

North Central Regional Education Lab - Learning Point Associates defines "Global Awareness" as.....

The recognition and understanding of interrelationships among international organizations, nation-states, public and private economic entities, socio-cultural groups, and individuals across the globe

Students who are globally aware:

- Are knowledgeable about the connectedness of the nations of the world historically, politically, economically, technologically, socially, linguistically, and ecologically.
- Understand that these interconnections can have both positive benefits and negative consequences.
- Understand the role of the United States in international policies and international relations.
- Are able to recognize, analyze, and evaluate major trends in global relations and the interconnections of these trends with both their local and national communities. Understand how national cultural differences impact the interpretation of events at the global level.
- Understand the impact of ideology and culture on national decisions about access to and use of technology.
- Participate in the global society by staying current with international news and by participating in the democratic process.