

NEPAL Literacy Project
“The World in a Box”

Nepal Borders India & China(Tibet)

Mt. Everest along with many Himalayan Peak are in Nepal
Nepal is the poorest country in Asia and 43rd in the World*

*Data provided IMF & World Bank







My Journey in Nepal

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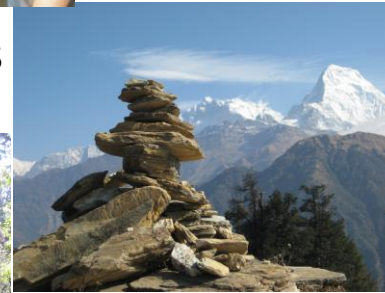
Peace Corps _____
Volunteer in Village



Bucket List for
Lee&Linda
Much was unchanged in 40 Years

2011

Group of 4 _____
Start of School Bld



Chandrawati Secondary School, Nepal
Building Completed June 2019

2015

2019



2022

Group of 6 _____
Final Cons't 1st School Building

2023

2nd School Building Completed October _____
Delivery of Looma Box to School _____





1975



2011



Many international organizations are working to help.

Necessities like water and sanitation in both urban and rural area are lacking.



School



School Buildings Constructed with Locally Raised Funds



Bringing crayons, notebooks and children's books to Primary School





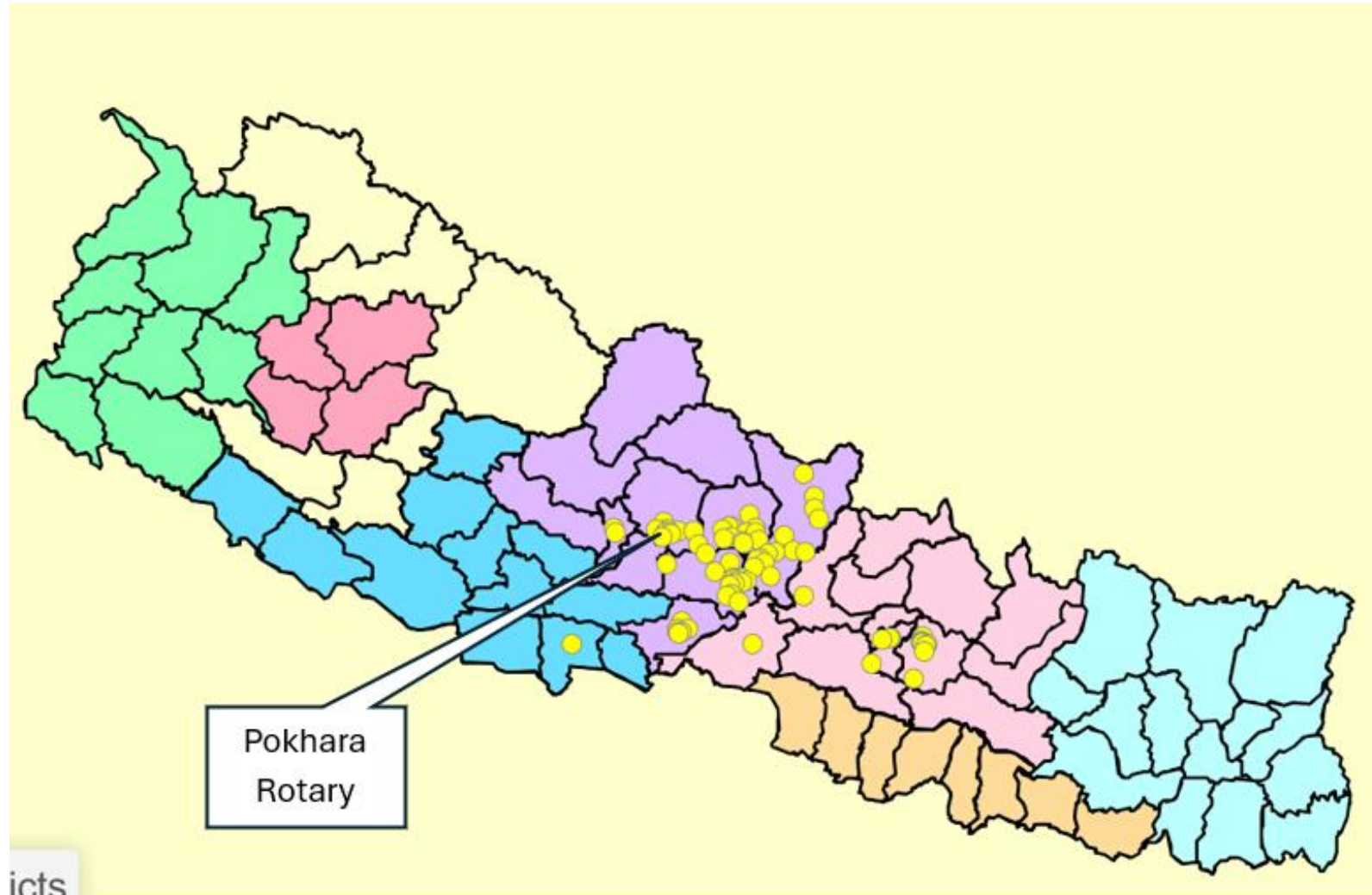
Rotary Literacy Project Rolls Out Looma Education in Western Nepal

