

Beds and Bars Ltd have entered into a partnership with UK-based charity Build Africa to support Minyalala Primary School, an under-resourced school in the Mwala District of Kenya. We are committed to working with Build Africa and the local community to transform Minyalala and help the children reach their full potential.

Pupils currently struggle to learn in dark, cave-like classrooms that are prone to flooding when the heavy rains come. The majority of the classrooms are derelict and at risk of collapse, there is a shortage of textbooks and teaching materials, and although there are enough teachers, a number of them are insufficiently trained and eager to improve their skills.

With the support of Beds and Bars Ltd, the school will receive a new lease of life. Two new classrooms and four toilets will be built in 2011, training will be implemented for teachers and the management committee, a new health club will be formed with a focus on HIV and AIDS prevention, and new textbooks and sports equipment will be provided. This is just the start. The support provided will guarantee the current 137 pupils the education they deserve and ensure a brighter future for the pupils that follow in their footsteps.

- [More information about the Minyala project.](#)

Build Africa is an award-winning, international development charity based in Kent in the United Kingdom, with local offices in Kenya and Uganda. The organisation combines learning and earning opportunities that offer children and their families long-term solutions to poverty. Since 2004, Build Africa has worked with 115 schools and benefited over 150,000 children in rural areas of Kenya and Uganda. The charity's income generating programme is also currently reaching more than 30,000 individuals living in the communities surrounding its partner schools.

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