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The empowerment of women in developing countries is critical to reducing poverty, according to a leading development charity, ahead of International Women's Day (8th March 2012). 24

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Traidcraft, the UK's leading fair trade organisation, is urging people in Fairtrade towns and cities across the UK to help make a difference to the lives of 1 farmers in the developing world by hosting a fair trade tea party during Fairtrade Fortnight (27th February – 11th March).

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[European Commission's "modern" proposal on trade and development is the same old story](#)

Today the European Commission (EC) published its new EU trade and development plan. While welcoming the commitments to support small producers and fair, organic and ethical trade initiatives, the Fair Trade movement regrets the lack of commitment to mainstream Fair Trade principles across EU policies. 27

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Whatever else people have cut back on this Christmas, it hasn't been their principles, according to Traidcraft. 6 January 2012

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Teachers can now download free resources to help them take part in Fairtrade Fortnight 2012 and become one of the growing number of schools working towards or maintaining their Fairtrade School status. 5

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