

## KIRKHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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At Kirkhill we are #PROUD of our school community. Everyone is encouraged to be creative, strive for excellence and be inspired to attain, achieve and be their best.

25<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Fairtrade Fortnight 2022

(21st February - 6th March)

What is Fairtrade Fortnight?



For two weeks each year, at the end of February and start of March, thousands of schools across the UK come together to learn from the people who grow our food and drinks, mine our gold and who grow the cotton in our clothes - people who are often exploited and underpaid.

Through learning about how we are all connected through the things we eat, drink and wear, young people are equipped with the knowledge and skills to shape a more compassionate and sustainable world.

## Fairtrade Pupil Group

The Fairtrade Pupil group would like to let everyone know about an event we have been planning. Friday 4th March, as part of Fairtrade Fortnight, will be Fairtrade Friday.

On Friday 4th March, we would like to invite the children to:

- Wear Fairtrade colours to school-green, black or blue.
- Bring a snack that displays the Fairtrade mark and keep the wrappers for a display that the pupil group will create.
- Watch a Fairtrade video in class and have a discussion around what Fairtrade means/how it helps and take part in a Fairtrade activity to highlight its significance.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Dover, Mrs Miller and the Fairtrade Pupil Group