

*Waachiyah from the Eelgrass Team and **THANK YOU** for a great summer of research in Wemindji!*

Our main questions this summer:

1. How are eelgrass meadows doing around Wemindji?
2. Can fake eelgrass clear up water to help real eelgrass grow?
3. Can James Bay eelgrass be transplanted for restoration?



What we did in Wemindji this summer

Measured the health of 9 eelgrass meadows

Installed artificial eelgrass to learn how eelgrass clears up the water

Test-transplanted 180 eelgrass shoots

What we're doing now in the lab

Processing eelgrass and water samples

Analyzing data from our artificial eelgrass and transplant experiments

Planning for next year's research



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