



MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

State Department for Agriculture ENABLE
Youth Kenya Program



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Background:

The Empowering Novel Agribusiness-Led Employment (ENABLE) Youth Kenya Program aims at contributing to job creation, food security and nutrition, income generation and improved livelihoods for youths in both urban and rural areas. ENABLE Youth Kenya Program is currently seeking suitable Agripreneurs as incubatees to be trained and empowered within the supported value chains via a countrywide recruitment exercise. The agribusiness ideas have to be innovative and novel.

The Program focuses on the entire Agriculture Value Chain from production, processing, value addition: input supplies and marketing in the following specific values chains targeted; Poultry, Vegetables, Dairy, Beef, Pasture, Mushroom, Pig, and Fish.

This recruitment will target the following two categories: Standards & Accelerators.

Standard Incubatee

A youth Agripreneurs to be recruited as an incubatee into the ENABLE Youth Kenya Program should be one whose business has an annual turn over of less than Kes 500,000

The incubatee must be willing and available to be capacity built and/or funded to attain economic viability.

The standard Incubatees should be having a running Agribusiness.

This category will undergo incubation and training for a period not exceeding 3 months.

Must be a holder of a certificate/Diploma/Degree from a Recognized Institution.

Accelerated Incubatee

A youth Agripreneurs who has been actively running an agribusiness venture with an Annual Turn Over of above Kes. 500,000.

The incubatee must be willing and available to be capacity built and/or funded to upscale their business.

The Accelerator Incubatees business should have been in operation for a period exceeding twelve months

This category will undergo incubation and training for a period not exceeding 3 months.

Must be a holder of a Certificate/Diploma/Degree from a Recognized Institution.

Eligibility Criteria

1. They must be Kenyan Citizen with a National ID, Aged between 18-35 Years
2. ALL candidates shall be required to meet all integrity requirements.
3. The Program is committed to implementing Affirmative Action. In this regard, Persons Living with Disabilities (PLWDs) and those from marginalized groups with requisite qualification are encouraged to apply.
4. Projects in Value Addition, Aggregation, Marketing, Agricultural Services and Distribution will be highly considered.

Application Process:

The interested candidates shall be required to submit their application by filling the online provided form and submitting it. The form is available through the link: <https://forms.gle/1S5dQUHeEAuoNLN58>

The details for application can be accessed through ENABLE youth website; <https://enableyouth.kilimo.go.ke> (PIU) and Ministry of Agriculture website <https://.kilimo.go.ke> (VACANCIES OR MEDIA CENTRE – ADVERTISEMENTS)

All Applications should be received not later than **31st October 2024**.

CANDIDATES ARE ENCOURAGES TO APPLY HIGHLIGHTING WHETHER THEY ARE STANDARDS OR ACCELERATORS BASED ON THE CRITERIA PROVIDED

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