

Fair is worth fighting for



Green Party 



On Thursday 6th May you will have your chance to vote in the National Election for who you want to have in parliament.

This is the EasyRead version about why you should vote for the Green Party.



Caroline Lucas is the leader of the green party

She says

For over 30 years the Green Party has led the way on trying to sort out the problems caused by pollution that are making the earth hotter.



This will cause more rivers and lakes to dry up and more flooding with the weather changes.



We want more jobs making things that keep the world cleaner and greener, but the Green Party is more than just stopping pollution, we want life to be fairer for everyone.



We want to keep hospitals, other services and post offices open, they belong to us all and must not be sold off to businesses.



We want people to be able to rely on these services and be proud of them.



There are big problems at the moment, people are unhappy, the government has had to borrow huge amounts of money and are looking at making lots of cuts.



At times like this Britain needs the Green Party more than ever, so please support us in any way you can.



Best of all please join us and help lead Britain into a brighter, Greener future.

Fighting to make things fairer



Earning enough money to live on



We think it is unfair:

- that bankers can earn huge amounts of money and many children live in poor conditions



- that nothing has been done about the rich getting richer and poor people poorer.



So we want a good wage for everyone and fair ways for people and small businesses to get cheap loans when they need them.



New Jobs

We think it is unfair that lots of people don't have a job when there is so much work that needs to be done.



There should be lots more jobs making sure homes are cheaper to run.



Protecting the Health Service

We think it is unfair that money is wasted running hospitals like big businesses. They should be run for us all.



Local services need to be really local and easy for everyone to use.



We will:

- fight plans to cut or close Hospitals



- protect people working in these services



- have more healthcare workers and equipment.

More jobs



Before long we won't have any oil or coal left. We will need to use other things.

We want more jobs making the new equipment that will keep the world cleaner and greener.



We want:

- to make all homes cheaper to run



- to use more power from the sun, wind and waves



- to make electric cars



- better and cleaner buses and other transport.



Being Local

More big supermarkets have meant small shops have closed down.



We want more small local shops and businesses, these are good for local people and good for your community.



We will work to make this happen, as well as saving allotments and allowing schools and services to buy local food.



Stopping pollution

The world is getting hotter because of pollution, this is the biggest problem we have got. We will stop using coal, oil and nuclear power.



We will:

- stop building new roads



- have more car sharing



- help people walk and cycle more



- have cleaner busses



- not let airports get any bigger



- have more railways that are owned by us all.



Being better off

We will make sure people getting old age pensions get more money.



We want all councils to pay people fairly so low paid staff get more.



Less weapons

We have already got banned some of the more dangerous weapons. We would stop selling so many weapons as well.



We would stop ID cards.



Crime

The Green party will help people be safer and feel safer.

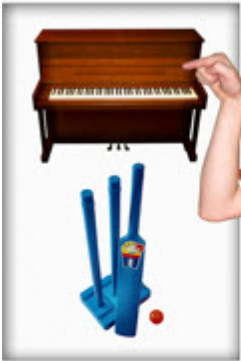


We will:

- have more police walking and on bikes



- work with local communities



- have more for young people to do



- stop what causes crime.

Things we have done already



When Greens get elected people like the things we do.



We already have 2 Green members of the European parliament (MEPs).



They have won awards for their work, including:

- banning dangerous chemicals in toys



- making farms look after animals better



- looking at how government unfairly gives money to nuclear power



- fighting hard for the rights of everyone, including small groups



- asking people to think about how working long hours can make people ill.



There are Greens on councils around the country.



They have:

- spent money on making roads safer



- spent money on making homes cheaper to run



- spent money on playgrounds



- helped get better pay for council workers



- made cycling and walking easier in London.

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