

Constructing a primary school in Jinkfuin

In this document, I have included some useful information that may help you plan for the project. Based on my own youth experiences in my country and even currently, We Samoans experience poverty and hunger and starvation. The type of buildings and materials used resembles the type of design that I have included which is very feasible. However, I conducted bit of research on issues about funding in particular . The critical point here is that you must remember to show also that the project is social sustainable. Educational Projects are both short and long-term projects and have continuity. This is a great vision for Jinkfuin. Make it worth you while, even if it is slow but the important thing is that you got practically everything you need to operate the school. This is the reason I take a holistic approach. This way perhaps we can work to promote your village world wide and apply for funding from sources such as Africa World Vision, UNESCO, UNDP etc but also work on designing our own fundraising activities where you are if it is possible. Please have a read and see if there is any other thing you want me to look into. If you need help to design further documents such as Project Proposal, Application for Funding, start working on researching potential library books and materials etc let me know. These are merely suggestions you do not have to use them if you do not feel good about them. Good luck and best wishes

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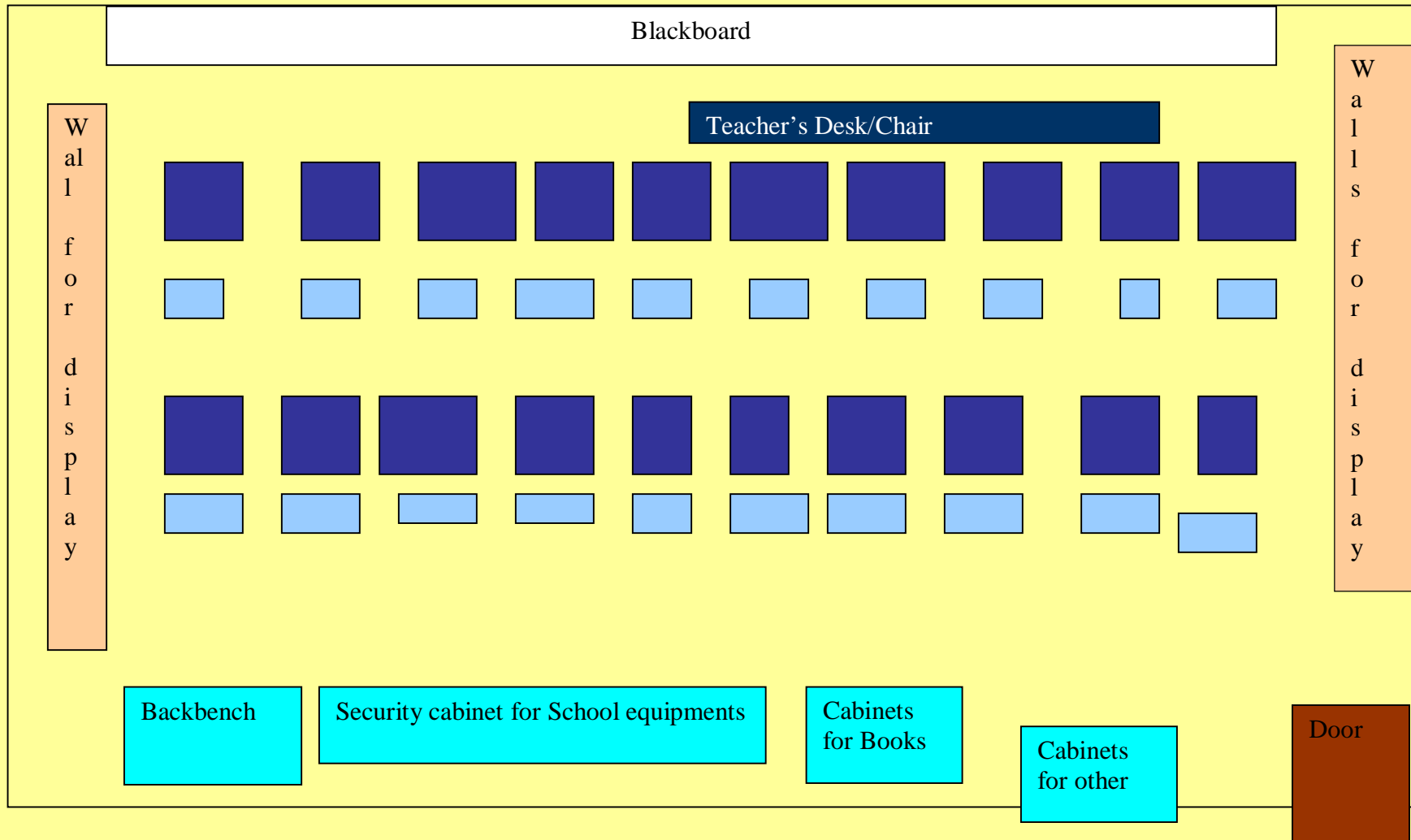


