

Key results

Canada, through UNICEF, has promoted a child-friendly, quality learning environment in the most remote and marginalized regions of Kenya. It has done so by providing grants to 200 schools to support community priorities in education. These include building latrines and distributing 2,000 hygiene kits, 400 science teaching kits, 400 math kits and 200 recreational kits. The materials benefited more than 97,000 children and this initiative helped improve school retention, especially among girls.

In 2016-2017, Canada partnered with the Canadian Organization for Development through Education on the Reading Kenya project. This project developed and published 13 children's books in the Maasai language. Some of the books were the first written materials to be created in this language in Kenya.

In 2016-2017, the International Foundation for Electoral Systems, working with Kenya's Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission, developed a school-based voter education curriculum. This project was called the Kenya Electoral System Support project. The curriculum it created mirrored Elections Canada's Civic Education Program.

