**Reducing Disparities**

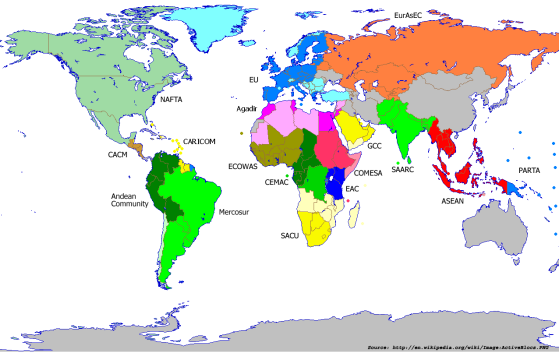
**Trade and Market access**

**Part 1:**

What is trade & why is it important?

What is a Trading Bloc?

Give examples of different trading blocs & their aims (include images)

Trading relationship between MEDC / LEDC’s

**Part 2 (Case study on FairTrade):**

Introduction to Fairtrade

What it hopes to achieve

How does it work?

How can it promote a reduction in disparities between countries?

What is a trade barrier?

How can this prevent fair trade?

Case study example: Bananas

Evaluation of the Fair-trade strategy. Is it working? Will it continue to work? What more needs to be done?

