

Ask your 4-H  
Leader how to  
get involved.



Being a globally aware, culturally competent citizen does not require you to know about every custom or every culture around the world.

A culturally aware person understands that their culture affects the way they view the world and respects the fact that people from other countries may see things differently.

4-H Global Programs provide 4-H'ers with a variety of opportunities to:

- Learn about other countries and cultures
- Participate in foreign exchange programs
- Form friendships with youth in other countries
- Organize service projects to help increase awareness of and address global issues.

[www.georgia4hinternational.org](http://www.georgia4hinternational.org)

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Global Awareness is understanding cultures, languages & traditions other than your own.



## Who Cares About Global Awareness?

### Michael F. Adams, UGA President

“If we’re going to prepare young people for success in the 21st century, they need to understand cultures, languages and traditions other than their own, and they especially need to be open to seeing the world in a different way.”

### Tino Johnson, Assistant Director of Undergraduate Admissions, UGA

“Some of the main factors that can help students stand out and make themselves more marketable in the eyes of colleges are their ability to benefit from and contribute to a culturally and intellectually diverse community of scholar citizens and an understanding of and respect for intellectual, social, and cultural differences.”

### Andres Villegas, Vice President of International Trade, Marketing and Governmental Affairs, Langdale Industries

“The ability to understand and work with others is perhaps the greatest skill that a person can develop. The best leaders in business, politics and religion have these skills. This is especially important in today’s global environment where companies, cultures and people must move easily across political borders and lines.”

### Kevin Langston, Director of International Offices, Georgia Department of Economic Development

“Of the \$5.7 billion of total new investment in the state in fiscal year 2006, some 30 percent was from international companies.”

## Global Correspondence

### Epals Global Network

Enables 4-H’ers & their leaders to safely connect with counterparts around the world for peer to peer projects and activities.

Develop a profile for yourself and your 4-H club.

Post and view pictures, audio and video files.

Share email, chat online and participate in global discussion boards with youth from around the world using automatic translation software.

### Peace Corp Volunteer Match Program

Pick a country of interest, or learn about the global issues related to your project area.

### Global Pen-Pals

Exchange Letters with new friends worldwide.



## Exchange Programs

### Plan Now for Summer of 2008

### Host a Student from Japan for 4 Weeks Labo Summer Inbound Program

### Interested families should express interest by September 1, 2007.

4-H’ers aged 10-17 can host a Japanese student, from mid-July to mid August.

The visitors come as guests, not as tourists, so no special activities need to be planned.

## Exchange Programs

### Spend 6 weeks abroad for less than \$1000

### Rotary Youth Exchange

### Apply by November 15th

4-H’ers aged 15-18 host an exchange student for 4-6 weeks and spend 4-6 weeks at the home of the student they host.

Choose from a variety of countries.

Costs \$300 plus a plane ticket. Your local Rotary Club may help sponsor your trip.

## Global Service

A variety of global service project opportunities are listed on the 4-H Global Programs website.

You can organize and lead a global service project involving your club, school, church and community.

Get recognized nationally and even win trips.

## 4-H Recognition

### 4-H Global Awareness Certificate Program

Get recognized for your global awareness activities. Simply register your Jr. or Sr. DPA Portfolio for judging. Winners will be recognized on the 4-H International Programs Website and in the CAES Global Activity Report.

### 4-H Global Ambassador Program

Participants will attend a dynamic, intense training weekend and plan individual activities to share their knowledge and represent Georgia 4-H as ambassadors in the field.