Resources Quick Guide

Caritas AUSTRALIA | PROJECT COMPASSION

All our resources are online! Access the films and written stories, teaching materials, and our fundraising and awareness raising ideas at caritas.org.au/project-compassion. Find links to online resources in the table below.

	Resource	Description / Suggested Use
For Teachers	Teacher Handbooks	Available in Lower Primary, Upper Primary and Secondary versions, provides an explanation of the Project Compassion resources. Briefly explores the curriculum and learning opportunities within Project Compassion.
For Students	Lower primary: Photo Storybooks	A Photo Storybook for each Project Compassion story, designed especially for Primary (F–2) students
	Upper primary: Primary Student Zone	An interactive image with films, photos, stories and information for students to use to complete their student workbook.
	Upper primary: Student Workbook	A printable/fillable PDF. Tasks include: Fact Check, Map, Global Goals (Sustainable Development Goals), Prayer and Reflection.
	Colouring Pages	Use these colouring pages to promote Project Compassion by creating a classroom or school display or using them for a colouring competition to raise money for Project Compassion.
	Audio Described & Narrated Stories	A story for each week with included narration and audio descriptions for students who are blind or have a visual impairment.
	Secondary: Student Workbook	A fillable PDF for students to record their learning and reflections as they journey through Project Compassion's online Deep Dive.
	Secondary Deep Dive	An interactive image with links to stories and information to help students complete their student workbook.
	Caritas Q & A	A chance to interact online with Caritas Australia Programs staff. 30-minute sessions hosted by Caritas Australia on Zoom. A unique opportunity for students to connect with Caritas-supported programs and to learn more about the impact of their generous donations. Registrations open to Years 4–12 class groups and available across all time zones.
Telling Others	Newsletter Notices	A brief insert for your weekly school newsletter, explaining the week's Project Compassion story. Include in print/online school communications. Use on school social media and website.
	Social Media Toolkit	Content and assets to share your support of Project Compassion through your social media channels.

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Media	Films	❑ Project Compassion Introduction Film ❑ 'Day in the Life' films for primary schools: Solomon Islands, Cambodia and Ethiopia ❑ Story films Patricia (upper primary and secondary), Reaksmey (secondary), Yeshareg (secondary) and Emergency Response - Venezuela (secondary)
	Photo Galleries	View photos from the field. Photos for each story are available through the interactive Primary Student Zone and Secondary Deep Dive.
All Purpose	Introducing Project Compassion (PPT)	Overview of all 4 featured Project Compassion stories.
	The BIG Water Walk Toolkit	Includes a guide, checklist, case studies, trivia and distance markers to assist teachers to run the BIG Water Walk in solidarity with the millions of people who walk for water every day.
	School's Fundraising Guide	Ideas to inspire fundraising and awareness raising activities linked to the Project Compassion stories. Visit projectcompassion.org.au/schools to register your fundraising activities!
	Host a Lent Event Toolkit	Resources to help your school plan and Host a Lent Event. Visit https://www.projectcompassion.org.au/host-a-lent-event to register your fundraising activities!
Prayer and Reflection	Ash Wednesday Liturgy	Available in Primary and Secondary versions, this Liturgy of the Word includes distribution of the ashes.
	Prayer (PPT)	The Project Compassion prayer with beautiful images. Use as a daily or weekly prayer for students or staff, or at an assembly.
	Weekly Scripture Reflections for Teachers	Weekly reflections for staff, linking the Project Compassion stories to the Sunday Scripture readings. Use for weekly staff reflections during Lent or with secondary students.
	Way of the Cross (PPT)	A reflection following the Way of the Cross to use during Holy Week. Leaders' Notes included.