Chart 1: Inside view of a simple primary School (5 rooms to accommodate 40 pupils)

Chart 2: Design Primary School at Jinkfuin

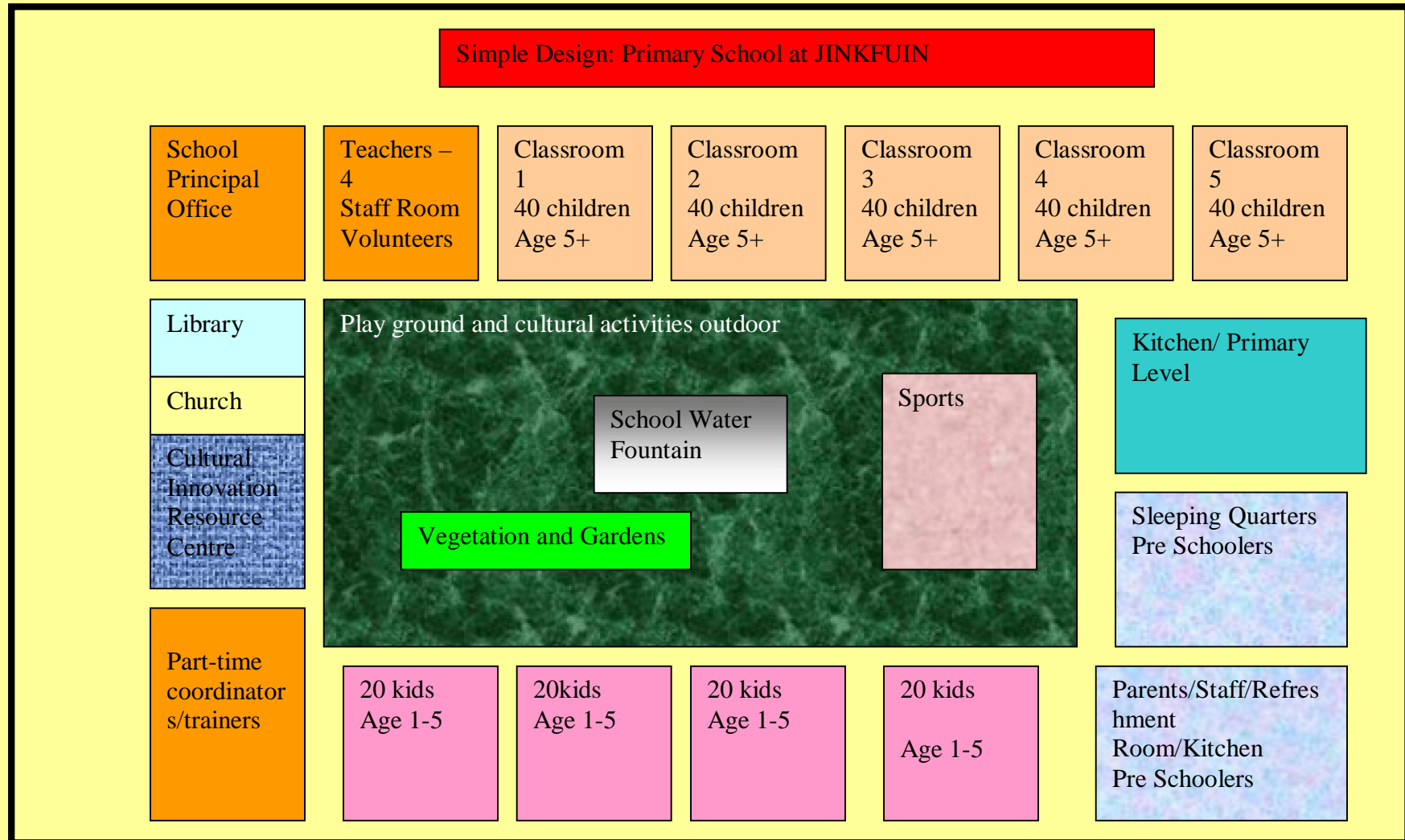


Table 1 Estimation Yearly Operational costs (Example)

