



TGUP Project Summary

School Furniture
Ngungu Primary School
Kirinyaga, Kenya



Project Name:

Ngungu Primary
School Furniture

Project Location:

Kirinyaga, Kenya

Project Summary:

Fund 20 chairs, 8
tables, and 16
benches for the
school.

Project Detail:

The items will be
made locally by metal
and wood workers to
reduce cost and
provide local
employment.

Project Partner:

Kiini Sustainable
Initiative (KISI).
TGUP has completed
more than three
dozen projects in
partnership with KISI.

Project Cost:

\$2,012



TGUP, in partnership with KISI, will fund the fabrication of 20 chairs for the teachers and staff, 8 large square tables, and 16 six-foot benches for the students. Currently, the students often must share chairs and tables.

The school and community are contributing over \$500 in labor to help keep the cost of this project down. The items will be made locally by metal and wood workers. This not only supports the local community but reduces the cost by 50% over purchasing pre-made furniture.

The 16 teachers, staff, and visitors often have to stand or sit outside because they do not have enough chairs to accommodate them. And the students' learning is interrupted when they are sharing tables, and benches.

This small project will have a large impact on morale and school performance.

The project will cost \$2,530. Of this, \$518 is being contributed by the community, leaving \$2,012 to be funded.