

## Crowdfunding project: Help buy 170 desks needed NOW due to Covid rules.

Kinderhulp Afrika is a Christian charitable organization that has been looking after the most vulnerable children in Uganda since 1987. The 850 (orphan) children currently on the campus in Namugongo are taken care of in a safe environment. Here they receive the love and care they deserve, housing, medical and spiritual care, primary education and a secondary or vocational training so that they can become independent and empower them to stand on their own two feet after completing their education.

### Background

After almost 2 years of closure the schools in Uganda were finally allowed to reopen in January 2022. The pandemic has caused the country to be in lockdown for a long time. In fact the school closure in Uganda was the longest in the world, 83 weeks.

Our campus was also allowed to open its doors again after the long closure. The campus consists of a kindergarten\*, primary school, a secondary school and a vocational school. In total, 850 pupils receive education here.

\* This Day Care and Kindergarten, SAM, is our main project on GLOBALGIVING.  
<https://www.globalgiving.org/projects/vulnerable-children-daycare-preschool-education/>



### Current situation

The reopening of the schools was accompanied by a number of new rules and regulations. One of the conditions is that each child must have his own desk. A large number of the classes have this already, but not all. They share desks with 2 or 3 other students. We therefore need to make 170 new "single desks" at very short notice.

## The project

### What will be done in concrete terms?

A "single desk unit" consists of a desk and chair in one. This furniture is handmade from wood, is very sturdy and lasts for years.

### Who and how many people will directly benefit from this?

The 170 pupils of the primary school who still share their desks with each other.



### What will be the long-term effect on the target group after completion of the project?

The purchase of these single desk units is of great importance to be able to meet the conditions of the Ugandan government. In addition, by sitting separately from each other, the students can also keep a better distance from each other and thus prevent them from infecting each other with Covid-19 and other infectious diseases. Thus preventing possible outbreaks of sickness at the school and the children having to be absent from lessons.

The costs for 170 single desks total € 12,821.92

#### Quotation for the Single Desk Unit

s/n	Item	Qty	Unit Price UGX	Amount	Exchange Rate	Euros
1	Single desk unit	170	265.000	45.050.000	3.900	€11,551.28
	Sub Total 1		265.000	45.050.000	3.900	€11,551.28
3	Overheads-6%			2.703.000	3900	US€693.08
4	unforeseen-5%			2.252.500	3900	US€577.56
	Sub-Total 2			4.955.500	3900	€1,270.64
	<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>50.005.500</b>		<b>€12,821.92</b>

Note: the Single desk unit amount of shs.265,000/= is inclusive of Labour costs

Exchange rate: 1 Euro = 3900 UGX



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