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LOCAL AND ORGANIC FOODS

FAIR TRADE

Ithaca Dining Services is dedicated to serving Fair Trade coffee in all resident and retail locations. Fair Trade certified means an independent monitor guarantees producers work in decent conditions and pays a fair wage for their product.



Ithaca Dining Services features Fair Trade [Green Mountain Coffee](#), a proud supporter of Fair Trade practices for its producers around the globe. Green Mountain Coffee is available in all dining halls, Park, CHS, Grand Central, Business Cafes, and the Food Court. Fair trade Starbucks® coffee is available at La Vincita.

The [Fair Trade Certified™](#) label guarantees consumers that stringent social, economic and environmental criteria were met in both the production and trade of a specific product. Fair trade certification demands that workers receive fair prices, giving them as close to a living wage as possible, fair labor conditions and direct trade with the distribution company. The certification also supports community development and environmental protection from harmful chemicals and agricultural methods.

Farmers and their workers are able to provide for their families by investing in their farms and communities, protecting the environment, and developing social and business skills necessary to compete in the marketplace.