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- Uphold professionalism and ethics.
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- Team-spirit and teamwork.
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- Nurture the environment.
- National cohesion and inclusiveness

FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE

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CAVS students in computer lab



Tree planting by staff and CAVS students



Tree planting by CAVS students:
Caring and naturing the Environment

The Faculty of Veterinary Medicine comprises five (5) teaching departments. These are the pre-clinical departments namely Department of Veterinary Anatomy and Physiology which is located at Chiromo Campus. The other four departments are based in Upper Kabete Campus. These are the Department of Animal Production, Department of Veterinary Pathology, Microbiology and Parasitology, Department of Clinical Studies and Department of Public Health, Pharmacology, and Toxicology. The Faculty has diversified its teaching in both undergraduate and postgraduate programs in the field of Veterinary Medicine, Fisheries and aquaculture management, Leather Technology and Wildlife Sciences. It offers our undergraduate degree programs, namely:

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 Master of Theriogenology (MSC. THERIOGENOLOGY)
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 Dairy Cows CAVS: Show winner

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Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Studies (WMIPES) Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Studies was started in 2009. The establishment of WMI was based on the recognition by University of Nairobi of the late Professor Wangari Maathai, the 2004 Nobel Laureate that there is need for a pioneer institute in Africa that trains and carries out research on environmental governance and its linkages with democracy and human rights. Thus, the core purpose of WMIPES is to spearhead holistic multi-disciplinary research, training and community empowerment and outreach services in environmental management and its linkages with peace and democracy. The Institute currently offers both Doctor of philosophy (PhD) degree in Environmental governance and govern an programs (by both taught course, research and Thesis). CAVS students, Planting trees and nurturing the environment

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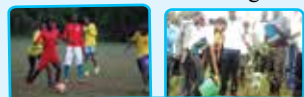
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