<i>Items (Primary school)</i>	<i>School Operational Cost</i>				
	<i>Fix costs (USDF)</i>	<i>Costs (USD)</i>	<i>Total USD</i>	<i>Foreign Exchange</i>	<i>Total (yearly)</i>
Stationery supplies					
exercise books					
pencils					
pens					
printing paper					
printer					
computer 3					
blackboard					
dusters					
salary Head master					
salaries teachers 4					
wages					
volunteer expenses					
part-timer expenses (5 rooms)					
heaters (5 rooms)					
water supply					
electricity supply					
gas supply					
food supply					
Total					

Once we have a fair idea on the things you want to include in the project, particularly the sort of ideas that could show sustainability and enhance growth. Then you will have a fair idea of estimation cost for project material, resources and equipment and resources require. Also, the population prediction plays a vital role in your success. That is the beauty of merging together with the kindly or pre

schoolers whereby all the parents must bring their children to preschool in preparation for their transition to Primary School. Thus the ongoing nature of the education project. This means the Project must realize the continuity of the education system you provide.

The following pictures provides an idea of the construction design of hall, library, church, sleeping and feeding quarters for the 1 to 5 year olds and care givers. Then think of the types of equipments and furniture you would like to include in each room for all types of activities



Primary School, A Samoan Example of a village Primary School Hall.
Funded by UNESCO
Example of a Hall for the School



Can be set up with some tables for village
School activities



Kava Ceremone, Samoan culture in the Hall.
Can Help you make decisions of structure
Church praises can be held in the Hall as well
Can house orphans and those in need.



Inside of a
primary
Classroom.
See design



Women volunteers
preparing food



Children in Classrooms



Children in
Classroom



Early childhood Education Centre. This prepare the little tots with transition to Primary School. Good way to strengthen your funding request
Suggested in the Symbol Design above.

Curriculum & Programme.

Principles.
The curriculum includes all of the activities and events that take place in the Centre. It promotes the physical, intellectual, emotional, social, spiritual and cultural development of young children, and responds to all the needs of the Family/community.

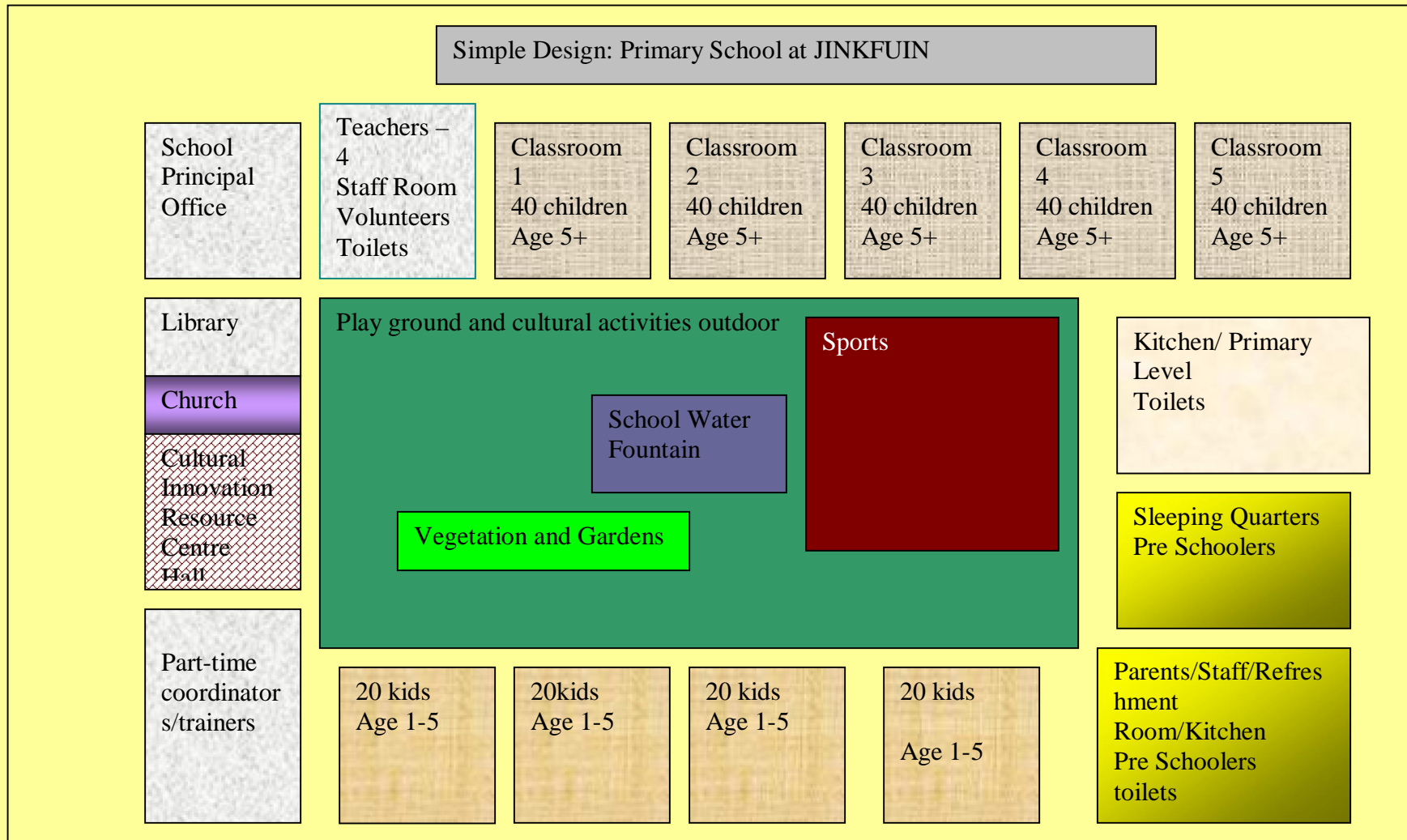
Children can be encouraged to draw pictures, or things they would love to have for flyers and posters that we use can for fundraising.

