Global political challenges

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Word	Example
HL extension	The **HL extension** studies global challenges.
global political challenge /ˈgləʊbl pəˈlɪtɪkl ˈtʃælɪndʒ/	Climate change is a **global political challenge**.
migration /maɪˈgreɪʃn/	**Migration** moves workers from one country to another.
stimulus /ˈstɪmjʊləs/	The paper begins with a **stimulus**, such as a photo or text.
level	Analyse the issue at the local and global **level**.
actor	An **actor** is a person or group that takes part in politics.
interest /ˈɪntrest/	Each country acts in its own **interest**.
governance /ˈgʌvənəns/	Good **governance** makes clear who can make big decisions.
climate change /ˈklaɪmət tʃeɪndʒ/	**Climate change** makes some places hotter and drier.
Paris Agreement	In the **Paris Agreement**, countries promised to limit global warming.
nationally determined contribution	A **nationally determined contribution** is a country's own climate plan.

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collective action problem /kəˈlektɪv ˈækʃn ˈprɒbləm/	A **collective action problem** arises when everyone waits for others to act.
World Health Organization	The **World Health Organization** works on global health.
Refugee Convention	The **Refugee Convention** protects people who flee danger.
refugee /ˈrefju:dʒi:/	A **refugee** has fled war or danger.

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