

Climate-Smart Agriculture Manual for Agriculture Education in Zimbabwe

Providing Institution(s)

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). Climate Technology Centre & Network (CTCN), United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)

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DESCRIPTION

The Climate-Smart Agriculture Manual is designed to deal with the problems that Zimbabwe is facing in the agricultural sector, that mainly stem from climate change, unsustainable farming methods and the lack of training for extension officers on enhancing productivity, climate change adaptation and mitigation—i.e., climate-smart agriculture.

The current agricultural education syllabus does not focus on climate-smart agriculture.

With the country's low adaptive capacity, there is an urgent need to address agricultural education so as to develop sustainable solutions vis-à-vis food production, nutrition security, and economic growth and development.

The outcome of the project is expected to enhance both students and professionals' active participation in promoting climate-smart agriculture to the Zimbabwe agriculture community at large.