<br>1<br>1. Introduction of group, Ho Lap College, Hong Kong<br>2. "A school day in my life" and global warming<br>3. Inquiring issues                 | <b>Jan 6-7</b><br>BCN is still on Holidays  |   |
| Jan 13   | Video Conference 1**:<br>1. Introduction of groups at each school<br>2. The result of the Ecological Footprint Quiz<br>3. Our daily lives and global warming<br>4. Inquiring issues |   | 1 hour  |
| Jan 21   | Knowledge Forum (KF) as a tool for on-line international communication:<br>Functions<br>Application<br>Principles<br>Training of note writing                                       |   |   |

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| Jan 26 – Feb 4 Chinese New Year Holiday:<br>Friendship development via KF | <b>Jan 26, 28</b><br>Formulation of a new life routine |
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| Feb 11    | International collaboration by using KF: World Healer ***                                   |   | International on-line collaboration |
| Feb 18    | eg. formulation of a new life routine; book/ poster; sustainable                            |   |                                     |
| Feb 25    | campus design; invention .... etc   |   |                                     |
| Mar 4     |   |   |                                     |
| Mar 11    |   |   |                                     |
| Mar 16-24 | Test week   | Mar 18, 25                                    |                                     |
| Mar 25    | Conclusion  |   |                                     |
| April 1   | Presentation  | Presentation                                  | Prizes award                        |
| April 8   | Preparation of Video Conference 2   | <b>April 6 – 13</b><br><b>Easter Holidays</b> | Course evaluation afterwards        |
| April 21  | Video Conference 2<br>1. Sharing of final product<br>2. Cultural exchange<br>3. Celebration |   |                                     |

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**\* Students' work progress:**

<http://worldhealer.wikispaces.com/HKGworks>

<http://worldhealer.wikispaces.com/BCN+works>

**\*\* Some ideas on the Video Conference:**

Details: <http://worldhealer.wikispaces.com/VideoConference1>

\*\*\*: After the 1<sup>st</sup> video conference we will be working on these global warming related topics:

**Recycling, Water (Inventions), Ecological High school, Natural disasters.**

Since we have 4 groups within the big group, each of them will be in charge of developing one of these topics.