# Sanlam's commitment to Socio-economic development & sustainability

As a leading financial services company, Sanlam is dedicated to driving socio-economic development and sustainability in all the communities in which we operate. We follow a comprehensive approach that aligns with the six capitals of integrated reporting which include: financial, manufactured, intellectual, social and relationship and natural capital, In 2023 we focused on making positive contributions to each of these areas, demonstrating our commitment to long-term success and sustainability.



- We strive to incorporate our physical assets and infrastructure to create a lasting impact and improve ways of working for our employees and investments that helped build sustainable cities. Over the past decade the SanFin Infrastructure **R862m** 
  - R905m in hattery energy storage **R578m** in water infrastructure

Solar Power (CSP)

- Insurtech joint venture with MTN aYo over **4.5 million** lives touched across Africa, providing cost efficient products to the underserved
- **Solar PV Project** At the Sanlam Bellville Head Office to be launched in 2024 over R100 million invested



- Contributed to the National **Green Finance Taxonomy** initiative in South Africa
  - (TCFD) best practice case study 2023 yearbook by the Financial Stability Board

(FSB) in South Africa

- Launched the first Sanlam **ESG Barometer** in South Africa

FINANCIAL

CAPITAL

Launched the third



**SANLAM CERTIFIED** as a Top Employer for the ninth consecutive year by the Top Employers Institute



**SANLAM INVESTMENTS AWARDED** 2023 Sustainable Asset Manager Award by 27four Investment Managers





SOCIAL AND RELATIONSHIP CAPITAL

#### R14bn

Supplier procurement spend reached (2022: R116 billion)

#### R4.4bn

spent on SMMEs (2022; R4.4 billion)

#### R139m

CSI spend (2022: R130 million

### **R20m**

invested in Youth for Tourism funding. Reached over 700 youth

## **R10**m

in interest-free loan support made available to SANParks rural SMMEs

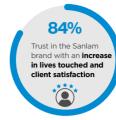
Sanlam has achieved a BBBEE level 1 for 6 years consecutively with a year -on-year increase in total points.



**60k** people reached across South Africa with disaster information, education and awareness in collaboration with strategic partners in the Partnership 4 Risk and Resilience (P4RR) programme

Our products touch the lives of

#### 69m clients in Africa and Asia



## WageWise with ASISA Foundation through 528 face-to-face

Money Fo 'Sho with Avocado Vision

**CONSUMER FINANCIAL EDUCATION:** 

**14 370** Beneficiaries

beneficiaries

through 479 face-to-face

Foundation:







Rural

nersons with



Learners reached from 277 schools through High School CFE National Competition funded by the Sanlam

Foundation



Santam partnered with 95 municipalities under (P4RR). These interventions have an indirect influence on more than 13 million individuals. As part of its adaption strategy, Santam collaborated with Capricorn District Municipality to plant approximately 200 indigenous trees. Over 30 000 people received targeted disaster risk education and awareness training, bringing the total to 66 338. Additionally, 252 persons were trained in firefighting safety, disaster management, and related courses, bringing the total to 712.

#### SPECIAL PROJECTS

4843

#### **Kay Motsepe Schools Cup**

awarded total prize money of R11.75 million to winning schools participating in the school competition for u19 boys, u14 girls and u14 boys

#### **WoW Spelling Competition**

with the University of Stellenbosch reached 231 700 beneficiaries through 149 Spelling Festivals held nationally at primary and high schools

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Projects programmes.

hours of business development support provided to SMEs under the Sanlam Foundation's ESD

**SMALL** 

**FUND** 

**GRANTS** 

food packs prepared heneficiaries supported through the Staff through the Sanlam Volunteerism Foundation's Special 517 590

learners received meals in schools that are beneficiaries of the Sanlam Foundation **Education Programme.** 

Through its Small Grants Fund, the Sanlam Foundation donated R1.9m to 19 NGOs focusing on youth, people with disabilities, orphans, abused, neglected and vulnerable children, GBV and LGBTQIA+ causes

## Support towards SDGs

Sanlam is intentional and prioritises SDGs that provide the biggest opportunity for shared value creation.







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