



# The Zuri Project Uganda

**Agriculture at Kishunju Primary School**



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# Introduction



Agriculture is an important part of the curriculum in many Ugandan primary schools because it is essential for them to have a great understanding of their surroundings in order to survive.



# Agricultural lessons



Each day they have 1 agricultural lesson and it is deemed as important as their Maths and English lessons. They include the topics our environment, animals and plants, soil, gardening, and farm animals.

Why do you think this is important for them?



Food grown and eaten





# What do they grow at the school?



## Breakfast and lunch at Kishunju Primary School



Matokke and beans



Ugandan Rolex  
(Omelette rolled in a  
chapati)



## Breakfast and lunch at Kishunju Primary School



The children in Year 6 are incharge of making breakfast and lunch for all teachers and pupils.

Here is Gift making porridge for everyone's breakfast.

## Food at home

At home the children eat a wide variety of food and there is always enough for everyone.

The women and children are the only people who prep and cook the food. The mums will start warming the water and prepping some of the food but as soon as the children are back from school they are expected to cook the rest of the meal. Before serving the children take a jerikan of water, soap and a bowl and wash the adults hands. As soon as everyone has eaten they then need to wash and dry up everything.

The children only eat with their family on a sunday, most days they sit outside by the warm stones to eat.



## Favourite food

Here are some of the children's favourite food.



Sugarcane



Smashed matooke with a  
G nut sauce.



Mango

Our school charity ambassadors will be coming around this week to video you talking about your favourite foods.

Dare to try

**At lunch time you are going to have the  
chance to try some matokke and the same  
porridge as the children at Kishunju Primary  
School**