

August Update - we reached our target!
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*Students in Girlstown, Zona 13, Guatemala so excited for their new well, complete with pump!
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Thank you for your support.

Thanks to your support online and together with offline gifts for this appeal we are delighted to announce that we have now made our target for installing the submersible pump for the well at our Sisters of Mary girls' school in Zona 13, Guatemala.

Meeting our need

The need for clean water at our girls' school in Guatemala was urgent. The dry season in Guatemala is long and without a well with a pump to extract water for the girls' use for washing and sanitation, the Sisters were relying on the purchase of water which had to be brought to the school by tanker. This was extremely costly and inefficient. The cost of water also rose by over 14% in the year to date.

This additional operating cost also affected the number of children we were able to accept into our care at the school.

Thanks to the generosity of supporters on and offline for this appeal I am delighted to share below photos from the school to show the completion of the project and the installation of the new submersible pump into the well.



Thank you!

So, on behalf of all the girls in our school in Guatemala, all the Sisters of Mary who care for them and all the team at World Villages for Children, thank you again for your support for this appeal. Your donations will mean a better quality of life for the poorest girls while they complete their education and provide them with new hope for a brighter future.



**THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR OUR
SUBMERSIBLE PUMP!**