



# Intro to CAFOD

## RESOURCES REQUIRED

- Enough computers or smartphones for each group to access films: Veronica, Fica Maua, Guti, Martin, Rebeca.
- Information from the 4 corners quiz (for your own reference)
- Paper for each group and marker pens
- 'What's the problem' worksheet
- 'What CAFOD did' sheets
- Pens

## WARM UP

Split into groups. Ask each group to write down as many things as they can about CAFOD. Give them 5 minutes. Then ask each group in turn to give one fact. They only get a point for a unique right answer, so you need to agree whether an answer is correct. If another group has the same answer, both groups cross it off their list. Keep going around the groups until all the things that they know have been said.

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### What is needed and what can we do?

Complete the What's the Problem sheets, giving a different story to each group.

For the 'What did CAFOD do?' part of the table, ask them to look as a group at the link to their story. If you don't have access to the film stories, hand out the short explanation of what CAFOD did.

Ask each group to role play someone involved (the person in the story, a person working for CAFOD,

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a local expert working in the community supported by CAFOD, or a person in a school/parish in England or Wales) and to share the story with the rest of the group.

**Notes:** Hopefully you're able to do this session where you have access to a few computers, or can use smartphones, to have access to a few different films. The idea of this activity is that each group identifies what they could do individually and as part of the Catholic community. Without them, CAFOD cannot do the work that needs doing. Also, it is not CAFOD that does the work, but local experts working in poor communities overseas, supported by CAFOD.

### WRAPPING UP

Use the letters of CAFOD to write a small prayer. Ask each group to consider what the letters might stand for and write a prayer around this. For example:

**C** is for compassion.

We ask God to help us to be compassionate people that look out for where need is greatest in the world and do something about it.

**A** is for abilities.

We commit to using our abilities to do good for others.

**F** is for friendship.

Working with one another in friendship is the best way to lead others to make a difference... etc.