

Do you know why this Project needs your help?

- 111 Primary Schools and 28 Secondary Schools at Rufiji District needs this support.
- More than 14,000 students lives' depends on rising school exams performance caused by the Project.
- More than 6,000 teachers needs teaching aids and manuals.
- Your support will build Library to supplement reading materials for students and teachers Rufiji District has neither school nor public Library



ALISOD Official provides donation of teaching aids to Primary School Teacher to rise students performance at Bumba Primary School, Rufiji District



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**African Library Solution and
Development (ALISOD)**



***Improving Students
Performance at Rufiji District,
Tanzania***

The logic behind...

This Project aims at enhancing full participation of main education stakeholders on education matters so as to rise students performance

These Main stakeholders includes Community (parents/guardians, Civil Society Organizations and general communities), Students and Government (Teachers, Local and Central Government).

On 9th June 2012, ALISOD managed to test the Project at two Schools of Bumba Primary School and Msoro Primary School located at Rufiji District, Tanzania.

The reason for selection of this District is the fact that it is one among backward Districts on education initiatives. It has communities with low motivations on education matters and unawareness of the value of education on their lives.

Rufiji District has neither public nor school library. As some schools has 1 to 5 teachers, many teachers confronts with insufficient teaching aids such as books, chalks, pens, exercise books etc.

Hence, truancy, early pregnancy and marriage, unattended to school meetings, ignores paying necessary requirements for their children's for example school uniforms. Results are poor performances to both primary and secondary schools.

Our Approach...

- Schools are informed on the availability and purposes of the visits of ALISOD Officials. They are requested to mobilize parents to attend the event. Many parents attends.
- Before the donation, ALISOD manages to explain the need of education for national development stating from family level. ALISOD Officials concludes with highlighting responsibilities of each stakeholders.
- During events, ALISOD donates exercise books, pens, pencils, rulers and bags to all students and relevant to number of subjects taken to motivate them in schooling.
- ALISOD also donates Teaching aids to teachers such as , Counter Books, Chalks, pens, pencils, rulers, note books, dusters and papers sufficient for the period of one year or more. This aimed at motivating teachers during implementation of their roles.
- After the handing over donations ALISOD acknowledges and give more emphasis on cooperation's.



ALISOD Official at higher table with suit during a meeting aimed at improving students performance at Bumba Primary School, Rufiji District, June 2012

Success Stories...

- Since students are now aware of the importance of education on their life such as expectations for better pay, ability to support their family and travel the world, it has reduced truancy to 98% at these schools, students' disciplines and commitment improved.
- Bumba and Msoro Communities now aware of importance's of education. Parents now participate in school meetings. Whoever fails to attend, take time to apologies.
- Reduced Parents – Teachers conflicts. Parents now know importance's of teachers for development of their children.
- Teachers able to pursue their duties effectively after they donated equipments and reference materials.
- Pledge to cooperate with ALISOD on any activity.

Do you know?

More has to be done to support these initiatives to other Primary and Secondary Schools at Rufiji District to rescue students from 111 Primary Schools and 28 Secondary Schools.

The project needs exercise books, Counter Books, Chalks, pens, pencils, rulers, note books, erasers and bags. Also, the Project need to build a Library to help these communities for decades.