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Resource 1:

Jamie and Lisa's story

Lisa's lost school bag

Jamie found his friend Lisa crying in the playground. He was very concerned and asked her why she was crying. Lisa told Jamie that she had lost her school bag and, although she had looked everywhere, she still couldn't find it. Lisa said their teacher would be cross as she wouldn't have the things she needed for school. If she didn't find it, her mum would be cross as it was the second time this month that she had lost her bag. Jamie told Lisa not to worry; he would help her find her bag so she wouldn't get into trouble.

As Jamie was helping Lisa look for her bag, some of his other friends asked him to play football. Jamie loves football but he really wanted to help Lisa find her bag. So he told his friends that he was giving up his football time to help Lisa. Maybe he'd have time to play with them later.

Lisa said, 'Thank you Jamie for helping me to look for my bag. I know you love to play football so it is a big deal to help me. Really, thanks a lot'.



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Resource 2: Photographs of people in need (1 of 2)



A person begging



An old person alone



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A food bank



A homeless person



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Resource 2: Photographs of people in need (2 of 2)



A refugee camp



People in a disaster situation – flood or drought



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A war zone



A food shortage



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Resource 3: Charities under the spotlight (1 of 1)

Use the table below to help you research your given charity.

What is the name of the charity you are researching?	
Is it a local, national or international charity?	
What is the main focus of the charity's work e.g. elderly people, sick children etc.?	
What does it do? How does it help/make a difference?	
Does the charity use volunteers and, if so, what can volunteers do?	
How much money did the charity raise in the last year?	
Where is your nearest branch of the charity?	

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Resource 3: Charities under the spotlight (2 of 2)

Use the table below to help you research your given charity.

Draw a picture of he charity's logo			

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Resource 4: Which would you buy? cards







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Resource 5: Product cards





This was grown in South America. Workers earn poor wages. Rainforest has been cut down for the farm.

FAIRTRADE £2.50

This is from Kenya. Farmers get a fair price for their beans.

'Value' chicken

This chicken lived in the dark. It was crowded with many other birds.



This chicken lived outside. It had space to move around.

R5 Choc bar Inc

The cocoa beans are collected by farmers who are paid very low wages and pick the cocoa in huge plantations that have meant clearing rain forests.

This chocolate is not organic.



This Fair Trade chocolate bar is made from cocoa beans which are bought for a fair price from farmers. It is organic too as the beans are grown under the canopy of the rainforest.



Made by children in poor country. Children working long hours, seven days a week.



Made by people with disabilities in England. Money raised goes to charity.