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# Agroecology Schools

Agroecology schools create and reproduce agricultural knowledge through a horizontal knowledge transfer (farmers-to-farmers) as a means for more sustainable food and agricultural systems and food sovereignty.



sustainability  
potential

- preserve knowledge of peasant agriculture adapted to local ecosystems and reproduce it through participatory research
- farmers are viewed as experts with the best understanding of the local context (e.g. soils, climate, plant varieties, animal species and rainfall, as well as local cultural and social knowledge) gained from long-term experiences
- horizontal knowledge transfer from farmers to farmers
- focus on integrating women and young people

