

Holita's School

2025-2026

Escuela Oficial Rural Mixta JM Caserío XETONOX

Name of community: Xetonox

Name of municipality: San Juan Comalapa

Name of department: Chimaltenango

Location: 14.760288233634837, -90.93653380452064

General description

The community of Xetonox is located 33 minutes from the hotel in Tecpan. The school received a donation of computers a few months ago but they don't have the resources to build a computer lab; required for the use of the computers.

Also, the dirt road that leads to the school is not in good condition and it gets really muddy in the rainy season. Sometimes the kids use a rope to go up the hill.

Goals

- 1. Build a computer lab made out of plastic bottles, cement, sand, cinder blocks and rebar.
- 2. Build the entrance of the school using cement, sand, gravel.

Information of the school

There are currently 201 students in the school (Pre School/Elementary) and 9 teachers. 9 classrooms, all being used. There's also another structure made out of corrugated metal sheets used as a kitchen.

Life in the community

Most of the people in the community live off of agriculture: corn, beans, coffee, strawberries, pumpkin, etc.

People in rural communities of Guatemala make about \$10 a day if they have a job.

Immediate actions

I. Fundraising

Complete the fundraiser and allocate funds to secure construction materials to ensure prices are low.

II. Budget

Complete the budget in the community for the computer lab and entrance of the school.