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a bulletin for teachers

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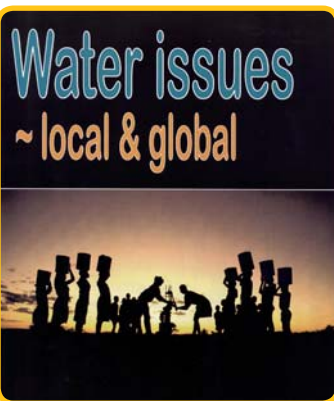
Reduce, Re-use, Recycle

This term, DEED is running a new project dealing with local and global issues around waste and recycling. Although the project is currently fully booked, it will remain available as one of our core services for the foreseeable future.

The programme, which costs £350, includes:

- a twilight Inset
- a morning workshop with Yrs 5/6, delivered by DEED and Dorset Scrapstore (max. 65 pupils)
- supporting resources to browse, borrow or buy

As part of DEED's commitment to helping achieve a more sustainable world, we would welcome enquiries from any members of the local community - for example, youth, community or faith groups - who are interested in waste and recycling work. We can adapt the programme to meet your needs.



A wide selection of supporting resources is available from DEED, including:

- Water Issues - local & global*, a photopack of practical ideas for using water issues to explore sustainable development with KS2, Tide, 0948838981, £12+VAT
- Climate Change - local & global*, a handbook for teachers with ideas for exploring the issue of climate change with KS2 & 3, Tide, 0948838922, £10
- Rethink Refuse Reduce*, a new book offering help to classroom teachers delivering education for sustainability, FSC Publications, 1851532862, £15
- Toys and Tales with Everyday Materials*, make a range of dynamic toys based on traditional folk toys from India, Tara, 818621142X, £12.50
- Common Wealth, Common Waste*, a KS3 Citizenship resource containing information about waste minimisation, GEMK, £15

Dorset Scrapstore

is a resources centre with a wealth of materials available - sticky-backed plastics, paper, card, fabrics etc - most of which have been donated by local industries. They can be the inspiration for all sorts of art and craft projects, and it's great fun rummaging through the storage bins for what you want. These materials are mainly new and would otherwise go straight into landfill sites, so you'll be saving money and helping the environment at the same time. For more details, ring 01305 849444.

International Education Week

28 November - 2 December 2005, is an opportunity to celebrate the benefits of an international dimension at all levels of education. All those involved in education are encouraged to join in the celebrations. If you are planning an event with an international theme this term and require support in the form of advice, training or resources, please contact DEED for help. Find out more about International Education Week at www.teachernet.gov.uk/educationoverview/events/iew

Twilight Inset sessions

From next January, DEED will be offering a series of twilight Inset sessions to be held at the resource centre, **174 Bournemouth Road, Parkstone, Poole, BH14 9HY**. These sessions will aim to tie in with other school activities, or to meet particular needs that have come to light as a result of recent work. The cost will be **£20 per person**, which includes a free resource, relevant to the evening's topic.

January 24th

FAIR TRADE Inset, 4.30 - 6pm, will help you prepare for Fair Trade Fortnight (6-18 March). A free copy of *Fair Trade School Handbook* and *All You Need for a Fair Trade Assembly* will be given to each attendee.

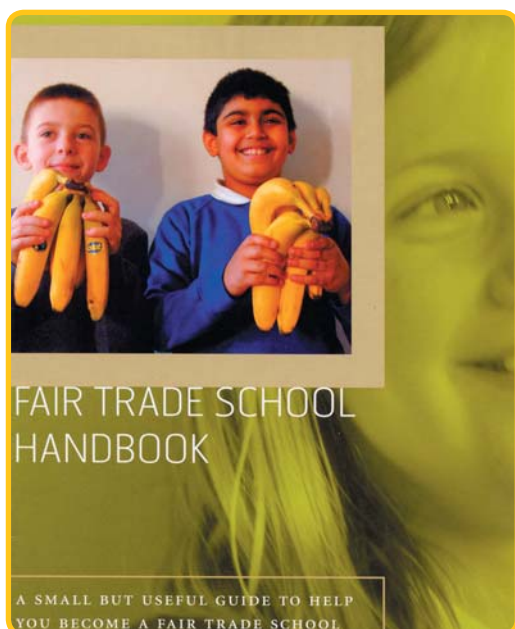
February 28th

GLOBAL ARTS & CRAFTS Inset, 4.30 - 6pm, to help you in organising Multicultural Arts Weeks or other Focus weeks. A free copy of *Global Focus Weeks in Primary Schools* for each attendee.

March 22nd

CHILDMINDERS' Inset, 7 - 8.30pm, a session addressing the particular issues and problems faced by childminders in delivering globally-themed education. Each attendee will be given a free copy of DEED's resource *To Begin at the Beginning*.

Specially themed resource lists will be available at these events



Divine Poetry Competition

Write a poem featuring either chocolate, Fairtrade or both that explores the possibility of a fairer future. Imagine what you would like to change and how it could happen. Your poem could be in any form - sonnet, limerick, haiku or epic. Prizes include book tokens and lots of Divine chocolate! The closing date for entries is 16 December 2005 and this year's judge will be top-selling author Jacqueline Wilson. For more details visit:

www.globalgang.org.uk/games/diy/chocolate_comp.html



Recommended websites

www.shiningstar.info - Southampton-based supplier of multifaith and multicultural resources, providing outreach services across the South of England.

www.learningafrica.org.uk - this website includes free-to-use teaching activities for both primary and secondary teachers and focuses on issues raised by the Commission for Africa report.

www.youngcooperatives.org.uk - an enterprise project for schools and youth groups, requiring young people to trade ethically and work democratically.

www.artscape.org.uk - a national online directory of artists and arts organisations working in education.

www.lgib.gov.uk/globalmark - Making Your Global Mark is aimed at engaging young people in international local democracy.

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