

AGUTHI Comprehensive School,

Was established in 1967 as a public institution located in Naromoru, Kiamathaga Ward in Kieni East Sub-County in Nyeri County. The school serves learners from Aguthi and parts of Rongai, providing education to a total of 327 learners, Boys -169 and Girls -158 including two with special needs.

The school has 19 teachers, 2 for Early Childhood Development (ECD) and 17 for primary and junior secondary levels. While the school has enough classrooms, many are not in good condition, and essential facilities such as desks and teachers' furniture are insufficient and worn out. Sanitation is also a concern, with toilets in poor condition and ECD latrines located far from the young learners. The school lacks a science laboratory which is critical, and there is a shortage of books, particularly for Grade 4 and 5 learners.

Academically, the school records average performance, with potential for improvement if its key challenges are addressed. The most pressing needs include the construction of a kitchen and dining hall, as the current kitchen is old and dilapidated, forcing learners to eat while seated on the grass. During the rainy season, the school compound becomes muddy, further affecting the learning environment.

There is also a major need for ICT integration. The Competency-Based Curriculum (CBC) requires a high level of technology use. Addressing these needs particularly building a modern kitchen and dining hall, a science laboratory and equipping an ICT room with laptops will create a more conducive learning environment, improve enrollment, and significantly boost academic performance.

