BISHOP'S HATFIELD GIRLS' SCHOOL

FAIRTRADE POLICY

Date of last review: Spring Term 2025

Date of next review: Spring Term 2028

School Based Policy

Bishop's Hatfield Girls' School

POLICY TITLE: Fairtrade

STATUS Non-Statutory

REVIEWED BY: SLT

DATE of REVIEW: Spring 2025

AIM:

BHGS is committed to Fairtrade and to demonstrating this commitment through purchasing decisions, teaching and learning activities and the way in which pupils are encouraged to take action on Fairtrade issues within school and the wider community.

RELATIONSHIP TO OTHER POLICIES:

• The Global Dimension Policy

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Headteacher will ensure that:

- There is an appointed Global Dimension Co-ordinator
- Our students are given opportunities to become more aware about fairtrade
- That Fairtrade is included in the School Improvement Plan where applicable.

The Co-ordinator(s) will ensure that:

- The school uses some Fairtrade products in the Staffroom and for meetings
- Where appropriate, fair-trade ingredients are used/suggested in cookery activities
- They work with the Canteen to promote Fairtrade options for pupils where possible
- They raise awareness and promote the availability of Fairtrade options for Faculty purchasing (e.g. Footballs for PE, prizes and faculty refreshments)
- They explore using uniforms made with Fairtrade cotton

- They work with the PTA and other groups to ensure that Fairtrade products are available at school events
- Learning about Fairtrade is integrated into the school curriculum and whole school activities (e.g. assemblies)
- Fairtrade is promoted within the school (e.g. through use of display)
- One or more activities each year are organised during Fairtrade Fortnight
- Fairtrade is promoted within the local community in consultation with other local schools.

The governing body will:

• Support the school in the implementation of the policy

MONITORING AND EVALUATION

- The policy will be reviewed every 3 years
- The policy and activities related to Fairtrade will be reviewed by the Global Dimension Co-ordinator annually and reported to the Fairtrade Foundation if required.

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ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Headteacher will ensure that:

- There is a Fairtrade Steering Group that meets once per term
- That Fairtrade is included in the School Improvement Plan where applicable.

The Fairtrade Steering Group will:

- Ensure that the school uses some Fairtrade products in the Staffroom and for meetings
- Seek to ensure that where appropriate, fair-trade ingredients are used/suggested in cookery activities
- Work with the Canteen to ensure that the school provides some Fairtrade options for pupils
- Raise awareness and promote the availability of Fairtrade options for Faculty purchasing (e.g. Footballs for PE, prizes and faculty refreshments)
- Explore using uniforms made with Fairtrade cotton
- Work with the PTA and other groups to ensure that Fairtrade products are available at school events
- Ensure that learning about Fairtrade happens in a range of lessons and whole school activities (e.g. assemblies)
- Promote Fairtrade within the school (e.g. through use of display)
- Organise one or more activities each year during Fairtrade Fortnight
- Promote Fairtrade within the local community in consultation with other local school Fairtrade Steering Groups.

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