

ALHCS RECEIVES SCIENCE EQUIPMENT DONATION FROM THE KIMDRA SMITH-WEBSTER FOUNDATION



Students with Donated Equipment

The Department of Education is pleased to confirm receipt of a donation of science equipment from the Kimdra Smith-Webster Foundation for use at the Albena Lake-Hodge Comprehensive School (ALHCS).

Better known for its annual scholarship for students seeking to pursue tertiary education (especially in the sciences), the Kimdra Smith-Webster Foundation more broadly supports academic excellence and education as a catalyst for personal and national development. According to Mr. Smith, brother of the Foundation's namesake, Mrs. Kimdra Smith-Webster, the donation was a response to a request from Curriculum Officer

Science, Mr. Winston Duncan, who had completed a detailed needs assessment for the Campus B Science Department. Mr. Smith said, "We believe that this donation will have a positive impact on the students and faculty of the Albena Lake-Hodge Comprehensive School...The total value of the items shipped was USD1,355.00...We are committed to supporting the Science Department whenever it is feasible."

Deputy Principal, Mr. Perry Richardson, expressed thanks on behalf of faculty and students at Campus B, "The lab equipment...provided will significantly enhance the hands-on learning

opportunities for our science students, enabling them to better understand and apply the concepts they are studying. This donation will also aid our teachers in delivering more effective lessons and experiments, fostering a greater passion for science and discovery."

Chief Education Officer, Mr. Bren Romney also expressed pleasure at this donation and encouraged individuals and corporate entities who may be interested in providing donations, to liaise with the Department of Education to ensure donations are best suited to teaching needs and appropriate for students' education.