



PROMOTING ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP IN TOGO THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

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JEUNES VOLONTAIRES POUR L'ENVIRONNEMENT
 OUR FUTURE IS TODAY

JVE International is a movement of young people entering sustainable development and community-based adaptation to climate change in Africa.

In Africa:
 Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Côte d'Ivoire, Congo, D.R. Congo, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, Kenya, Mali, Niger, Nigeria, Republic of Central Africa, Rwanda, Togo (10 local chapters), Tunisia, Uganda, Zimbabwe.

International offices:
 Belgium, Mexico, Switzerland.

Main activities:
 We conserve biodiversity
 We empower rural women towards self sufficiency
 We facilitate access to renewable energy at county level
 We advocate for climate friendly policies. We bring global youth together
 We implement Community Led Total Water and Sanitation strategies
 We celebrate our cultural biodiversity

History

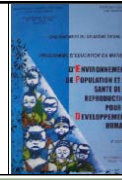

- Environmental education as the central activity of JVE since inception (Nov 2001)
- Participation in the Education caucus in the context of WSSD, August 2002, Johannesburg
- Introduction to a Brazilian initiative called 'Ecology and Conscience'
- Adaptation of the main document in 2002
- Contact with 3 schools in early 2003
- Recruitment of volunteer teachers

Progress

- Beginning of the program in early 2004
- 1 school, 5 teachers
- 2005: 3 schools, 7 teachers
- 2006: 4 schools, 15 teachers, introduction of Pachamama handbook
- 2007: extension to 15 local branches in 15 cities
- 2008: 5 schools in Lomé, 20 teachers and extension to neighbouring Benin and Cote d'Ivoire and DRC; Establishment of a Solar Generation group on the Lomé University
- 2009: more than 10 schools, 250 volunteers, introduction of the SPARE program

Content of the ECP

- Introduction to ecology
- A man and his environment
- Water
- Land
- Air
- Fauna & flora: biodiversity
- Development and poverty
- Globalisation and activism
- Energy
- Sustainable development

PROGRAMME ECOLOGIE ET CONSCIENCE (PEC)
 Cours d'Education Environnementale adressé aux élèves du secondaire, premier cycle.

Manuel de cours pour l'Enseignement Volontaire
 Version 2007
 Programme établi avec la participation de :
 Sora ADESSOU, Laure OZAMF DARE, Sika ALOUKA,
 Madjica ARAUDET et Thomas FIVOU.

L'Education relative à l'environnement

Manuel d'aide d'Education Relative à l'Environnement, conçu à l'intention des enseignants du secondaire

Bivaud Alexis ,
2008

Impact

- Main document revised twice, supporting document for teachers drafted
- 150 young and benevolent teachers well trained as eco-teachers
- More than 5000 students per year reached since 2005
- 5 conferences per schools
- 2 extra-school activities
- Creation of Youth Earth Clubs in various schools
- A interdisciplinary committee set up to rewrite the document taking into account new concepts from the SPARE Program
- JVE known as the leading organization in Environmental education
- A study conducted by international volunteers about ways to integrate EE into Togo education system
- Advocacy towards the government for EE to be integrated in official curriculum
- More than 500 copies distributed to teachers and education specialists

