

Toys and resources for children at a new rural primary school

Project Reference: 188

► How will this project help?

This is a new primary school, with space for one hundred children. The school receives no support from the government, and is funded by the community. Since the local area is very poor, the school has very little money and lacks resources. In particular, they need educational materials and toys for the children. Many of the students come from disadvantaged communities that have very little access to education, and have only recently been given the opportunity to attend school. Your support for this project will provide the resources needed for the education of fifty children.

► Cost of Project

Costs are given in the local currency, Nepalese Rupees (NRS). This is because all items are bought locally in Nepal to reduce costs and to support the local economy.

Cost breakdown

Set of toys = 8800 NRS
Educational Materials (story books, exercise books, art books, colouring pens, pencils, blackboards, markers etc) = 13,100 NRS
To transport from the market to the village = 1100 NRS
Project Implementation costs = 3520 NRS
Local bank charges to receive funds = 385 NRS

Total cost of project in local currency = 27005 Nepalese Rupees

► **Total Cost of Project in Pounds = 225.04**

(JustAid is currently using an exchange rate of £1 = 120 Nepalese Rupees. This rate is slightly lower than the Banks because it allows for fluctuation in the rates)

► Who needs help with this Project?

Beluwa Community Primary School, Dang

► Where is this project needed?

Dang, Nepal



► Nepal Factfile

- ◆ Population: 23.1 million
- ◆ Average annual income: US\$ 220
- ◆ Often described as the “country of villages” with over 80 % of the population living in over 40,000 villages, some of which are located in remote mountainous regions.
- ◆ Only 28% of the population have access to adequate sanitation
- ◆ Every year 35,000 children still lose their lives due to diarrhea.
- ◆ 76% of adult females are illiterate

Map of Nepal

