## **THE ARCHIBULL PRIZE** CASE STUDY ACTION PROJECT MATRIX



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| 1. CASE STUDY<br>Synopsis           | Case studies should be written to highlight how the community has approached<br>a sustainable problem either at a local, national, or international level.<br>Use the below framework to demonstrate in-depth analysis, investigation,<br>and research surrounding the problem and provide recommendations to<br>improve existing conditions or future actions/considerations to build a<br>sustainable tomorrow.   |   |                     |
| 2. OUR COMMUNITY<br>Identity        | <ul> <li>Community background and identity.</li> <li>Location of the school community.</li> <li>Climate / biomes / biodiversity / society.</li> <li>Community structure: Demography, workforce, health, education, economics, etc.</li> <li>Impact and outreach of community.</li> </ul>  |   |                     |
| 3. AGRICULTURE AND<br>OUR COMMUNITY | <ul> <li>Links within the community to agricultural industries to consider:</li> <li>Ecology, e.g., communities, ecosystems, and biospheres.</li> <li>Energy, e.g., resources, exploitation, wastage, etc.</li> <li>Nutrition, e.g., source, distribution, quality, scarcity or surplus, etc.</li> <li>Dominant industries, e.g., industrial, crop cultivation, livestock, subsistence, etc.</li> <li>Employment/careers, e.g., scale, intensity, level of mechanisation, job availability, wages, etc.</li> <li>Other connections to the local economy, e.g., tourism, transport, infrastructure, society, etc.</li> </ul> |   |                     |

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| 3. AGRICULTURE AND<br>OUR COMMUNITY<br>(CONTINUED)         | <ul> <li>Sustainable Futures and Communities: Consider the following in the context of agriculture and your community:</li> <li>Sustainable production: To highlight goods and services using processes and systems that are: <ul> <li>Non-polluting and environmentally friendly.</li> <li>Conserving of energy and natural resources.</li> <li>Economically viable.</li> <li>Safe and healthy for consumers, workers, and communities.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sustainable consumption: To use products and services in a way that minimizes the impact on the environment by: <ul> <li>Promoting resource and energy efficiency.</li> <li>Achieving a positive community impact for: <ul> <li>Thriving ecosystems.</li> <li>The health and wellbeing of communities.</li> <li>Career/employment opportunities.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Areas of strength, areas of concern, and areas of potential in regard to Sustainable Futures and Healthy Communities of the Agricultural industries linked to your community.</li> </ul></li></ul> |   |                     |
| 4. OUR IDENTIFIED<br>AGRICULTURAL AREA<br>OF INVESTIGATION | <ul> <li>Define your Agricultural Area of Investigation (AAol).</li> <li>Outline the reason for choosing this AAol.</li> <li>Describe the current impact of your AAol on a local, national, or international level.</li> <li>Identify and explain your chosen research methods (primary and secondary).</li> <li>Consider, as appropriate to your AAol the links to: <ul> <li>Responsible production.</li> <li>Sustainable consumption.</li> <li>Thriving ecosystems/biodiversity.</li> <li>The health and wellbeing of communities.</li> <li>Future careers and employment.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |   |                     |

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| 5. RESEARCH<br>FINDINGS         | <ul> <li>Outline the findings from your primary and secondary research for your AAol.</li> <li>Demonstrate data interpretation through the use of analytical and logical reasoning to show patterns, relationships or trends.</li> <li>Summarise collected data.</li> </ul>   |   |                     |
| 6. OUR VISION FOR<br>THE FUTURE | <ul> <li>Present your vision/solution for the future in relation your AAol and sustainable futures and healthy communities. Consideration may include areas such as:</li> <li>Improving and providing more opportunities for education/training.</li> <li>Changing systems, processes or production pipelines.</li> <li>Changing consumption patterns/choices.</li> <li>Addressing and influencing policy decisions.</li> <li>Increasing community engagement.</li> <li>Supporting biodiversity.</li> </ul> |   |                     |
| 6. OUR VISION FOR<br>The future | <ul> <li>Cite and include references to:</li> <li>Secondary research sources.</li> <li>Primary research sources.</li> <li>Industry and academic partners.</li> <li>Any other resources, as appropriate.</li> </ul>  |   |                     |