As for the toilet, Staff toilet 2 for female ,2 for male ,sinks in each to wash hands, Primary toilet (5 for girls, 5 for boys, sink 3 to wash hands with, pre schooller toilets room for (5 toilets for girls, 5toilets for boys, sink to wash hands with, require those rooms. Some fountains outside if possible for the children to drink. Need to install a tank or water reservoir. Rooms for kitchen with tables, chairs and counter to serve food for the children, staff, parents, volunteers. Another fair size room can be designed same format but require desks and shelves and some computers for the children and teachers. The library reading materials can begin from scratch and it takes time. Children, parents and all of you can hold regular meetings to discuss how to write stories, and pictures, cultural materials, and many more including educational books from external. The important thing is to have a room include in the project. Then you can also have another room big enough for the children to go for prayers and the parents and community too. When I was in primary and secondary school in Samoa, we did a lot of fundraising because the church could not afford.

We earn dances and our parents donate cook food or what ever they can . We then dance and the community donates money and the catholic nuns use the money to build and renovate school buildings. We run school bazaars were all used items we do not need, we wrap them up and sell them from 50cents to 10 dollars depending on the item.

Having done all these we can then work on the project resources: Here is an easy way to help list the materials then give them estimation prices. The Chart below provides a list of all the buildings included in the project. Under each Room list all the materials required to build the room with and price them then list all materials, .furniture, equipments, etch you want to set up in the room and price them.

Principal office	Teachers (4) office Volunteer	Primary Classroom 1	Primary classroom 2	Primary Classroom 3
Primary Classroom 4	Primary Classroom 5	Library	Church	Hall Cultural Centre
Part timers office	Kitchen Primary	Toilets Staff	Toilets Primary	Toilets Kindies
Sleeping quarters Kindies	Activity room 1 preeducation	Activity room 2	Activity room 3	Activity room 4
Sleeping quarters preschoolers	Parents /Staff/ Preschoolers Hall for Refreshments/Ketichen	School Water Fountain	Vegetation and gardening	Sports ground



Project Estimation Cost/require together with the Application for Funding.

Project Resources	No required for each item	Cost per item	Total cost
1 Principal Office			
List all the items and costs you have listed in the above list			
Total			
2 Teachers and Staff			
List the items			
Total			
3. Classroom 1 Primary			
List items and			
4. Classroom 2			
Keep doing this until you got them all on the Estimation Chart			
Total them			
Etc.			