



St Paul's Catholic Primary School Fairtrade Policy



This policy, after consultation with the LA and Governors, was adopted by the Governing Body of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Primary School and will be reviewed as and when necessary.

Reviewed July 2020

St Paul's RC Primary School is committed to supporting, using and promoting Fairtrade wherever possible. We believe that Fairtrade can make a difference to the lives of young people throughout the world by improving living and working conditions for the people who grow the things we buy.

Our school will

- Ensure that Fairtrade issues and the concept of 'fairness' are embedded into the school curriculum, in whole school activities, assemblies and the overall culture of the school.
- Promote Fairtrade in the school and wider community, by taking part in Fairtrade Fortnight, completing Fairtrade challenges and highlighting Fairtrade activities in school newsletters.
- Hold regular Fairtrade meetings with our Fairtrade group of pupils who monitor and drive forward the school's support for Fairtrade; share the responsibility for Fairtrade challenges and contribute to our Fairtrade Action Plan.
- Use Fairtrade products wherever possible: staffroom, meetings and events, footballs at playtimes.
- Continue to hold 'Tuckshop Tuesday' – selling Fairtrade snacks for pupils and staff.
- Hold termly Fairtrade Breakfasts, a whole school event, using Fairtrade products.
- Develop new initiatives to continually raise awareness of Fairtrade and ensure that the Fairtrade Action Plan reflects these.
- Ensure Fairtrade is part of the School Improvement Plan.
- Use the Fairtrade Schools Award identities where possible, on the website and on stationary.
- Keep the designated Governor up to date with events involving Fairtrade.

This Policy is supported by

Name	Signature	On behalf of
		The Board of Governors
		The Head Teacher
		The Staff
		Fairtrade Group
		Friends of St Paul's