

Completion of GGP project “The Project for Improvement of the Educational Environment at Nyarutombo Primary School in Mbire District”

Nyarutombo Primary School in Mbire District now has a greatly improved educational environment thanks to USD 88,616 in funding from Japan. The new educational facilities, including classroom blocks, ablution blocks, teachers house, and school furniture, were supported through the Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects (GGP) Programme. The project was implemented by a local NGO, Methodist Development and Relief Agency (MeDRA).

Previously, the school was lacking in basic facilities, and the students and teachers had to conduct their lessons in makeshift classrooms with insufficient desks and chairs.

MeDRA has received positive feedback from students, teachers and parents of children at the school, such as: “I had been learning in a makeshift classroom made with a straw roof since Grade 1, but now I can study in a strong and conducive classroom block with a desk and chair”; “We teachers are happy to be able to live in a comfortable teacher house built within the school premises”; and “We parents are relieved that our children will not get disturbed by rain thanks to the solid classrooms”. This feedback shows that the project has provided a much-improved educational environment at the school.



Classroom block 1



Classroom block 2



Teachers house



Ablution block 1



Ablution block 2



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