



TGUP Project Summary

Las Ruinas Computer Lab

Peten, Guatemala

**Project Name:**

Las Ruinas Computer Lab

Project Location:

Peten, Guatemala, 87 miles from Flores, the provincial capital.

NGO Partner:

Seeds of Learning

Project Cost:

\$5,951

Needs Assessment:

- The school does not currently have any computers.
- The teachers have no way to connect to the Internet or improve their lesson plans.
- The government is not willing to help.
- The students are not competitive in the work force without computer skills.



The Las Ruinas School has 198 students and 14 staff but no computers.

The need to provide students the knowledge and skills on IT technologies has been identified as a priority by the school. They have requested assistance from the Ministry of Education but been denied due to lack of resources.

This project will fund equipment and furniture to establish a computer and multimedia room for the school. This will allow for a more sophisticated education that includes access to technology and improved education methodologies.

The project includes the provision of ten computers, a printer, a multimedia projector, and some furniture. The school and parents will contribute to the project by refurbishing the space for this room and building some of the furniture. Total cost: \$5,951 with the community contributing \$375 in labor and materials to build wood desks.

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