

Executive Summary.

Bungoma county Government through the ministry of Environment is undertaking several activities towards environmental conservation. However, much needs to be done in the realm of environmental education for sustainable development. A review of the County government environmental policies reveals existing gaps to be complimented by Non state actors.

It's against this background that the County Government of Bungoma through Fact Africa consultancy limited as project consultants wish to propose a paradigm shift on how the county can best equip its resident's to orient their values and lifestyle towards environmentalism and sustainability by targeting youth and women groups as well as students in educational institutions.

Fact Africa consultancy submits this proposal to the County Government of Bungoma, on how to development and mainstream Environmental Education for Sustainable Development through an interactive, action oriented education and training model, focused on stakeholder participation, emphasizes on creativity, innovation, and problem solving and leadership to enhance the understanding of sustainable development in fulfillment of sustainable development goals.

We believe every effort should be made to continue to educate the young and upcoming generation to become more conscious of the Environment we live in. Through implementation of this proposal the County will support education institutions, youth and women groups in nurturing Environmental leaders that will take charge of transforming their respective institutions/sites into proven Eco-learning centers by initiating green micro-enterprises that will not only benefit the schools but adjacent community as well.

Efficient and effective implementation of this proposal will contribute towards increased appreciation of the need for environmental protection, conservation and preservation among students in schools, local youth and women groups and by extension the larger Bungoma County society. In addition to equipping them with knowledge and skills to be able to offer long term alternatives for livelihoods, the project will invest in changing attitudes, lifestyles and consumption patterns towards sustainable development. Adoption of this Environmental Education for Sustainable Development proposal will be a major step towards Bungoma County full filling its role in achieving sustainable Development.