

GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

Developing an awareness
and understanding of the
wider world and our place
in it.

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What is Global Citizenship?



Global citizenship is not about which country you live in or what religion or politics you believe in.

It is about your responsibility and rights as a member of **humanity and the world as a whole.**

Equality

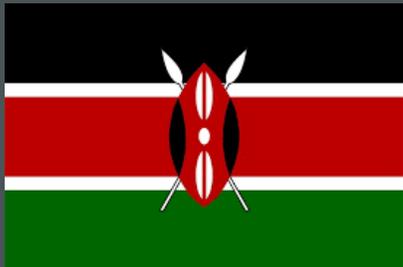
Equality is one of the most important aspects of Global Citizenship – that everyone on our planet should be treated equally and with the same respect.



Equality and respect are rights for everyone regardless of age, skin colour, gender, wealth or geography.

We are all very privileged to be able to come to school at The Willows. Do you think every child in the world has the same opportunity? What factors affect these opportunities?

A global citizen:
Donna Early



This is Donna Early and she lives near us in South Manchester. She strongly believes in equal opportunities for children all over the world. Donna supports a charity called the Memusi Foundation.

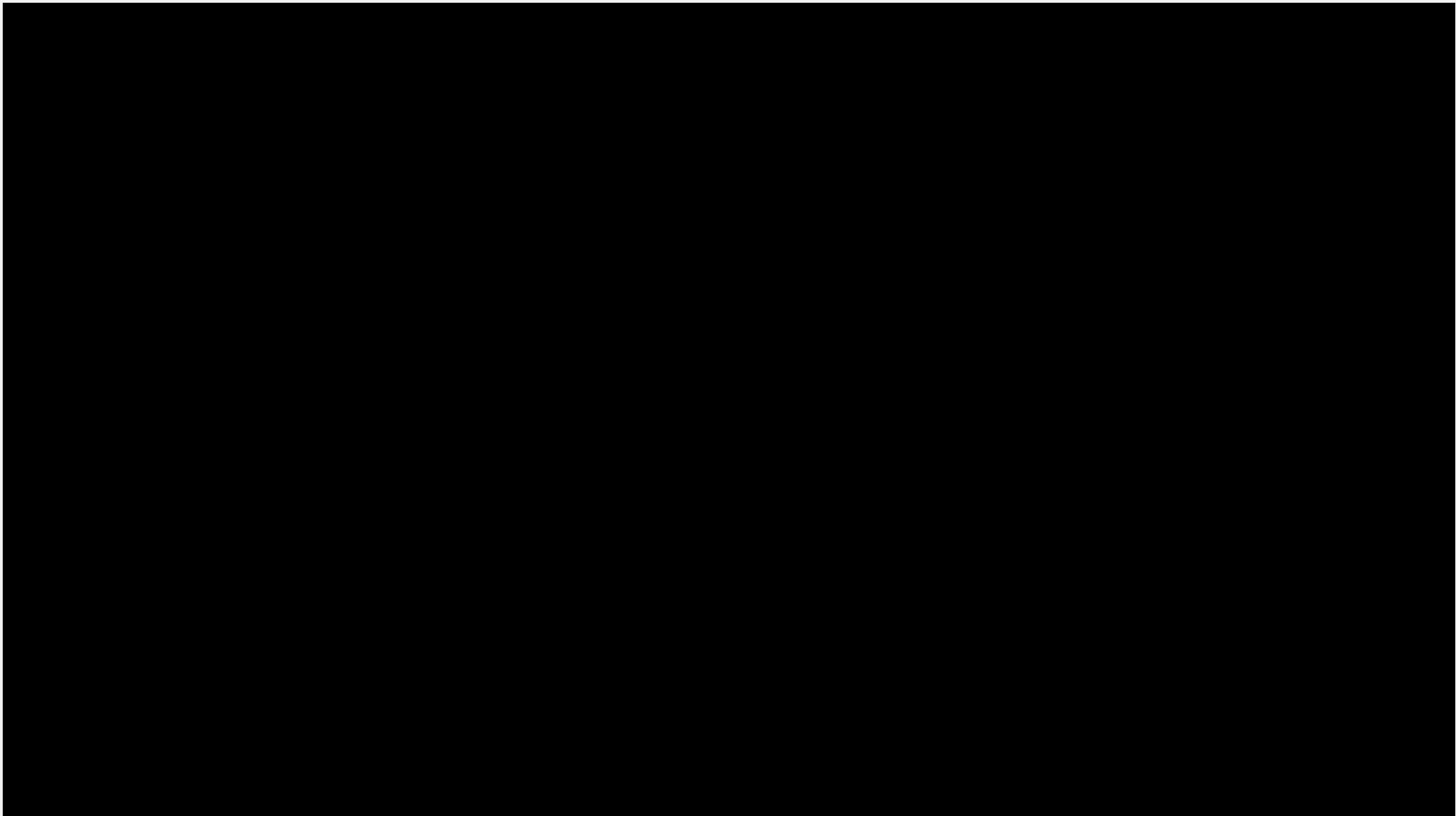


Donna and the Memusi Foundation are trying to make the world a fairer, more equal place working with communities & schools in Kenya to provide access to quality education.

Their motto is;

“We believe that Education is the primary route out of poverty for every child.”

Here is a video explaining what they do.

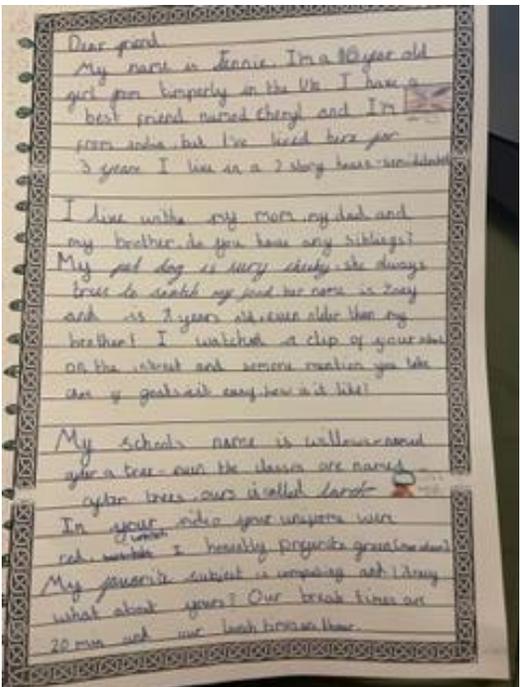
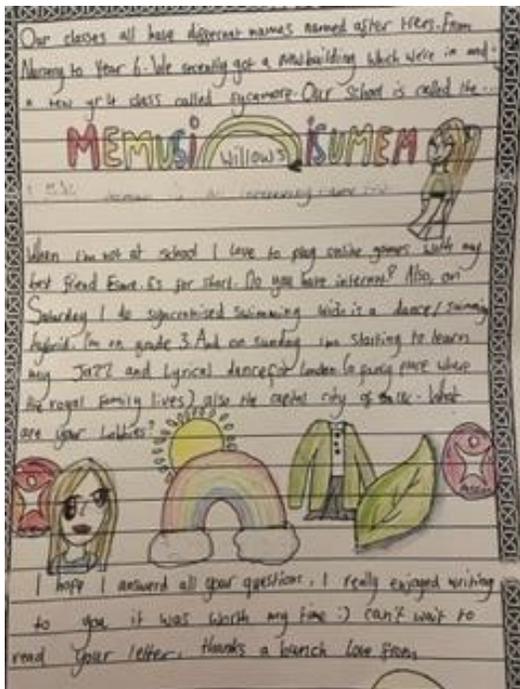


Donna has recently been on a volunteering trip to the Memusi School in Magadi, Kenya to help teach the children there. Here are some pictures from her trip.





The children at the Memusi school love hearing about how we live in the UK, in particular what our schools are like, our hobbies and what a typical day would look like for a child here in the UK.



So the children in Year 6 at The Willows wrote letters to the children at the Memusi School in Magadi, Kenya.

Donna took these letters with her on her visit to the school and Year 6 eagerly await replies from their new pen pals!



Can you spot
your letters,
Year 6?

Here at The Willows we would like to support the Memusi Foundation and help children in Kenya go to school to get an education the same way we do



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Own Clothes Day!

Wear **black**, **red** and/or **green** to represent the colours of the Kenyan flag!

Friday 3rd November 2023

The Willows is holding an own clothes day in aid of the Memusi Foundation, who work directly with communities & schools in Kenya to provide access to quality education.

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Year 6 have written letters to children in Kenya, telling them all about themselves and their life at The Willows. They eagerly await replies from their new pen pals!

We would appreciate a **donation of £1+ via Parentpay** to support this cause.

For more information about the charity please find it at

<https://www.memusifoundation.org.uk/>

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Mitchell (Willows Eco Co-ordinator) and the Eco Council

