

The ACTION AND SUSTAINABLE PROGRESS CORPORATION CAPS, a non-profit organization legally institutionalized since 1988, promotes and develops socio-environmental education and management projects to improve environmental conditions, oriented to rural development, environmental conservation, restoration and protection of resources. Natural resources and make rational use of the environmental services offered by biodiversity.

MISSION

The mission of our organization is to promote positive actions that contribute to the progress of the regions through mechanisms of communication, participation and community cooperation, under the principles of sustainable development, so that future generations can enjoy a social and environmental environment in optimal conditions for life.

During 30 years of juridical life the ACTION AND SUSTAINABLE PROGRESS CORPORATION CAPS promotes education and socio-environmental management programs, orienting the Institutional Educational Projects to training for work, food security, conservation of fauna, flora and natural resources in general.

We have developed leadership and socio-environmental management projects in the Colombian territory in the departments of: Antioquia, Boyacá, Casanare, Córdoba, Cundinamarca, Huila, Santander and Sucre. And strategic allies such as: CORPES CENTRO ORIENTE, Colombian Petroleum Company ECOPETROL, Mayoralties of Puerto Boyacá, Piedecuesta and Zapatoca, Petroleum Exploration Company BBP EXPLORACION, Corporación Autónoma de Boyacá, Pipelines Central S.A. Secretary of Health of Santander. And agreements with Educational Institutions with which tree planting projects were implemented, construction of nurseries, food security, recovery of fauna and flora and implementation of environmental education programs that allowed knowledge of climate change, oriented to vulnerable population, children , young people, rural women, peasants, older adults and indigenous groups in more than 150 municipalities of Colombia, in the years 1991 to 2018 for an average of 45,000 beneficiaries.

It was designed and published 9 books of the experience of the Technical Media in Leadership and Socio-environmental Management: agroecology, ecotourism, biocommerce, Agrobiodiversidad. Pedagogy of sustainable development, agroindustry, socio-environmental Olympiad, didactic laboratories, academia, culture and socio-environmental values.

From 2012 to 2015, consistent with the pedagogical processes of the leadership and socio-environmental management program, ten social development policies were designed and put into practice for four years to link all sectors of the community, both urban and rural, of all ages. allowing them to improve their lifestyles through a transformation in their way of thinking, living together in society and improving their economic situation through programs such as:

Typical peasant market, artisan display cabinet, socio-cultural and sports Olympics, techniques applied to the field from the technologies of information technology and communication TAC-TIC, historical heritage, sustainable rural development unit, cordial

destination of Colombia, environmental and academic experiences of the community educational

During the last 3 years the ACS AND SUSTAINABLE PROGRESS CORPORATION CAPS has led and managed the environmental education program called DIPLOMA ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND CITIZEN COEXISTENCE, calling on vulnerable communities, children, youth groups and family nuclei in rural and urban areas, care and planting of native, fruit and forest trees that help to conserve the births and the formation of a culture of admiration, respect and care for the fauna and flora. To this end, ten practical guides have been developed.

These guides are designed didactically to guide 10 basic practices that are based on the information received with the subjects of the DIPLOMA:

1. Trees for life
2. Food safety
3. Water basin protection and water conservation
4. Participatory socio-environmental diagnosis
5. Food security and resilient food production
6. Elaboration of prevention plan and attention of emergencies in the home
7. Use and rational treatment of waste
8. Zero deforestation
9. Pacts of socio-environmental coexistence
10. Responsible consumption

Having as objective to fight the lack of opportunities that the inhabitants of rural zones and vulnerable population have to train in subjects related to the conservation of the environment, reason for which we structured a diploma course to train socio-environmental leaders from their homes, which does not demand any prerequisite, just learn and serve the community, but most importantly, take care of your environment.

We have become a volunteer by getting the support of professionals for the construction of pedagogical guides, follow-up and attention to the concerns of the participants and who are initiating the process.

Until 2019 agreements had been signed that benefited 1,800 participants from the municipalities of Sananero la Apartada; Tuchín in the Zenu Indigenous Reservation, Cerete (Córdoba), Beauty, Jesús María, San Vicente, Los Santos, National Bridge and Zapatoca (Santander), Cartagena (Bolívar), Puerto Boyacá (Boyacá).

In the current year 2019 agreements have been signed without any monetary cost for the participation of 6,500 beneficiaries with the goal of reaching 3,000 families of beneficiaries in 2020.