

Project: Child Centered Climate Change Adaptation (4CA) Project

Project area: Sunsari and Morang districts

Project Period: February 2014 to March 2016

Target group: Children, Dalit, people with different abilities, marginalized and Plan supported families of 17 VDCs

Partners: Plan International Nepal

Project goal: To contribute to local community to build safe and resilient society through active participation of children and youth for managing and reducing the risks of climate change

Key activities and implementation modalities

The project executed its programs, teaming up with various stakeholders. It worked on three outcomes i.e. awareness and sensitization, modeling of CSDRM, and advocacy of best practices of 4CA initiatives. In addition, 4CA project contributed to implement the DRM/CCA policies.

The key activities included baseline and Knowledge, Attitude and Practice (KAP) studies on Climate Change; ToT training on Climate Change; Participatory Climate Vulnerability Assessment (PCVA); toolkit development on CCA and DRM for local resource person (resource book); production of Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) materials of CCA/DRM; local curriculum development on Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Management; teachers training for implementing local curriculum of climate change and Disaster Management; awareness campaign on CCA and related disaster; awareness through peer/special class; intra and inter school children's competition (speech, drawing, essay writing on CCA and DRR); national level sharing workshop with stakeholders to influence the national climate change policy; media sensitization workshop on Climate Change and media advocacy etc.

Major Achievements

- Four TOT on CSDRM for teachers, SMC, PTA
- Established 257 resource person at the community level
- Conducted 180 peer classes
- Conducted 19 PCVA in community for climate change adaptation
- Produced 8 IEC materials
- Organized 20 events of awareness raising activities
- Conducted 19 orientation events to student and teachers on weather data recording
- Formulated 19 LDRMP and CDRMP at the project area/school
- Established 4 mini weather station
- Published 117 wall magazine
- Organized 3 Child led national level workshop on sharing with NAPA knowledge

Impact

Increased the awareness and capacity of children, youth and communities on climate change and associated disasters, thereby facilitating the 4CA processes.

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