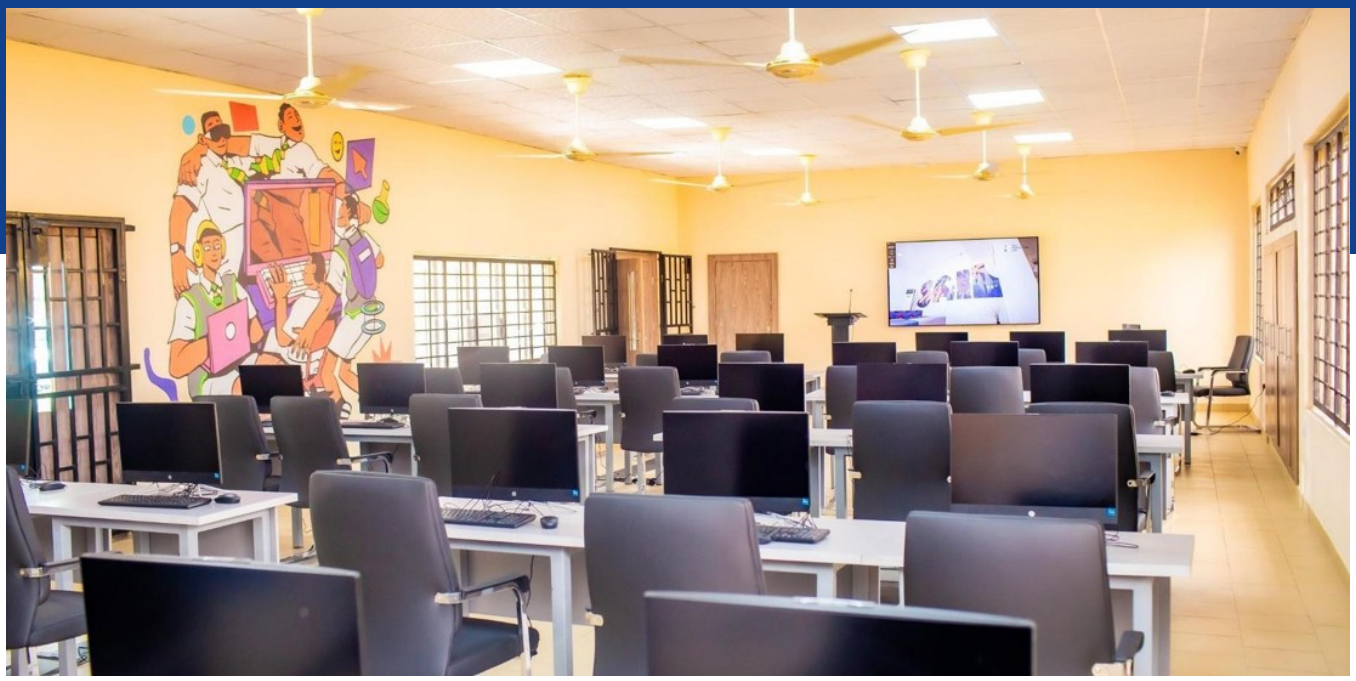
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From Ikorodu to classrooms nationwide

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A teaching space in the SAIL Foundation archive. Illustrative facility photograph.

Teacher training reached a national audience through the MTN–SAIL Teachers' Fellowship. In Ikorodu, learners also continued building software, testing prototypes and pitching businesses.

Teaching, technology and enterprise

4,000

Teachers in the 2024 fellowship

Of these teachers, 400 progressed to the final stage. [1, 4]

585

Tech talent training completions

Cumulative across technical tracks at the October 2024 programme review. [2]

131

Job placements recorded to date

The October review reported placements across its technology programmes. [2]

Teachers learn by asking better questions

SAIL, MTN Foundation and Co-creation Hub brought inquiry-based teaching and digital tools to educators across Nigeria. Teachers practised designing lessons in which pupils investigate a problem and explain their reasoning. Training participation measures teacher reach; pupil learning requires classroom follow-up. [1, 3]

Learning to build and present

The October review recorded 637 STEM completions since February 2023. School-age learners worked on physical computing and 3D modelling. Technology trainees combined programming with practice in interviews, CV writing and explaining their projects to others. [2]

Founders pitch their businesses

By October, 20 start-ups had completed the accelerator since February 2023. Five pitched at the June demo day and three received seed funding. More than 500 unique coworking users had also used the lab by the review date. [2]

Reading the figures

The 4,000 teachers belong to the 2024 fellowship. Technology, STEM, accelerator and coworking figures are programme-to-date snapshots. Their starting points and units differ, so they do not form a single 2024 beneficiary total.

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