

# SCIAF Education Secondary 2023/24



**Learn, pray  
and act for  
global justice**





SCIAF's **Development Education** programme reflects a lifelong learning approach to ensure that the Catholic community, of all ages, here in Scotland has the opportunity to **learn**, **pray** and **act** for global justice.

You will find links to the **Curriculum for Excellence** and **This is Our Faith** within the resources.



## School visits

Book a face-to-face visit from SCIAF  
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## Resources

Find these Education resources and more at  
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# Rugby for Peace

8th Sep  
to 28th Oct:  
Rugby World Cup

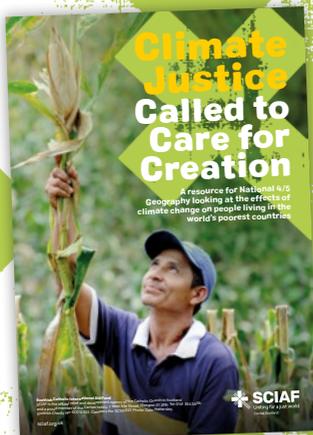
SCIAF's brand new documentary film, Rugby for Peace, showcases how our innovative project in the poorest region of Colombia is helping young people navigate away from the threat of the drugs trade – instead encouraging them to engage with positive activities such as sports.

Mark Palmer of The Times and Sunday Times described the film as **“a masterpiece of storytelling and humanity with an oval ball at its heart.”**

**Download the new resource,** written specifically for young people in the Senior Phase, to accompany a screening of the film in your school. The resource includes a Teachers' Guide and activities to lead pupils in their prayer and learning on the issues raised in the film.



**Book a screening of Rugby for Peace in your school**



# Climate Justice: Called to care for Creation

22nd April 2024:  
Earth Day

**Download this resource** for real-life perspectives on the effects of climate change on people living in some of the world's poorest countries. Includes a lesson plan with six activities to deepen the learning and opportunities to respond in prayer and action.



# Talented Fundraisers

5th September:  
International  
Day of Charity

Take part in the **Talented Fundraisers** project to use your gifts and talents to serve others and show love for our global neighbours.

Sign up by visiting  
[sciaf.org.uk/talented-fundraisers](https://sciaf.org.uk/talented-fundraisers)



Download **education resources** to use alongside your Real Gifts fundraising



## Emergency Response

Download this resource to investigate SCIAF's response during an international crisis.

13th October:  
International  
Day for Disaster  
Risk Reduction

19th August:  
World  
Humanitarian  
Day

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19-26th  
May 2024:  
**Laudato Si'  
Week**

# Laudato Si' Schools Scotland

We can support your journey of living and learning as a Laudato Si' School with **resources for each of the 7 Laudato Si' Goals.**



**Book a Care for Creation workshop that explores the cry of the earth and the effects on the poor.**

Use our  
padlet  
resource  
board



**WEE  
BOX  
2024**

14th Feb  
to 28th Mar:  
**Lent 2024**

**Download education resources**  
to accompany the WEE BOX,  
BIG CHANGE Appeal 2024!



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and class activities**

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# Faith & Politics

Exploring what **Scripture and Church Teaching** tells us about our responsibility to take positive action as a responsible citizen.

15th September:  
**International Day of Democracy**



# Catholic Vision of Dignity

19th November:  
**World Day of the Poor**

Responding to the needs of others and **recognising the dignity** of the human person.



# Following Jesus' Example

Exploring **SCIAF's response**, in DR Congo, to sexual and gender-based violence in light of the Gospel.

Sylvia,  
DR Congo



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# Caritas Award

We have resources and opportunities for young people participating in the Caritas Award this year.

▶ **Download the leaflet to find out how pupils can fundraise, campaign and volunteer for SCIAF.**

▶ **Book a visit from SCIAF to speak to your Caritas pupils about these activities.**



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“SCIAF provides invaluable, well-planned resources which – as well as being in line with the core learning from This Is Our Faith – are engaging and creative.

“Topics covered promote stewardship, solidarity, global justice and encourage young people to stand up for the dignity of our brothers and sisters around the world.

“All workshops and talks delivered allow our young people to consider the real-life impact of global issues and how they can put their faith and values into action to make a positive change in their schools, homes, local community and around the world.”

**Susan Duffy, St Peter the Apostle High, Clydebank**



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