CEP GOAL:

By 2030, an equitable and just transition is underway that limits warming to 1.5ºC protects people and nature and builds a climate resilient future

OUR CITIES 2030:

Engaging and inspiring young people to contribute to building climate smart, resilient and sustainable cities through visions and solutions.

70% OF THE GLOBAL POPULATION:

Projected to be living in cities by 2050, hence increased need for transport infrastructure, demand for energy, water and increased waste generation among others and urban residents already account for 70% of global carbon emissions

OUR CITIES 2030 AND ONE PLANET CITY CHALLENGE:

Is implemented by WWF-UCO and PLAN international, Uganda in partnership with Kampala Capital City Authority (KCCA)

10 SCHOOLS ENGAGE:

In Kawempe Division, Kampala. They act are centres of excellence for knowledge and skill transfer on ESD.

OUR CITIES 2030:

Is implemented in four cities of Uganda, Rwanda, Zambia and Philippines respectively.

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Youth visions and solutions for climate smart, resilient and sustainable cities.

THEMATIC SCOPE

Education for Sustainable Development, Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation and Disaster Risk Reduction

GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE

10 Primary Schools and Youth groups in Kawempe Division, Kampala

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Our city 2030 is part of the of WWF's efforts to endorse sustainable cities, support learning and participation and reduce the ecological footprint we are leaving on our planet. The project focuses on strengthening youth capacity to engage on issues of climate change, education for sustainable development and disaster risk management in participating country specific city. Kampala in Uganda was selected as one of the pilot cities for the implementation of this project and also as part of WWF's one planet city challenge initiative.
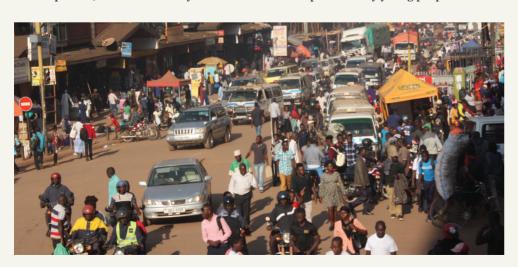
Our City 2030 guides students towards a deeper understanding of future challenges and the role of cities, and strengthens preparedness at the local level.

This project is implemented in collaboration with PLAN International Uganda and supported by WWF Sweden and PLAN Sweden

PROJECT VISION

The two intermediate goals in the medium term for the project are:

1) Young people help to make cities climate smart, resilient and sustainable.

2) Cities in Zambia, Uganda, Rwanda and Philippines are involved in developing roadmaps for emission curves corresponding to 1.5 degree rise including emission reductions and adaptation, and influenced by solutions and visions presented by young people.

The project is delivering on three outcomes that are anchored on capacity strengthening, engagement and commitment of city authority towards developing a 1.5°c trajectory. The project outcomes are:

Outcome 1

By 2021, Youths in participating schools have capacity to be able to contribute to climate smart and resilient cities.

Outcome 2

By 2021, Youth engagement in selected One Planet City Challenge cities for policy dialogue and sessions are convened in youth friendly fora and youth's input is taken into consideration, acted upon and outcomes of decisions made are fed back to the youth.

Outcome 3

By 2021, Mechanisms, that include youth's input, are in place for cities to develop climate smart roadmaps based on trajectories towards 1.5 degrees incl. mitigation and adaptation.

The Project is delivered through the following strategies:

1) Capacity building through awareness raising and trainings

2) Youth Networking Forums

3) Multi-stakeholder engagements

4) Documentation and Dissemination of best practices and successes