



Our World

Week Beginning: Monday 22 February 2021



This Week in Our World...

This week the focus of **'Our World'** is Fairtrade Fortnight running from Monday 22 February to Sunday 7 March 2021.

Fairtrade is about better prices, decent working conditions, local sustainability, and fair terms of trade for farmers and workers in the developing world. Brazil, Russia, India, China, and South Africa (BRICS) are generally considered developing countries.

Where are BRICS countries in the world?



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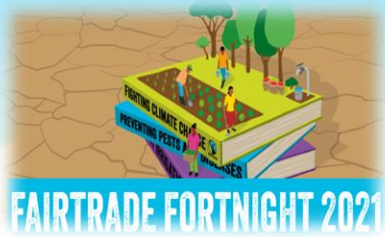


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The story so far...

By requiring companies to pay sustainable prices (which must never fall lower than the market price), Fairtrade tackles the injustices of conventional trade, which traditionally discriminates against the most vulnerable.

It enables them to improve their position and have more control over their lives.



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The story so far...

With Fairtrade you have the power to change the world every day.

With simple shopping choices you can get farmers a better deal. There are over 1.66 million farmers and workers spread across more than 73 countries participating in Fairtrade.

This means they can make their own decisions, control their future and lead the dignified life everyone deserves.



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What we can do...

The power is in our hands...

We can buy Fairtrade products.

Buying Fairtrade is easy. There are over 6,000 Fairtrade products from coffee and tea to flowers and gold, so when you shop, look for the FAIRTRADE Mark.



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What we do already

WPS is a FAIRACHIEVER School, which is the highest award a school can achieve.

This is because we have fully embedded Fairtrade into their daily life and work to raise awareness of Fairtrade in their local community.

We will be focussing more on Fairtrade next week, with a video from the RR Committee and activities for you to do in your own classes – keep your eyes peeled!



Article of the Week

Articles 27

This article relate to how supporting Fairtrade we can help children in other countries have an adequate standard of living.

Article 27 – Adequate Standard of Living

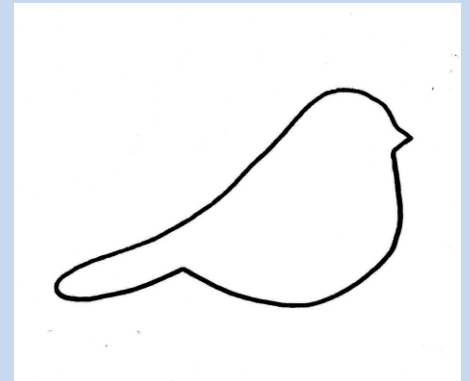
Every child has the right to a standard of living that is good enough to meet their physical and social needs and support their development. Governments must help families who cannot afford to provide this.



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If you would like to, cut out a template of a bird (like the one below) and decorate it with your favourite design. Then write a word or phrase on your design to support children in developing countries who might not have the same standard of living as you.





vulnerable

Vulnerable

Adjective – exposed to the possibility of being harmed or in need of special care, support, or protection.





Watch...



Clip 1 (Fairtrade Foundation on YouTube)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VQfnVPtPqg8&feature=emb_logo

Clip 2 (Fairtrade Foundation on YouTube)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lthDI_3hyJo&feature=emb_logo