

Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

This United Nations' Agenda is a **plan of action for people, the planet, prosperity, peace and partnership**. The 17 Sustainable Development Goals and 169 targets demonstrate the scale and ambition of this new universal Agenda. The Goals and targets will stimulate action in the following areas of critical importance for humanity and the planet: to **end poverty and hunger** and ensure that all human beings can fulfil their potential in dignity and equality and in a healthy environment; to **protect the planet from degradation**, including through sustainable consumption and production, sustainably managing its natural resources and taking urgent action on climate change; to ensure that all human beings can **enjoy prosperous and fulfilling lives** and that economic, social and technological progress occurs in harmony with nature; to foster **peaceful**, **just and inclusive societies** which are free from fear and violence; to strengthen **global solidarity**, focussed in particular on the needs of the poorest and most vulnerable and with the participation of all countries, all stakeholders and all people.