GOOD PRACTICES IN BUILDING RESILIENCE IN THE EDUCATION SECTOR

In St. Vincent and the Grenadines – Partnership with NEMO and the Ministry of Education

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SCHOOL SAFETY – The beginning

• CDM Strategy 2013 – 2023 (overall policy/strategy)
  • Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction
    • Priority 1: Understanding Disaster Risk
    • Priority 3: Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience
  • All pillars of the CSSI Roadmap
    • Safe Learning Facilities – disaster resilient (retrofitting of schools as emergency shelters – RDVRP) – Georgetown, Troumaca
    • School Disaster Management
    • Disaster Risk Reduction and Education Resilience

• USAID/OFDA School Safety began in 2009
  • Contribute mainly to pillar 3 of CSSI – Disaster Risk Reduction and Education;
  • Pillar 2 – School Disaster Management
NEMO – US$10,000 per site – Fitz Hughes and Lowmans Lwd. - Roadmap 1 – Safe Learning Facility

Increase water storage

Shower Facilities
Volcano Awareness Activities
Tsunami SMART – Sector Resilience

- 60,000 Euros
- 3 Schools on Union Island
- 3 Schools on mainland
  - School Safety Plan
  - Tsunami Education
  - Tsunami Evacuation
  - Tsunami Signage
  - Tsunami Plans
Curriculum Development

- Since 2004 advocating for DRR to be included in curriculum
- Ensured it was a component of the RDVRP
- Ministry of Education developed TORs for DRR and Climate Change