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Photo 1



Firefighters sing during a fitness training session in South Africa. They are taking part in a government-run scheme called 'Working at Fire'. This scheme recruits unemployed young people in the local area and trains them to fight fires. Wildfires occur naturally in South Africa but changing weather patterns are making these fires more frequent and harder to control.

Credit: Aurélie Marrier d'Unienville/Oxfam.



Photo 2



Mariam is a plumber from the town of Zarqa, north of Amman, the capital city of Jordan. She has been a plumber for five years. Oxfam is supporting her to train other women to become plumbers too.

Jordan is a very dry country, with little rainfall and few rivers. Training these women to be plumbers is a way of helping them and their customers to use water more sustainably. It is also giving the women new skills to get a job and earn money.

Credit: Abbie Trayler-Smith

Photo 3



Children wash their hands at a new handwashing station which has been built at their school in Tajikistan with support from Oxfam. A new toilet block has also been built. Water pipes have also been built to carry clean water from lakes, reservoirs and boreholes to villages in this area. This means that people don't have to travel as far to collect water, and some people now have water taps in their homes.

Credit: Eleanor Farmer/Oxfam

Photo 4



These volunteers are standing outside an Oxfam shop in Manchester. Oxfam has around 650 shops across the UK, which are staffed by 23,000 volunteers! These shops sell lots of different things, such as second-hand clothing, books and children's toys. The money raised goes towards Oxfam's work around the world to fight poverty.

Credit: Kieran Doherty/Oxfam

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Photo 5



Jessy and Isaac live in Malawi. Climate change is affecting the lives of many people in their country. Changing rainfall patterns are making it difficult for people to grow crops to eat and sell. Jessy and Isaac are campaigning for more to be done to tackle the climate crisis. In this picture, they are talking with young people at a school about their work. They have also travelled to the UK to meet with young people here.

Credit: Thoko Chikondi/Oxfam.



Photo 6



Oxfam campaigners visit the head office of the supermarket chain Lidl in London. Oxfam's Behind the Barcodes campaign is raising awareness of the difficulties faced by millions of small-scale farmers and workers around the world who grow and produce much of the food we eat. Oxfam is also working with some supermarkets to try to help make things better.

Credit: Bekky Lonsdale/Oxfam

Photo 7



This photo was taken in Cox's Bazar, a refugee camp in Bangladesh. Almost a million people are living here in overcrowded conditions. Many of these refugees have fled fighting in their home country of Myanmar and crossed the border into neighbouring Bangladesh. Oxfam is helping to provide clean drinking water, emergency toilets, water pumps and food. Volunteers have also received training to teach others how to stay healthy.

In this picture people are safely queuing to use a new contactless handwashing device. People can use the foot pedal to get soap and water to wash their hands. This means that there is less risk of diseases like Covid-19 spreading when people touch shared surfaces with their hands.

Credit: Fabeha Monir/Oxfam

Photo 8



Young people at a primary school in the south of England take part in a classroom activity using an Oxfam Education resource. In this picture they are playing a game to learn and think about how climate change is affecting people in different ways. Oxfam works with schools all over the UK to help young people to be active global citizens.

Credit: Andy Aitchison/Oxfam

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Photo 9



Kaile and other construction workers help to build a house in a village in Nepal. There was a devastating earthquake in Nepal a few years ago. Many homes and villages across the country were destroyed. Oxfam has been working with people here to build new, more stable houses that are more resistant to earthquakes. Kaile and others in her village received training in construction work so they could help with the building.

Credit: Aurélie Marrier d'Unienville/Oxfam

Photo 10



Tino cooks a meal for his mother and himself at home in Zimbabwe. He does a lot to help his mother at home. They have a rota to share out who does different household tasks.

Around the world, women and girls often do more unpaid care work than men and boys. This might be household chores like cooking or washing clothes, or it could be looking after other people. Oxfam has been working with people here to raise awareness of the importance of care work and encourage people to share it more fairly among men and women, and girls and boys. People have also received things like washing machines to help make their household chores easier – it takes a long time to wash clothes by hand!

Credit: Cynthia Matonhodze/Oxfam

Photo 11



Anhad works on a fishing boat, catching fish to sell to support her family. She received some money from Oxfam to buy her own boat and equipment, but unfortunately, she later lost the boat in a storm.

Anhad lives in Yemen. Fighting in her country has caused millions of people to flee their homes. Many people have been left without food, water or shelter. Oxfam has been working with other organizations here to help people to cope with this emergency, for example by providing safe, clean water for them to drink. The causes of this conflict in Yemen are complicated, but Oxfam is also campaigning for the British government to do more to help stop the fighting so that people can live in peace.

Credit: VFX Aden/Oxfam



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Photo 12



These people live in south-western Zimbabwe. In this photo they are standing next to a new weather station, which Oxfam helped them to install. The weather station is automated. This means that people can get text messages with weather updates, such as early warning of floods. This helps farmers to grow their crops.

Climate change is affecting people's lives in Zimbabwe. Changing rainfall patterns and extreme weather events such as droughts and flooding are making it difficult for people to grow crops to eat or sell. As well as the weather station, people here have built a solar-powered water system for watering their crops.

Credit: Cynthia Matonhodze/Oxfam

Photo 13



Campaigners from the People's Vaccine Alliance pose as world leaders fighting over a Covid-19 vaccine. Oxfam is part of the People's Vaccine Alliance — a large group of organizations and people from around the world. They have come together to call for more to be done to make sure vaccines are available to all, everywhere, free of charge.

One way to help achieve this would be for pharmaceutical companies (which make Covid-19 vaccines) to share their knowledge for free so that enough vaccines can be made for everyone to have one. In some countries, many people still haven't been able to have a vaccination.

Credit: Andy Aitchison

Photo 14



More than 82 million people around the world have been forced to leave their homes, communities and sometimes families, and start over somewhere new. This picture was taken in one of Europe's largest refugee camps, which is on the island of Lesbos in Greece.

The people here are living in very cramped conditions. Many are sharing one tap with up to 250 people, and there is less than 3.5 square metres of living space per person – that's smaller than the average UK bathroom. Oxfam has been working on Lesbos to help provide free legal support and counselling. Hygiene training and food items have also been provided.

Credit: Giorgos Moutafis/Oxfam

Photo 15



These children are on the island of Sulawesi in Indonesia. They are taking take part in a demonstration on how to wash your hands, after a powerful earthquake and tsunami struck the island.

Oxfam worked with other organizations in Indonesia to help people respond to this emergency. They provided essential supplies such as ready-to-eat food, water purification kits and shelter packs.

Credit: Rosa Panggabean/Oxfam AUS