

Character development within Geography

At Kings Langley we aim to challenge all of our students to look for opportunities to develop the main school character virtues of stickability, self-regulation and empathy. We aim to help students grasp what is ethically important in situations and how to act for the right reasons, so that they become more autonomous and reflective. In this process, the ultimate aim of character education is the development of good sense or practical wisdom (phronesis): the capacity to choose intelligently between alternatives. Within Geography this encompasses the way that the students reflect on their own experiences in lessons, the way that they interact with others, the manner in which they apply themselves to their work, and the way that they consider themselves to be citizens locally and globally.