Climate Change Impacts Rural Girls' Education.



Consequences of climate crisis on agriculture, such as drought and lack of harvest.

Potential Impact of Climate Change on Girls in Rural Thailand

CLIMATE CHANGE IS ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST IMMEDIATE ISSUES AND THAILAND IS NO EXCEPTION. RURAL AREAS ALREADY PROVIDE ONLY LIMITED ACCESS TO BASIC EDUCATION. THE RURAL THAI ECONOMY AND TRANSPORTATION ARE UNDER INCREASING STRESS WITH DROUGHT AND SEVERE WEATHER.



Poor harvests, loss of family income and savings.



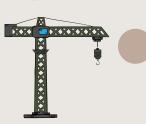
Many family, farm costs remain. Living expenses and standards are reduced.



To save money, the daughter must drop out of school or to marry in her teens.

Topography

Extreme weather leads to natural disasters.
Rural transportation is threatened.



Students cannot attend school unless the routes are fixed, which rarely happens.



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Deteriorating roads and long distances between places in rural areas such as home and school increase time and costs.



The route to school is no longer feasible. The student stops attending school

The Positive Message About the Potential for Girls' Rural Education

Education raises awareness of climate change

Realizing and eager to take action locally

Education develops process of thinking and development.

The next generation can continue working on even better solutions.

Resolving problems, girls are able to attend schools in faraway places

Girls adjust and find sustainable solutions to their problems.