



TGUP Project Summary

Latrines for Mucagara Secondary School Ngariama, Kenya



Project Name:

Mucagara Mixed Day
Secondary School
Latrines

Project Location:

Ngariama, Kirinyaga,
Kenya

NGO Partner:

Kiini Sustainable
Initiative (KISI).
TGUP has completed
more than two dozen
projects in
partnership with KISI,
including classrooms,
latrines, and
playgrounds.

Project Cost:

\$6,000

Needs Assessment:

- * There are 280 students and 10 staff, but only 4 classrooms.
- * Girls often skip school because of the lack of latrines.



TGUP, in partnership with Kiini Sustainable Initiative, will build 4 latrines exclusively for the girls at Mucagara Mixed Day Secondary School in Ngariama, Kirinyaga county. Currently, there are 10 teachers and 280 students: 153 girls and 127 boys.

It has 4 classrooms that will be insufficient when primary school students, numbering an additional 50 students over current levels, matriculate in the coming years. The latrines are leaking and labeled a hazard by the county health authorities. The school is also in need of other facilities including a water catchment system, lab equipment, electricity, and a playground.

Girls end up having to wait in line to use the latrines, often causing them to be late for class. And there is no place to wash up, which is particularly troublesome when a girl has her period. They often ends up skipping school altogether, leading to eventual dropout.

The budget for this project is as follows:

Materials	\$ 3,746
Labor	\$ 1,595
Other (permits, transportation, etc.)	\$ 659
Total	\$6,000