



TO BE CITIZENS OF THE WORLD

CONNECT . COLLABORATE . CREATE . CHANGE

Youth Talk

Fostering dialogue and understanding among the world's youth

Al Hussan International

School, Girls Section participated in a virtual exchange program hosted by Global Nomads Group. As part of the program, our school collaborated with Buffalo High School, Texas to

develop solutions to the challenges our communities face.

Students worked with their partner school on four modules over a period of 8 months and attended four video conferences.

Module 1

Cultural Exchange: Many Stories, One World

How does cross-cultural dialogue enhance our global awareness?

These modules are:

1. Cultural Exchange
2. Media and Society
3. Addressing Conflict
4. Global Citizenship
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Module 2

Media and Society: Building Multiple Perspectives

How do our news and information sources shape our perceptions about people and places worldwide?

Module 3

Addressing Conflict: Creating Solutions

How can we analyze and address conflict in our every day lives?

Module 4

Global Citizenship: Engaging Our Communities

What is the difference between citizenship and global citizenship?

Grade 11 and 12 students

worked together on the global

citizenship project to address the problem of inequality and racism by asking a question to all the youth around the world, **"What do you believe in?"**

To show case their research on the topic, they created a video. Al Hussan's students presented the project to the target audience i.e. 13 – 19 years during morning assembly. The whole project of **YOUTH TALK** was a big success. All the modules were highly thought provoking.

Our partner school has been extremely cooperative. Since this was our second year with GNG, our students were selected as student facilitators and they hosted the video conference themselves.

Our students learnt a great deal from their partner school's students. We hope to spread the message to our students regarding cultural diversity and promotion of equality.

Geography
Where is it? What countries border it? What is the environment like?

People, Culture, & Religion
Who lives there? What languages do they speak? Which religions are practiced?

History and Government
What significant events have taken place in this country? What is the current government?

Education
What kind of education system do they have? Who goes to school?

Human Rights
Which rights do citizens have? Which groups struggle for these rights?

