Life

Elementary Videoscript

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- **0.00–0.21** This is a class at Earth University. Earth University is in Costa Rica.
- **0.22–0.38** The school's principal is José Zaglul and he says the university wants to give poor students an education in agriculture and to teach them the skills to protect the environment.
- **0.39–0.52** C They teach us here how to be very respectful to our environment. Not only to the people that we're working with, but also to our environment.
- **0.53–1.09** The university has 400 students and most are from Latin America, but some students also come from places further away, for example, Africa.
- **1.10–1.16** L Where we come from, the northern part of Kenya, Marsabit, is one of the poorest places we have in Kenya.
- **1.17–1.26** Robert Lechipan says that Earth University teaches many useful skills and he can use these skills in his country.
- **1.27–1.55** Students study and work six days a week. They are in the classroom and in the fields eleven months a year. There's even a banana farm where students and professors can try out new ways of farming. The farm sells most of its bananas to the United States. Money from the bananas pays for some of the poorer students to be at the university.
- **1.56–2.10 R** The profits of the banana business support scholarships for students from poor communities.
- **2.11–2.29** In addition to farming, Earth University students learn about business management.
- **2.30–end** University president José Zaglul thinks the students at Earth University will become leaders who can change farming in their own countries and communities.