



# TOOLS FOR MUKWASHI

## EQUIP TOMORROW'S CHANGEMAKERS



Please help us raise £8,000/ \$9,000 /  
€9,000 / CAD 13,000 by Christmas so  
the school can buy the basic equipment  
& resources it needs.

At Mukwashi Trust School, we teach our learners to be creative and resourceful — to make the most they can from the little they have.

Our staff lead by example: they work long hours, teach large, mixed-age classes with no IT and very few resources, make new classroom displays for each half-term's topics — and produce exceptional national examination results. It's no wonder the school has grown so much in the last three years.



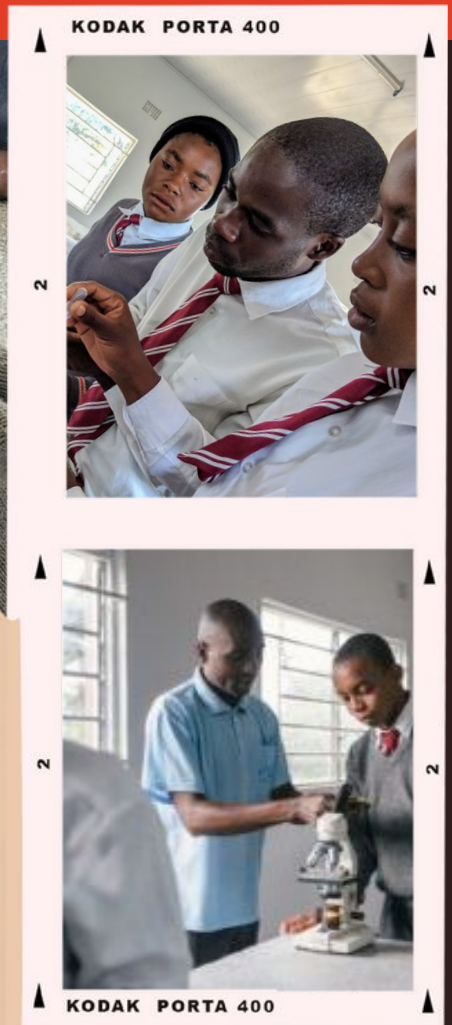
In the last twelve months, staff have helped learners construct a large goat house from waste they found on site, build a small store from the leftovers of our demolished latrines, and convert old bus wheels into cooking braziers for the school kitchen.

Every child in our upper primary learns to 'design & sew' — and they all make a rug for their homes. And every child in our secondary conducts agricultural experiments on their own plot of land — and takes whatever they harvest home to their families.

Our staff and learners do all this with next-to-no tools:  
please help us provide them with the equipment and  
resources they need to achieve even more.



# What does the school need?

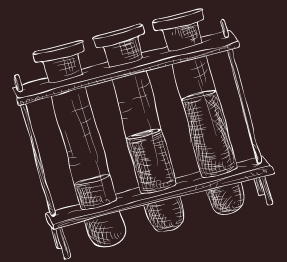


£2,500

For science lab equipment  
(\$3,000, €3,000, CAD 4,000)

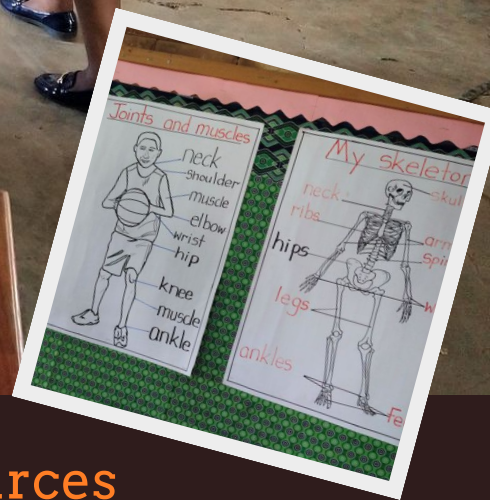
Our two science teachers need 45 metal lab stools, 30 scientific posters and 160 pieces of scientific equipment for the learners (*stop watches, droppers, electronic scales, measuring cylinders, conical flasks, bunsen burners, smoke boxes, evaporating dishes, pipettes, defragging spoons, glass rods, tongs, wash bottles, delivery tubes, bell jars, gas syringes, overflow cans & thermocouples*).

