

Year 6 into 7 Transition Work – Citizenship

Citizenship is a subject all about **how society operates and what citizens can do to change it!**

It brings together lots of different areas of study. This task will focus on some ideas within Citizenship, **fairness and trade.**

Use the following links to answer the questions and complete the activities.

1.) Summarise the work of Fairtrade in 9 words or less.

(Use this site to help: <https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/What-is-Fairtrade>)

2.) Make copy of the Fairtrade logo (it can be found on the website you've just visited). Ask a parent/carer permission, to look around your home to see if you have any Fairtrade products. Good places to look, would be the cupboard and fruit! List any you have, don't worry if you don't have any. List any products you have.

3.) Watch the following clip: "Underappreciated": <https://schools.fairtrade.org.uk/resource/under-appreciated/>

4.) Read this page, it discusses the possible withdrawal of Fairtrade chocolate in Nestle KitKat's: <https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/Media-Centre/News/June-2020/Fairtrade-producers-raise-their-voices-to-ask-Nestle-to-keep-KitKats-Fairtrade>

5.) One very important part of Citizenship is equipping you with the knowledge skills to become **active citizens** – this will allow you to help make change when something isn't working in society. Complete one of the following activities:

- Write a blog post outlining your view about the decision Nestle are making – do you think they should keep Fairtrade chocolate? Or do you think they should withdraw their partnership? Why?

OR

- Create a piece of artwork which represent your views about the decision Nestle are making. It could specifically demonstrate the benefits of Fairtrade and but could also include other benefits of ethical consumerism. Write a brief description of your artwork, a mini-paragraph will be fine!

You could use this site for some additional ideas: <https://www.globalschools.org.uk/artivism-competition> - there is a PPT you can look at to help you think about ethical consumerism.

It would be great if you brought your completed work in September!

The Citizenship and PSHE Department can't wait to meet you in September! Have an enjoyable & safe summer!