

Youth Agriculture Science Internship Programme Overview

The Youth Agriculture Science Internship Programme (YASIP) is a pioneering programme designed to inspire and encourage youth participation and involvement in the agricultural industry in Saint Vincent and the Grenadines. Selected students would undertake internships at one of ZHTF SVG's partnering host agribusinesses, agencies or institutions during the summer period.

In 2023, successfully piloted the programme in the ZHTF supported schools. For the 2024 programme, the ZHTF received co-funding from the Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Conservation Fund (SVGCF) to expand YASIP for participation among of students in all Secondary Schools that offers an Agri-Sci Programme.

Questions?

Contact Us

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Who is eligible to participate in YASIP?

Programme Requirements

- Form 5 Student registered for CSEC Agriculture Science
- Strong interest in pursuing a career in Agriculture Science
- Academic merit in Agriculture Science at secondary school
- From rural areas, vulnerable communities, and low-income households



**YASIP
Coverage**

30 Interns

15+ Secondary
Schools

10+ Partnering
Hosts



Our summarized Programme Details



Programme Benefits

Skill enhancement, practical experience, growth, networking, mentorship, and contributions to food security and sustainability.



ZHTF Support

Management, stipends, partner promotion, enhancing visibility for partners, and providing financial support to students.



Partners Commitment

Host interns, supervise tasks, facilitate training, provide progress updates, and submit final evaluations to ZHTF SVG.



Students Commitment

Report to supervisor, follow workplace policies, complete tasks professionally, log activities, contribute ideas, submit bi-weekly reports.



Programme Objectives



Provide student with on-the-job training on sustainable agriculture policies, strategies, and practices.



Promote opportunities for sustainable livelihoods in the Agriculture Industry.



Increases youth involvement in agriculture production and innovation.

Duration

A period of six (6) weeks from July 15 to August 23.

