





## Fairtrade SMART Action Plan

Action	Specific	Measurable	Appropriate	Realistic	Time	Who is Responsible	Status
Outline the action you would like to achieve	Fill in with specific details on the action.	How will you measure this action?	Is this action appropriate? How does it relate to your organisational strategy or the Fairtrade award?	Have you got the human and/or financial resources to complete it?	When will this action be completed? Will it be in time to count towards this year's Fairtrade award?	Who holds accountability for this action? Do they require support from anyone else?	Note down progress towards this action here.
MN001 - Leadership and strategy - Mandatory Meeting of Fairtrade coordinating group on a regular basis to oversee our progress in general and in particular to achieve FT university status	Holding of regular meetings of all key stakeholders on a quarterly basis, and more often if requited	Number of meetings, attendees and outcomes as per the minutes	Meets mandatory criteria for award – MN001 in toolkit	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to complete it.	Yes the meetings are ongoing on a regular basis as evidenced in our Teams site, which contains all relevant documents for the audit.	Joint: SU President Vicki Harris, Adam Rogers and Paul Dingley	Excellent and ongoing – 3 meetings held in first 6 months of 2021









MN002 - Leadership and strategy - Mandatory To develop and work to a SMART action plan which includes operational considerations such as procurement and catering, campaigning and influencing, engagement and communications and monitoring and evaluation	The action plan completed by key members of the stakeholder group and published on the Fairtrade section of the University's website and Fairtrade section of the SU website	Completion of SMART plan and publication of websites	Meets mandatory criteria for award MN002	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to complete it.	Yes: note that the SMART plan was not completed until end June 2021 due to difficulties caused by Covid 19, but many of the actions contained therein were worked on and delivered in 2020/21	All members of the stakeholder group are accountable for this action and are jointly responsible	Completed July 2021
MN003 - Leadership and strategy - Mandatory To replace previous policy, an updated publication of our public commitment of intent to support and champion Fairtrade and its values within the last two years	The preparation of policy statement and consideration for approval by the governing body the Sustainability board on 20 July 2021 at which partnership and stakeholder members attend	Publication of Fairtrade statement of commitment on the Student Union and University web pages Add links	Meets mandatory criteria for award MN003	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to complete it.	This action – policy approved at Sustainability board meet 20 July 2021 and uploaded to websites	All members of the stakeholder group are accountable for this action and are jointly responsible	ongoing

MN004 -	Deliver promotions	Number of	Meets mandatory	Yes this is a realistic	Fairtrade fortnight	All members of the	Planning ongoing
Campaigning	of 10% off FT	promotions,	criteria for award	aim and we have	activity limited to	stakeholder group	
and	products in 2 SU	uptake, product	MN004	the resources to	virtual activity and	are accountable for	
	outlets and all UWE	sales reports,		complete it.	social media in	this action and are	
Influencing -	outlets; UWE	numbers of events		'	2021 due to Covid	jointly responsible	
Mandatory	Hospitality to run	and lectures and			19 restrictions. Full	, ,	
To support	FT competition;	attendees; social			programme		
Fairtrade fortnight	have joint	media and internal/			planned for		
on an annual basis	partnership event	external comms			2021/22		
with events/	on campus, invite	stats			,		
promotions and	FT producer on						
engagement	campus to open						
activities and to measure the	event and to						
	deliver at least 2						
impact	lectures to specific						
	courses with						
	invitation to all						
	students and staff						
	to attend; have pop						
	up stall in high						
	footfall area on						
	campus and more						
	to be dependent on						
	Green team and						
	student input.						
	Active presence on						
	social media and						
	other						
	communication						
	channels such as						
	SU screens and						
	staff weekly e news						

MN005 - Campaigning and Influencing - Mandatory To devise and successfully delivered one or more innovative campaigns on Fairtrade, trade justice or ethical consumption in the last year, to be run in partnership with students in addition to Fairtrade Fortnight and which demonstrates	Campaign on 'Changing consumerism' run but truncated by Covid Regulations in 2019/20, initiated and delivered by student volunteers in the Green Team, supported by the SU and UWE. New campaign to be devised and delivered in Spring 2022, led by students through the Green team.	- Number and type of campaign activities - numbers attending - social media engagement, - Feedback surveys with insight into impact	Meets mandatory criteria for award MN005	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to complete it.	This will take place in March 2022 – the audit will be planned thereafter if this fits in with the timetable for volunteers.	SU Green team coordinator and Vicki Harris to coordinate, with support from stakeholder group	December 2021 and thereafter
demonstrates some measures of impact.  MN006 Procurement, Retail &	Review of current ranges and look to increase where	Number of lines stocked, sales tracking reports	Meets mandatory criteria for award MN006 which	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to do	Review in July/August with a view to new offer	Jayne Seymour and her team in Hospitality and Paul	Ongoing
Catering - Mandatory Any retail or catering outlets owned or operated by the partnership to stock Fairtrade certified products in	possible. Items in stipulated categories already stocked by UWE and SU: tea, herbal teas, coffee, sugar, cocoa, chocolate	and order histories, value purchased and value sold, quantity purchased and quantity sold feedback from customers,	requires continual improvement in this area	it.	in September when campus open for the new academic year.	Dingley and his team in Commercial Services at the SU.	

