

# Middlesex University Fairtrade Policy

Middlesex University in partnership with the Student Union and Chartwells Catering services is committed to promoting Fairtrade across its campus. Fairtrade is a strategy for poverty alleviation and sustainable development. Its purpose is to create opportunities for producers and workers who have been economically disadvantaged or marginalized by the conventional trading system.

By supporting Fairtrade the University will ensure the following goals are met:

- Fairtrade foods will be made available for sale in campus shops, cafes, restaurants and bars on campus. Where this is not yet possible the University will work towards removing barriers to make this possible.
- Fairtrade foods will be served at all meetings hosted by the University, and in staff offices.
- Events and campaigns will be held each year to create awareness and promote consumption of Fairtrade amongst staff, students and visitors to the University.
- A Fairtrade steering group will meet at least quarterly with membership from University operational staff, Student Union and Chartwells catering services to ensure continual progress of the Fairtrade agenda.



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