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CARD 1

What are ethics in global business?

Moral principles that guide business decisions about what is right, fair and responsible when operating across countries.

CARD 2

What are the three main ethical areas in this dotpoint?

Environmental responsibility, outsourcing and the use of offshore labour.

CARD 3

Why are ethics important in global business decisions?

They can protect reputation and brand trust, reduce legal and compliance risk, and support long-term business sustainability.

CARD 4

What is environmental responsibility?

Making business decisions that reduce environmental harm across operations and global supply chains.

CARD 5

What are the major ethical issues and actions linked to environmental responsibility?

Reducing emissions and energy use, reducing waste and packaging, responsible sourcing, and avoiding greenwashing.

CARD 6

What is outsourcing?

Contracting another business or third party to complete work, either in Australia or overseas.

CARD 7

What are the major ethical issues linked to outsourcing?

Fair wages and working conditions, child or forced labour and modern slavery, supply chain transparency, and possible job displacement in the home country.

CARD 8

What is offshore labour?

Using workers in another country, either through the business's own overseas operations or through an overseas supplier.

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CARD 9

What is the difference between outsourcing and offshore labour?

Outsourcing is about who performs the work - another business.
Offshore labour is about where the workers are located - another country.

CARD 10

What are the major ethical issues linked to offshore labour?

Fair pay and worker welfare, safe working conditions, training and skill development, and avoiding worker exploitation.