all of the following categories, and working to increase number of items sold year on year:  • Tea  • Coffee  • Sugar  • Hot chocolate and cocoa  • Chocolate, confectionary or snacks  • Cotton clothing	confectionary and snacks. Cotton items stocked by the Student Union shop with plan to promote more items online. (Note although not sales, UWE Hospitality exploring possibility of item/s of staff uniform eg aprons). The Student Union will work with NUS to expand and improve their offer of FT items eg sugar.	photographic evidence of products on sale					
MN007 -	A minimum of two items in category	Number of lines stocked, number of	Meets mandatory criteria for award	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have	Review in July/August with a	Jayne Seymour and her team in	Ongoing
Procurement,	MN007 to be	sales, feedback	MN007	the resources to do	view to new offer	Hospitality and Paul	
Retail &	stocked by both the Student Union and	from customers, photographic		it.	in September when campus open for	Dingley and his team in Commercial	
Catering -	UWE .The Student	evidence			the new academic	Services at the SU.	
Mandatory	Union to stock FT				year.		
Any retail, catering or other commercial outlets owned or operated by the	wine/ beer and soft drinks in all relevant outlets. UWE Hospitality to stock one alcoholic						

partnership to stock at least one Fairtrade certified line in at least two of the following categories (where the category is stocked): Soft drinks Wine or beer Health & beauty Savoury snacks & nuts Cut flowers Fruit Cotton face masks Review current ranges of FT and look to increase items for sale where possible;	drink in the market place and on the wine list for ordered catering plus at least one FT soft drink, with a focus on apple and orange juices						
MN008 - Procurement, Retail & Catering - Mandatory To provide up to date and effective Point of Sale (POS) material in all relevant outlets, highlighting Fairtrade products	Posters, booklets and leaflets at point of sale in UWE Hospitality outlets and the SU coffee cart at Frenchay plus virtual promotion on screens in SU bars and shops where possible; UWE Hospitality will	Photographic evidence of promotions will be provided. Increase in awareness – to be provided by survey data and hopefully increase in sales figures.	Meets mandatory criteria MN008	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to do it.	Throughout the year	Adam Rogers in Hospitality and Paul Dingley and his team in Commercial Services at the SU.	Ongoing

and providing	have a dedicated FT						
information on the	area in our main						
benefits of	outlet at our						
Fairtrade to	biggest campus –						
	OneZone, as well as						
growing communities. This	*						
	products spread						
POS should be	about the outlets.						
clearly displayed	Promotional						
next to the relevant	material to be						
products to avoid	reviewed and						
confusion, and	updated termly						
refreshed							
periodically.							
MN009 -	Groups of students	Surveys and results	Meets mandatory	Yes this is a realistic	Planning to take	Vicki Harris for	Summer 2021 and
Research and	will carry out		criteria 009	aim and we have	place in summer	academic contacts	ongoing
	scoping activities			the resources to	2021 – course leaders contacted.	and SU Green team coordinator for	
curriculum -	either as volunteers			complete it.	Review in Autumn	student volunteers	
Mandatory	recruited through the Green team				with a view to	Student volunteers	
	and/or as part of						
	· ·				recruiting		
Within the last two	their coursework				volunteers and		
years the					finalising		
partnership to					coursework		
successfully carry					options.		
out relevant							
scoping activities							
amongst a broad							
range of its							
students and/or							
staff (not just those							
already engaged in							
the campaigns) to							

inform its Fairtrade work, and to make the findings publically available.							
MN010 - Research and curriculum - Mandatory  The partnership to provide and publicise opportunities for students to investigate Fairtrade, trade justice or ethical consumption issues on or off-campus within their course work or dissertations.	Opportunities will be offered out to students within a variety of courses – ranging from 1st year to Masters within subject areas such as Social and Political Sciences and Sustainable Business courses, Sustainable Development in Practice, Sciencee and Communication and Environmental Resources masters courses and more	Number and content of offers made. Any take up by students	Meets mandatory criteria 10	Yes this is a realistic aim and we have the resources to complete it. We cannot guarantee that a student/s will respond to our offers	Planning and formulation of offers to take place in Summer 2021 and to be distributed in the Autumn term 2021	Vicki Harris	Summer 2021 and ongoing







