For those in love with nature there is no better place to study than at Ogongo. Ogongo is a green haven in north central Namibia having preserved its natural vegetation for many years. Its tall trees stand out as an island amongst degraded lands and attract a rich diversity of wildlife. Conservation of nature is enhanced by the numerous species of wildlife in the Estate Hall, e.g. Spotted, Ruhuhufari, Oryx, Zebra, Blesbok, waterbuck, Yellow Billed Oxpecker, Great Bustard, Laughing Dove, Southern Red-billed Hornbill, Common Reardad, Pigeon, Vultures, and a variety of birds: the Red-billed Quelea, Cape Turtle-Dove, Laughing Dove, Sparrow Weaver, Red-billed Buffalo Weaver and Blue Waxbill, just to mention a few. The farm offers a wonderful opportunity for hands-on training for agriculture students.

All students at Ogongo have a chance to be accommodated in the University Hostels, making it very convenient for all students to access Campus facilities, even at night. Ogongo has friendly, highly qualified and committed national and international academic staff. Being a campus with a low student population, interpersonal interactions are encouraged, creating a homely, conducive learning environment.

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FINDING Your Way

Below is a map showing the main facilities of the campus.
Ogongo Campus is one of UNAM’s campuses run by the Faculty of Agriculture and Natural Resources. The Campus is situated 55 kilometres from Oshakati, along the Oshakati-Outapi Road. It is bounded on its north and west by lush vegetation and to its south by productive farmlands. The Campus is a working farm of 4,350 ha, 1000 ha of which is a Game Park. It offers a unique opportunity to conduct almost all student field practical work and research on Campus.

The management of the campus is led by a Management Committee headed by a Campus Director/Assistant Pro-Vice Chancellor and comprising Heads of Academic Departments, Farm & Campus Management and Representatives from academic departments, library, exams office, assistant faculty office, and student leadership.

The campus abounds with lecture theatres and rooms with multi-media equipment. The Campus has three functional computer labs in which students can type assignments and access online resources such as e-journals.

The University’s library system is set up in such a way that students at each campus can benefit from the latest online catalogues and inter-library loan facilities. The library on campus therefore serves as a national learning resource centre for the wider community and the Ogongo Campus library is no exception. The Library boasts a collection of +-10 000 books, e-journals and also houses an audio visual room with video conference facilities.

The campus community enjoys a high speed wireless internet service and in addition students are also provided with 3G devices in their first year of study in order for them to be able to access internet outside the internet coverage radius.

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