



# TGUP Project Summary

## Bidhya Jyoti School

Lamjung, Sundarbazar, Nepal



**Project Name:**

Bidhya Water Well

**Project Location:**

Lamjung, Sundarbazar,  
Nepal

**NGO Partner:**

Little Sisters Fund

**Project Cost:**

\$650

**Needs Assessment:**

\* The school does not have any running water.

\* Over 500 students attend the school.

\* Water will be used for drinking, cooking, toilets and gardens.

\* The community is contributing 57% of the cost of the project (total cost is \$1,528). TGUP has committed to raising \$650 (43%).



In partnership with the Little Sisters Fund, TGUP will fund a water well to provide running water to the Bidhya Jyoti School. The school currently has 537 students from pre-school to 12<sup>th</sup> grade with 30 teaching staff.

The school does not have any water source so all water must be brought in by hand. Installing a water well will provide easy access to drinking water, water that can be used in the kitchen for the mid-day meal, for washing in the latrines, and for growing a garden.

The majority of the students at the school come from the 'untouchable' caste and are the first to get an education in their family. For many, the school meal is their main source of nutrition. Having water will allow the school to teach proper hygiene, ensure cleanliness in the kitchen and supplement their food supply with a garden.

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