

Cyprus

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Cooperating Organizations/Individuals:

Cyprus Open University and Cyprus Institute

GLOBE Schools (what types, how many):

14 active secondary schools (10 Lyceums and 4 Gymnasiums)

GLOBE Areas you and schools focus on:

Atmosphere, Biosphere and Climate change

Number of Schools Reporting Data over Past Year:

14

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

1. Education

14 schools are implementing the GLOBE Program. Every school has a GLOBE team that includes one or two GLOBE teachers and more than five students. Communication with colleagues was done mostly via MS TEAMS and phone.

2. Science

GLOBE schools collaborate with the Cyprus Open University and some collect data from Department of Labour inspection about air quality.

3. Community

We strongly suggest that each GLOBE school should have tight collaboration with parent's associations and inform them about GLOBE activities. We also recommend that each school

should recommend non-GLOBE teachers, parents and local community to download GLOBE Observer app and become a GLOBE observer.

4. Technology

We are trying to recruit new GLOBE teachers by e-protocols and e-learning. We are also trying to recruit new students.

5. Communications

Each school year we release an invitation through our ministry which reaches all secondary school in Cyprus and we ask old GLOBE schools to continue working and new teachers to get trained. We also have an MS TEAMS teacher group for direct communication between the CC and participating schools.

Plans and Ideas for Next Year:

To get more teachers e-trained and ask participating schools to collaborate regionally on climate change Projects. We are also in conduct with Cyprus Institute to install scientific collaboration between researchers and Globe schools.