Each stool will cost about £30 / \$40 / €40 / CAD 55, and each poster and piece of equipment will cost an average of £5 / \$6 / €6 / CAD 9.





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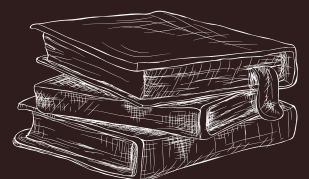
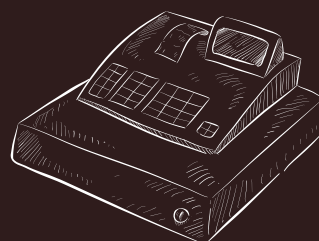


£2,000

For classroom resources  
(\$2,500, €2,500, CAD 3,500)

Our secondary teachers need 500 specialist textbooks, 50 educational posters and a cash register for the business lab; our early years team needs two carpets and our first TV.

Each book will cost about £3 / \$3.50 / €3.50 / CAD 5; the other resources will cost £150 / \$200 / €200 / CAD 300 each.





# What does the school need?



For agricultural learning resources  
(\$2,500, €2,500, CAD 3,500)

Our two agriculture staff need 100 basic garden tools for their learners (*trowels, forks, spades, rakes, hoes, watering cans, secateurs, axes, augers, machetes, pruning saws, etc*), 50 hens (plus *feeders & drinkers*), four goats (and a *drenching gun, elastrator, ear tag applicator, syringe, sprayer & castrator*) and a final 45 fruit trees (*guava, mango, orange, pomegranate, tangelo, pawpaw, grape, granadilla & nectarine*).

Each tool & hen will cost about £6 / \$7 / €7 / CAD 10; each goat £100 / \$120 / €120 / CAD 170; and each tree £20 / \$25 / €25 / CAD 40.





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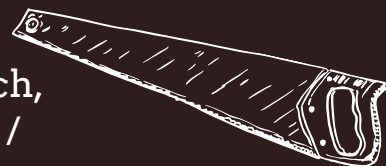


£1,500

For the school site  
(\$2,000, €2,000, CAD 2,500)

Our two maintenance staff desperately need twenty proper tools (an *angle grinder*; *tenon, hack, cross-cut & bow saws*; *5m tape*; *plane*; *surform*; *claw, pin & club hammers*; *three wheelbarrows*; *welding shield*; *snip sheet*; *glasscutter*; and *sets of spanners, g-clamps & screwdrivers*). The office needs a 5G router, our bore-hole pump needs some custom-made security, and the school itself could do with four enormous, double sided, external signs.

The tools only cost an average of £5 / \$6 / €6 / CAD 8 each, but the signs and security will all cost about £250 / \$300 / €300 / CAD 400 for each one.





# How you can help



## Plan a fundraising event to take place before Christmas

Pick some tools from the list and plan an event to raise funds to buy them. It could be a family, school or office event — something like a sponsored car wash, haircut, swim, concert, digital detox, etc; or a sale of cakes, used books, outgrown clothes, rarely-used stuff, etc; or just organise a collection at work, church or school.

To make it easier, we'll provide you with a dedicated fundraising page on our website for your sponsors to use.

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## Send your own gift

Donate whatever you can afford via our website.

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Ask your friends and family to buy Mukwashi a tool as their gift to you this Christmas – or buy a tool for Mukwashi as your gift to your friends and family (we'll supply a neat photo for you to use).

Thank you for doing whatever you can to help us raise **£8,000 / \$9,000 / €9,000 / CAD 13,000 by Christmas**. There will be regular updates on the school's website so you can follow the appeal's progress.

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