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Questions and Answers

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1) Are FAO elearning courses suitable for undergraduate or diploma-level students?

FAO elearning courses are designed for a broad range of learners, including students, early-career professionals and practitioners. Many courses are accessible to undergraduate and diploma-level students and can support foundational knowledge in areas such as agriculture, food systems and sustainability.

As courses vary in scope and complexity, we recommend reviewing the course descriptions to identify those best suited to the learner's level and learning objectives.

2) Do FAO elearning courses include practical or hands-on learning components?

FAO elearning courses are primarily designed as self-paced online learning experiences. They combine technical content, case studies, interactive learning games, and real-world examples to support applied learning. They aim to strengthen practical understanding and can complement in-person training or field-based learning.

3) Will additional courses be added to the FAO elearning Academy?

Yes, new courses are regularly developed and added to the FAO elearning Academy to reflect emerging priorities and global needs.

Learners are encouraged to regularly consult the [elearning Academy webpage](#) to stay updated on newly available content, and to [subscribe](#) to our newsletter to stay tuned.

4) Does FAO recognise learners who complete certified training programmes?

The FAO elearning Academy recognises learners' achievements through digital certificates awarded upon successful completion of courses, and for selected courses, certified digital badges.

These credentials can be shared on professional platforms such as LinkedIn, helping learners showcase their skills and continuous professional development. For further information, we suggest checking the [Certification with digital badges](#).

5) How does FAO address the need for more hands-on learning, particularly in contexts such as Africa?

FAO recognises the importance of practical, hands-on learning in strengthening skills and capacities. The FAO elearning Academy contributes by providing accessible, high-quality training that can be integrated into blended learning approaches, combining online learning with in-person, field-based or institutional training.

These approaches can help adapt learning to different regional and institutional needs, including those in Africa.

6) How can universities partner with FAO elearning Academy?

Universities can collaborate with the FAO elearning Academy by integrating FAO courses into their curricula, promoting them among students and faculty, or exploring opportunities to co-develop new courses in collaboration with FAO experts.

Partnerships are established on a case-by-case basis, aligned with FAO priorities and areas of expertise. For further information, kindly contact Cristina.Petracchi@fao.org and Costanza.Mattia@fao.org.



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