

Registrations for the Global Children's Challenge™ 2012 are open.

There are 165,000 child places available globally for their free of charge activity programme and they are keen to get as many schools as possible involved in this momentous year! Places are allocated on a first-come first-served basis and they would like to encourage teachers to register their class before the end of the summer term.

The 50 day challenge starts on Wednesday, 19th September and finishes on Wednesday, 7th November 2012.

- Registrations from teachers for their class is now open at www.gccjunior.org/apply
- The challenge is open to any class in the last 3 years of primary school (typically aged 8-12).
- Every child is provided a free **pedometer** to measure their activity levels.
- Each class participates as one team, led by their class teacher
- Steps are recorded on the www.gccjunior.org website, where they are converted to distance and where each class will then track their progress on a **virtual journey around the world**, learning about new cultures and interacting with classes in other countries as they go.
- It is **completely free** to schools and parents - the event is proudly supported by the Global Corporate Challenge® (GCC).