

Fair Trade KS2 Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Organic	Raised or grown without hormones, drugs, or synthetic chemicals.
Pesticides	A chemical used to kill pests, especially insects.
Fair trade	A way of buying and selling products that are designed to help the producers and growers make a living wage as well as making positive social/ environmental impacts on their communities.
Cooperatives	Groups of farmers or producers that make business decisions together
Poverty	A state of being poor - lacking the ability to provide for basic material needs and comforts.
Export	To send goods to another country for trade or sale
Import	To bring in (goods or materials) from a foreign country to trade or sell
Living Wage	A wage that is sufficient to provide minimally satisfactory living conditions
Sustainable Development	Business and farming practices that meet the needs of the present without damaging the ability of future generations to meet their needs
Labour	The workers, especially manual workers, in a country, company, or industry



Sticky Knowledge about Fair Trade

- ❑ Fair Trade sugar cane is grown in 19 countries including Paraguay as well as Fiji, Malawi and Zambia.
- ❑ Together, the four Fairtrade honey organisations in Argentina produce over 1,000 tonnes of honey each year - that's the weight of 150 elephants.
- ❑ In 2018, the first Fairtrade School in India was announced with many more schools now working towards the award.
- ❑ 80% of the world's Vanilla comes from Madagascar.
- ❑ Many Fair trade tea farmers in Vietnam also grow Fairtrade spices like cinnamon.
- ❑ Nutmeg is originally from Indonesia but is now grown in Sri Lanka, India and Grenada (it even features on the Grenadian flag).

Exciting Books



Fair Trade Products

- Tea
- Coffee
- Sugar
- Bananas
- Chocolate
- Honey
- Ice cream
- Clothes
- Flowers
- Footballs
- Cinnamon
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