

Early Access: Global Readiness Mapping Tool

For Counselors and Educators in Sub-Saharan Africa

Purpose

This worksheet helps you identify, evaluate, and strengthen the seven dimensions of global readiness within your school. It guides reflection on where key skills already exist, where gaps lie, and how to integrate low-cost, scalable activities into your academic calendar.

Step 1: School Context

School Name	Country	Curriculum Type	Age Range	Resource Level (Low / Medium / High)

Step 2: Global Readiness Audit

For each dimension, describe existing programs or practices, rate their strength (1-5), identify gaps, and brainstorm next steps.

Dimension	Existing Activities / Programs	Strength (1-5)	Gaps / Challenges	Ideas for Integration
1. Critical Thinking & Inquiry				
2. Speaking & Engagement Skills				
3. Reading, Writing & Information Literacy				

4. World Awareness				
5. Social Engagement				
6. Curiosity & Creativity				
7. Self-Awareness & Reflection				

Step 3: Integration Calendar

Use this template to map readiness initiatives across the school year for Grades 9-12. Start small - one or two activities per term can have a major impact.

Month / Term	Key Activities (Academic & Co-Curricular)	Readiness Dimensions Targeted	Partners / Leads	Notes
Term 1				
Term 2				
Term 3				

Step 4: Reflection & Next Steps

1. Which dimensions are strongest in your school community?
2. Which are least developed, and why?
3. What small changes could begin closing those gaps?
4. What partnerships or collaborations (universities, NGOs, alumni) could amplify your efforts?

Step 5: Action Commitment

Write one tangible step you'll take in the next 3 months to enhance early global readiness in your context.

My Next Step: _____

Who Will I Involve: _____

Timeline: _____

“Global readiness begins in the local classroom. When we embed curiosity, reflection, and voice early, students don’t just adapt to the world—they contribute to it.”

– Eudora Okine