



CARITAS – ROOTED IN LOVE

AUTUMN TERM 2 NOVEMBER 2025

PRINCIPLE 2 : PREFERENTIAL OPTION FOR THE POOR

These are some of the ways in which we have highlighted the importance of Preferential Option for the Poor.

The students and staff of VBC E have been working hard this term to create their new “Pop-up Shop” under the guidance of Erika, our Vocational Skills Tutor.

The shop will be selling recycled clothes and toys at a fraction of the original selling price. This helps people by:

- **Making quality items more affordable** for families in our community
- **Reducing waste** and giving pre-loved items a second life
- **Supporting students’ learning**, as they gain hands-on experience in retail, customer service, money handling, and teamwork
- **Encouraging sustainability**, showing how small actions can make a big difference

We’re incredibly proud of the effort and creativity that has gone into this project, and we can’t wait to welcome everyone to the Pop-up Shop at the Christmas Fayre.

