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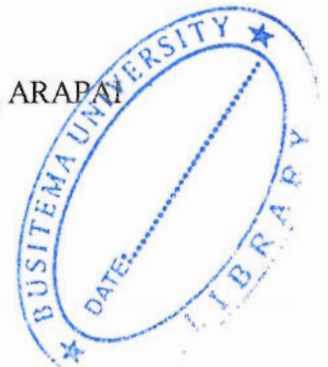
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THE PARTIAL FULFILLMENT FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN CROP
PRODUCTION.

DECLARATION

I Adanga Sarah hereby declare that this report has been my own and it has not been presented by anyone in this university.



DEDICATION

I dedicate this report to the almighty God for granting me spiritual guidance and protection throughout the outreach period and all the staff of Busitema university Arapai campus especially Agribusiness department for their great support, all the community people of Arapai zone A and my fellow students for their maximum cooperation. I love you all in Jesus name, Amen.

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A wonderful thanks to the most high God for granting me wisdom and knowledge toward the preparation of this report, all the staff of busitema, the community people, my parents for supporting me financially and all my friends too, may the good lord bless you all.

APPROVAL

The outreach report was conducted in Arapai A village, Arapai sub county from 12th/03/2021 to 9th/04/2021 by Adanga Sarah under my close supervision with the help of her group leader and I therefore recommend that what she performed under the study promote her to be the changed agent of the nation.

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ABSTRACT

Community outreach that I conducted has been so advantageous to me as the upcoming Agriculturist in that I gained a lot of practical knowledge like carryout management practices in perennial production i.e. in banana and orchard production, making energy saving stove etc. as related to the theory we learnt in class.

This activity was done in such a way that students were divided in to different zones in the community for easy monitoring and supervision where I happened to be in Arapai A zone where I was sub group in where my group had four homes.

Once again the activity was being conducted every Friday of the week from 8:am to 12pm.

In addition to that, the activity benefited most of the farmers in the community since the main objective were focus on the transformation of the agricultural knowledge we had in class hence improvement in their farming methods and their standards of living.

Though the activity was successfully done, besides are the challenges I met like long distance from the campus to the farmer's home, absence of some farmers during outreach day, inadequate tools and equipment's to be used, language barrier which hinders free interaction with the farmer.

CHAPTER ONE

INTRODUCTION.

BACKGROUND

Outreach is one of the course modules offered by all the second year students i.e. CGA, DAP, DCP mainly for the provision of extensions service as a mean of technology transfer and enhance transformation of agriculture through innovation enterprise.

This is done in such a way that students are being allocated to different zones in the community, where I happened to be in Arapai A.

Here it included the identification of the home where I carried the activities in four homes.

The community outreach was being conducted every Friday of the week from 8am to 12pm.

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

To develop students' knowledge and skills practically.

To train students on good agronomic practices.

To develop and strengthen a global partnership for the development of rural communities.

To empower marginalized and disadvantaged group and strengthen effort to promote self-reliance.

To ensure environmental sustainability.