

Climate Change Vocabulary: English-Swahili-Maa (revised 2024.05.13)

English	Kiswahili	Maa	
1	adaptation	kukabiliana*	emokunotto
2	average surface temperature	joto wastani la eneo	mirobi nimiruwaa
3	biodiversity	bioanuwai*	iseusewuu woomwain kumock
4	biofuel	bayofueli	engima osewusewu
5	carbon dioxide	dioksidi ya kaboni	emburuo engai
6	carbon footprint	uwepo wa kaboni angani	emburuo engai toloing'ang'e
7	carbon neutral	carbon neutral	entoki nemeshulare corboni
8	caring for the environment	kutunza mazingira	
9	clean energy	nishati safi	ewang'an sidai
10	climate	hali anga	oloing'ange
11	climate change	mabadiliko ya tabia nchi	engibelekenyatta oongatatin
12	compost	mbolea	endulugumi
13	creation care	utunzaji wa uumbaji	
14	deforestation	kata miti ya mwituni	edung'oto orkeek
15	drought	ukame	alameii
16	eco-friendly	inayo zingatia mazingira	emunyani olndirenitto
17	ecosystem	mfumo wa kiikolojia	engipangatta olndirenitto
18	emissions	utoaji wa gesi chafu	emburuo torrono/ engima nabakisho
19	energy-efficient	yenye ufanisi wa kawi	engolon nagutt
20	environment	mazingira	olndiren/
21	exhaust fume	moshi ya magari	emburuo oongarrimi
22	extinction	kuangamiza	engidaatta
23	extreme weather event	tukio la hali ya hewa kali*	orkekun lengolong' torrono
24	famine	njaa	esumash
25	flood	mafuriko	ingarriak sapukin
26	food waste	mabaki ya chakula	ilekunot oodakin
27	fossil fuels	mafuta ya visukuku	ormong'o/engima olekunot oseuseu
28	global average temperature	wastani wa halijoto duniani*	engirrowaj sidai tenkop
29	global warming	ongezeko la joto duniani	engata engirowaj tenkop
30	greenhouse effect	athari ya kivungulio	inayuu emburuo torono
31	greenhouse gas (ghg)	gesi chafu*	emburuo torrono
32	habitat	makazi ya asili	manyisho/imanyishuo
33	heat wave	wimbi la joto	engima nairowua
34	infectious diseases	magonjwa ya kuambukiza	imoyaritin nahurratakinoi
35	mitigation	kupunguza*	ing'orikinot
36	non-renewable energy	kawi isiyotumika tena	
37	ozone	ozoni	
38	pollutants	vichafuzi	olchafu
39	recycling	kuchakata	
40	reforestation	upandaji miti	eunoto orkeek
41	refugee	mkimbizi	engwatita/enaidurra
42	renewable energy	kawi inayotumika tena	
43	reservoir (of water)	hifadhi (ya maji)	olteroto
44	sea-level rise	kupanda kwa kiwango cha maji baharini	edokunotto engare teluanie
45	solar panels	seliumeme za jua	esolla
46	sunlight	mwanga wa jua	ewang'an engolong'
47	sustainability	endelevu	ingigilatt
48	temperature	halijoto	engirowaji
49	weather patterns	mabadiliko ya hali ya hewa	ingibelekenyat oongatatin
50	weather	hali ya hewa	engata
51	wind	upepo	osiwuo
52	wind turbine	vinu vya upepo	emashine osiwuo
53	world	dunia	engop

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Maa translation by Lashumbai Kilolong, who writes, "I have done according to my best level, but some of the terminologies are not used in maa language according to our originality, culture and environment we live."