

About the Stevens Initiative

The Stevens Initiative is an international movement whose mission is to connect young people through virtual exchange to enhance their understanding of the world around them, giving them critical skills to succeed and encouraging global friendships along the way. The Initiative does this through virtual exchange.

About Virtual Exchange

Virtual exchange connects young people from around the world for learning and collaboration, immersing them in digital spaces to gain practical skills and build friendships along the way.

Stevens Initiative and Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

Wisconsin DPI and the Stevens Initiative are partnering to support global learning across the curriculum through virtual exchange. Virtual exchange gives all students (and educators) access to global relationships and learning. We believe in the value of language, intercultural, and global competence for a world-ready Wisconsin.

Stevens PROVIDER Initiative FAIR

April 24 4 - 5 pm CT

Participating Providers

AFS Intercultural Programs

Global Up Americas connects young people and their educators in the Americas, developing them as active global citizens through a virtual, classroom-to-classroom learning experience with global competence curriculum and live facilitated dialogue sessions.

Seeking: High school teachers who teach relevant subjects such as geography, social studies, Spanish, and more.

Educación para Compartir

Culture for Sharing brings together elementary school aged youth for dialogue about global issues and interculturality, creating a space for participants to learn about and appreciate their own and other cultures using the power of play.

Seeking: Elementary school principals and teachers

Global Nomads Group

Overcoming Bias Through Language Learning is a virtual exchange that promotes empathy, awareness, and action-orientation among middle and high school aged youth in Mexico and the United States through language learning.

Seeking: Spanish middle and high school teachers











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iEARN-USA

Compañeros de Clase Globales connects classrooms in Guatemala and the United States (including Puerto Rico), engaging students in cross-cultural, collaborative learning while they examine compelling real-world issues and explore ways they can make a difference.

Seeking: Elementary/early middle school and high school teachers.

Storytelling for Social Change builds global leaders by engaging Algerian, Tunisian, and American youth in global collaboration to tell stories about real world issues in their local communities.

Seeking: Teachers who work with high school students in classrooms or out-of-school programs.

Plugged In Band

Peace Tracks is a cross-cultural, musicfocused online youth exchange that provides high school students with an unforgettable opportunity to connect with peers in other countries to get to know them, learn about their cultures, and collaborate over the course of a semester on an original song. **Seeking:** Teachers who work with high school students in classrooms or out-ofschool programs.

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