

The International Small Group and Tree Planting Program (TIST) Welcome to TIST

Welcome to the TIST Program! We send greetings from all those who support the TIST program, to all members in your Small Group.

We are happy that your Small Group decided to join many other Small Groups in TIST. TIST is a fast growing program that is working around the world.

TIST Small Groups are making a difference in their environments. The Small Groups have already planted over 2.4 million trees in Tanzania and India!

Every week new groups just like yours gather in different countries. They cooperate and care for each other. They plan how to create nurseries, plant seedlings, prepare land for new trees, and improve agriculture practices. They develop and share new ideas with other Small Groups.

We hope that your Small Group will have success and enjoy the benefits of TIST. We are eager to serve your Small Group. Tell us what information you need and what training would help your Small Group in its work. Tell us how to improve the program. This way, all participants in TIST around the world will benefit from what you learn.

The first thing to do is to meet each week with your Small Group. In the Small Group, read the Program Procedures your TIST coordinator gave you.

Please see your TIST Coordinator if you have any questions or problems. You can also write to us: Go to an Internet Café or ask someone to help send us a message at TIST@i4ei.org. We would be happy to hear from you!

With respect,