

TGUP Project Summary La Quebradita Community

Playground La Quebradita, Nicaragua



Project Name:

La Quebradita Playground

Project Location:

La Quebradita, located 18 miles from Tipitapa, Nicaragua

NGO Partner: Seeds of Learning

Project Cost:

\$1,337

Needs Assessment:

- The community of La Quebradita does not have any play area for children.
- The playground equipment will be installed next to the new school that TGUP is funding.
- When finished, the playground will be a place for the community to gather and play.



People in La Quebradita live in very poor conditions, in huts made of wood and corrugated metal sheets. The community abuts a rice irrigation channel full of pesticide-polluted water which is where water is currently sourced. Bacterial borne illnesses are common, especially among children, from the dirty river water.

The children go to school in a metal cargo container. There are no latrines nor is there any place for them to play.

TGUP, in partnership with Seeds of Learning (SOL), hopes to build a new 20'x33' classroom, two latrines, a water well and a playground. The new playground will include one set of swings, one slide and a climbing bridge.

The community is contributing 20% of the cost in labor and is willing to do whatever necessary to help.

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