

# **Jamaica School Uses Wind-Resistant Solar-Powered Container**



## Overview

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The Willowdene Group of Schools (WGS) is Jamaica's first primarily solar energy-efficient Seventh-day Adventist school. Education Minister Fayval Williams and permanent secretary in the ministry Dr Kasan Troupe at the 60th Jamaica Teachers' Association annual conference on Wednesday. CORAL SPRING, Trelawny — The Ministry of Education is contemplating the use of solar energy to power cooling systems in schools across. Minister of Education and Youth, Hon. Fayval Williams. The Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth and Information, through its Project Management and Technical Services Division, is uniquely positioned to lead this transformative effort. Portfolio Minister Fayval Williams stated that the experiment will be conducted at 30 institutions during the first quarter of 2023, “and then, depending on the results, that will be something. Jamaica College and José Martí Technical High School are poised to benefit from the two largest solar systems being provided under the Schools Energy Efficiency and Solar Energy Public-Private Partnership (PPP) pilot project. The project will be implemented under an Energy Service Company (ESCO) model.

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## Jamaica , 30 Institutions to Benefit under Schools Energy Efficiency

Thirty schools across Jamaica were selected for the pilot, which commenced in March 2022. Executive Director of the National Education Trust (NET), Latoya Harris-Ghartey, advised that ...



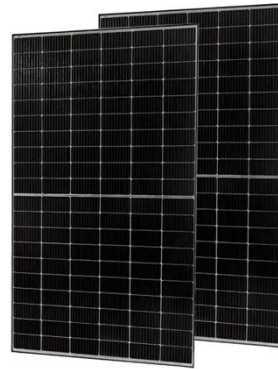
### Pilot Begins Soon for Air-Conditioning Units in 30 Schools - Jamaica

Mr. Williams said greater use of solar energy in schools is being considered as part of the project. The Minister noted that the project will seek to have early-childhood, primary and secondary ...



## Climate-smart classrooms: Building Jamaica's educational resilience

By accelerating the creation of disaster-proof classrooms, Jamaica can ensure that its schools remain havens of learning even in the face of hurricanes, flooding, or other natural hazards.



## Education ministry consider solar energy to power cooling systems in

CORAL SPRING, Trelawny -- The Ministry of Education is contemplating the use of solar energy to power cooling systems in schools across Jamaica to counter the severe heat which ...

## Solar Energy and Energy Efficiency in Schools

The National Education Trust (NET) has identified a private sector provider to undertake the financing, installation and maintenance of photovoltaic generation systems in a pilot project of 30 select ...



## Education Ministry Taking Steps To Make Schools More Climate ...



The Ministry of Education and Youth is undertaking measures to strengthen schools' infrastructure to make them more climate resilient, says Portfolio Minister, Hon. Fayval Williams.

## School Becomes First Adventist Educational Institution in Jamaica to ...

Numbered among the schools is the Willowdene Group of Schools, which lies in the jurisdiction of the Central Jamaica Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. The institution stands as a ...



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