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Organization and Number of Staff: Ministry of Basic and Secondary Education (Science and Technology Education Directorate). Twelve (12) staff member

Funding by: Government through the Ministry of Basic and Secondary Education in partnership with GAMBEGA Company Ltd for The annual Fanta Science and Mathematics competitions.

Cooperating Organizations/Individuals: National Malaria Control Program (Public Health) GLOBE Schools: Twelve (12)

GLOBE Protocol Areas: Mosquito Protocol, Cloud Cover.

Number of Schools Reporting Data over Past Year: Nil

Program Implementation, International Cooperation in GLOBE Network, and Activities over Past Year (categorized by GLOBE Strategic Plan 2018-2023 Goals):

* Education: More school outreach was conducted to spread the concepts of GLOBE.

* Science: National Fanta Science and Mathematics competitions amongst the 12 GLOBE and non-GLOBE schools across The Gambia

* Community:Was held in each of the six regions in the Country.

* Technology:
* Buba Tamba was the Africa rep. on the Technology Working Group for GLOBE,
* More training is needed for both students and teachers on how to effectively use the Globe observer app as well as create their GLOBE accounts on the GLOBE.gov.

* Communications: Gambia Radio and Television Services (GRTS)

Plans and Ideas for Next Year:

* Hosting of annual Regional Meeting (RM) and Expanding to include more Schools in GLOBE ***2024.***
* Conduct training on GLOBE protocols.