



that's what we're made of

Character Counts Citizenship



Definition of Citizenship?

"Global Citizenship is both a moral and ethical disposition which might guide an individual or groups' understanding of local and global contexts- and their responsibilities within different communities. It is motivated through a complex set of commitments to local interests (love of family, communal fairness, self-interest) and a sense of universal equality and notions of care for human beings

and the 'world/planet' in its entirety. Global citizenship, as participatory action, entails a responsibility to alleviating local and global inequality, while simultaneously avoiding action that hinders the well-being of individuals or damages the 'world/planet'. This notion is closely linked to an understanding of globalization and cosmopolitanism."

Definition of "Global Citizenship"
a general definition from Wikipedia

As long as I live, I will never forget that day 21 years ago when I raised my hand and took the oath of citizenship. Do you know how proud I was? I was so proud that I walked around with an American flag around my shoulders all day long.

[Arnold Schwarzenegger](#)

Citizenship in 4-H

4-H Club Activity "Rules for a Meeting"

Divide the club into small groups of four or five members. Assign each group one of the following areas: business meeting, recreation, presentations and project meetings. Instruct each group to come up with a list of rules

designed to protect the rights of 4-H'ers during that activity. Have members write their rules on a sheet of flip chart paper. Ask them to phrase their rules as positive statements whenever possible. Have groups present their lists and discuss similarities and differences. Each group should be

prepared to defend its choices.

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Clover Connection

Head - be an informed citizen.

Heart - show compassion for others.

Hands - give service to others, time, money and support.

Health - create healthy lifestyles for American families.