

Using the 'Fairtrade Tea' lesson plan

This lesson is suitable for ages 7 to 12.

The outcomes of the lesson are:

- To use geographical vocabulary to examine the different factors that influence where tea is grown
- To understand what the impact of Fairtrade can be for farmers and workers
- Students learn what Fairtrade Premium is and use the task to explore how decisions are made in a Premium Committee

You will need:

The accompanying Powerpoint

The Fairtrade Premium task

You will need to print out a number of task sheets. Students will need to work in groups of about four or five so make sure you have enough for each group. If you are delivering this lesson regularly it may be worth laminating some copies so that you can reuse them.

Each group will need a pen and paper to record their ideas.

Each slide has notes on it that can be used as a script if required. Notes that are just for the presenter are in italics.

Please note that the figures in this exercise are not accurate and have been used to simplify the maths required. The key outcome for this task is the discussion itself.

If you have any questions or comments about this lesson plan please email schools@fairtrade.org.uk