

BUNJAKKO ISLAND VOC HIGH SCHOOL

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NON-FINANCIAL REPORT: RICHARD LANDER SCHOOL'S VISIT TO OUR SCHOOL

INTRODUCTION:

We were honoured to host our friends from UK "Richard Lander School" under the leadership of Jenny, Adam, Sally and Teachers at our school from 10/July/2025 to 17/July/2025. During their visit, they engaged in various activities and projects that greatly benefited our students, staff and the community. On behalf of Bunjakko Island Voc. High School, through our lovely Directors Uncle Paul and Aunt Molly, we would like extend our deep and sincere appreciation to the Administration of Richard Lander School, Teachers, Parents and Students for their endless support, love and respect they have given us.

This report highlights the key activities and projects undertaken and supported by Richard Lander School during their visit to Uganda to our school.

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1. Infrastructure Development Projects:

- Girls' Dormitory Construction: A new dormitory is under construction which will provide a safe and comfortable living space for our students.
- Fencing: At least part of the front school perimeter was fenced, enhancing security and safety for everyone on campus.
- Solar installation: Our friends funded the solar installation with two strong Batteries providing enough power to both charging computers/laptops and light for preps at night for learning and teaching activities.
- Renovation of Old Girls' Toilets: The old girls' toilets were renovated, providing a clean, safe and dignified sanitation facility for our female students

2. Donations:

Our friends of Richard Lander School from UK also generously donated various essential items to support our students' learning and well-being.

- Computers. A good number of Laptops were donated to enhance our students' access to technology and digital learning resources.
- Sports Equipment: Sports equipment such as balls of different sports, nets, boots, sports attires and athletic gears were donated to promote physical education and teamwork.
- Food: Non-perishable food items like maize flour and beans were donated to support our school's feeding program and to ensure our students receive meals.

- Clothes: Clothes were donated to support our students' basic needs and promote self-confidence

3. Activities:

Our friends from UK also engaged in various activities which also were of great importance.

- Painting: Our friends helped paint the boys' dormitory and painting behind the main block, creating a vibrant and inspiring learning environment.
- Tree Planting: A good number of trees were planted on the campus and at the guest house promoting environmental conservation and providing shade for future generations
- Furniture making: Like every year, the Richard Lander Students with the help of their teachers involved in making chairs, tables and desks, which helped to provide enough seats for our students at school

4. Teaching and cultural exchange program: The Richard Lander School while at our school participated in teaching. The following areas were handled by Lander students guided by their teachers. Earth rotation and evolution, Exchange rates, Storytelling (English), Science also sharing way of life and customs of their beautiful country UK.

5. Sports and Games: Our friends of Lander participated in sports and games with our students, promoting physical education, teamwork and friendship. They got involved in sports like football, netball, volleyball, Rugby and many others. Our students were trained how to play Rugby and other new sports and games

6. Community Service: Our Lander friends carried out community outreach to needy families under feeding program and also visiting and donating to nearby school of St. Marys Primary School. This has promoted a strong and healthy relationship between our school and the community.

BELOW ARE THE PICTURES USED ELABORATE MORE OF THE ACITIVITIES AND PROJECTS THAT WERE DONE



New Girls' dormitory under Construction.



School fencing



Solar installation



Renovation of Old Girls' toilets



Students with their teachers receiving Laptops



Sports Equipment



Donations



Painting the Boys' Dormitory



Tree planting



More Donations



Making desks, Chairs and Tables



Desks in class



Students' involvement in the construction of the New Girls' dormitory



Community service under feeding program



OUTCOMES AND IMPACT:

The visit by Richard Lander School had a significant impact on our school and community as well.

- **Improved teaching and learning:** Our teachers and students benefited from teaching and learning materials and equipment provided to our school and this will lead to good grades and high degree of performance amongst our students.
- **Enhanced student engagement:** Our students were highly engaged and motivated in every activity and project carried out.
- **Cultural awareness and understanding:** Our students gained valuable insights into UK culture and history, promoting awareness and understanding.
- **Stronger community ties:** Our friends of Richard Lander School, participating in community service programs helped to strengthen ties between our school and the local community.

CONCLUSION:

The visit by our UK friends of Richard Lander School was a resounding success, providing valuable opportunities for cultural exchange and learning, and community engagement. We look forward to continuing our partnership and collaboration with Richard Lander School in the future.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. **Continued collaboration:** recommend continuing our collaboration with Richard Lander School, our friends, exploring new opportunities for cultural exchange, teaching and learning, and community engagement.
2. **Student exchange program:** We recommend exploring opportunities for student exchange programs between our school and Richard Lander School.
3. **Teacher professional development:** We recommend providing opportunities for teacher professional development, including training, workshops and providing more teaching materials and equipment to enhance teaching and learning practices.

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