



Scottish  
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Forum

## **FAIRTRADE PRODUCTS FOR SCHOOLS**

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### **School canteens: ask your council or contractor for Fairtrade products**

Many council catering contractors stock Fairtrade products as part of their standard range. Ask your supplier for Fairtrade bananas, oranges, fruit juices, sugar, rice and cereal bars. Prices are often not a problem for large volume orders. For rice from Malawi try Just Trading Scotland - 0141 887 2882  
More details from The Fairtrade Foundation - 020 7405 5942

### **Catering products: staff rooms, breakfast clubs, parents' evenings**

Introduce Fairtrade tea, coffee, sugar, fruit juices, smoothies, cereal bars, wine, dried fruit, biscuits, cakes, chocolate etc  
For Breakfast Clubs try Fairtrade muesli, fruit, jam, marmalade and honey.  
Most supermarkets stock a wide range of these Fairtrade products.  
Traidcraft and Green City Wholefoods can deliver to schools:  
Traidcraft - 0191 491 0591. [www.traidcraftschools.co.uk/buying\\_fairtrade\\_products](http://www.traidcraftschools.co.uk/buying_fairtrade_products)  
Greencity Wholefoods - 0141 554 7633. [www.greencity.co.uk](http://www.greencity.co.uk)

### **Fairtrade sports balls**

Fairtrade footballs, rugby balls, netballs, and volleyballs can cost less than many brand names.  
Details from the Fair Corporation, (formerly 'Fair Deal Trading') - 0845 094 4746.  
[www.thefaircorporation.com](http://www.thefaircorporation.com) [contact@thefaircorp.com](mailto:contact@thefaircorp.com)  
They also stock ethically sourced trainers and goalie gloves.

### **Fairtrade tuck shops and craft stalls**

Some companies will provide products on a "sale or return" basis for pupils to sell on Fair Trade stalls.  
Traidcraft: 0191 491 0591. [www.traidcraftschools.co.uk/buying\\_fairtrade\\_products](http://www.traidcraftschools.co.uk/buying_fairtrade_products)  
Greencity Wholefoods: 0141 554 7633 [www.greencity.co.uk](http://www.greencity.co.uk)  
One World Shop: 0141 357 1567 [www.glasgow@oneworldshop.co.uk](http://www.glasgow@oneworldshop.co.uk)  
The Coach House, Balmore, near Glasgow: 01360 620 742  
Tearcraft: 0141 332 3621 [www.tearcraft.org](http://www.tearcraft.org)  
Rainbow Turtle, Paisley: 0141 887 1881  
Silverchilli.com (silver jewellery from Mexico): 01308 281 034 [www.silverchilli.com](http://www.silverchilli.com)

Comfort Rwanda, Kilsyth (crafts made by victims of the Rwandan genocide): 01236 827251 [www.comfortwanda.org.uk](http://www.comfortwanda.org.uk) [enquiry@comfortwanda.org.uk](mailto:enquiry@comfortwanda.org.uk)  
Shared Earth: [www.sharedearth.co.uk](http://www.sharedearth.co.uk)

### **Fairtrade flowers**

Use Fairtrade flowers to brighten up school events. They make excellent gifts – eg when a member of staff is sick or leaving. Available from most supermarkets.

### **Fairtrade Cotton School Uniform and Sportswear**

Switch to Fairtrade school wear - more information from the Scottish Fair Trade Forum:

List of suppliers - Fairtrade cotton school uniform and sportswear

Frequently Asked Questions - Fairtrade cotton school uniform and sportswear