Looma Education recently completed five two-day trainings, accompanied by distribution of 35 Looma machines, to government schools in Gorkha, Lamjung, Kaski, Tanahun, Parbat and Baglung Districts of Nepal. One hundred and forty teachers and students attended. Rotary Clubs from Pokhara and Woodside-Portola Valley in California teamed up to fund and facilitate the Looma project.

Source: Friends of Nepal - April, 2023



Looma Box School Distribution Map



Looma's vision is that by having Clusters of User Schools, Teachers can create their local support networks

Fund Looma Program in Rural Nepali Schools

- **Goal:** Support Rotary Global Grant
- **Impact:** Increase literacy and technology skills for students in rural Nepal.

Rotary Literacy Project Nepal 26-28 (RLPN)

A small step for Rotary ~ A giant leap for Nepal's students

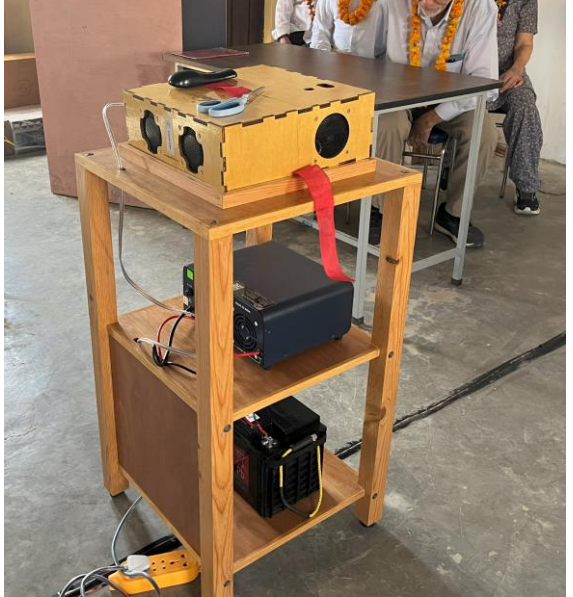
GG number: GG2690530
Type: A Humanitarian Project in Education and Literacy
Project location: [Nepal](#)
RC Host: RC of Pokhara, Nepal
RC International: RC of Woodside/Portola Valley
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\$20k from
Clubs
Nationwide

Total Cost:

The goal is to cover the \$175,500 cost with DDF \$30K from 5150 & clubs, and \$20K from other Districts and clubs, \$10K cash from local clubs, \$40K from the World Fund, \$25.5K from Rose Stone, and \$50K from Nepal's palikas. Excess donations will be applied to further Lead Schools.

November 2023 Looma Distributes 10 Boxes to Bandipur Cluster





**Low Energy LED
Projector with sound
and over 10,000
Learning Lessons stored**

How it works

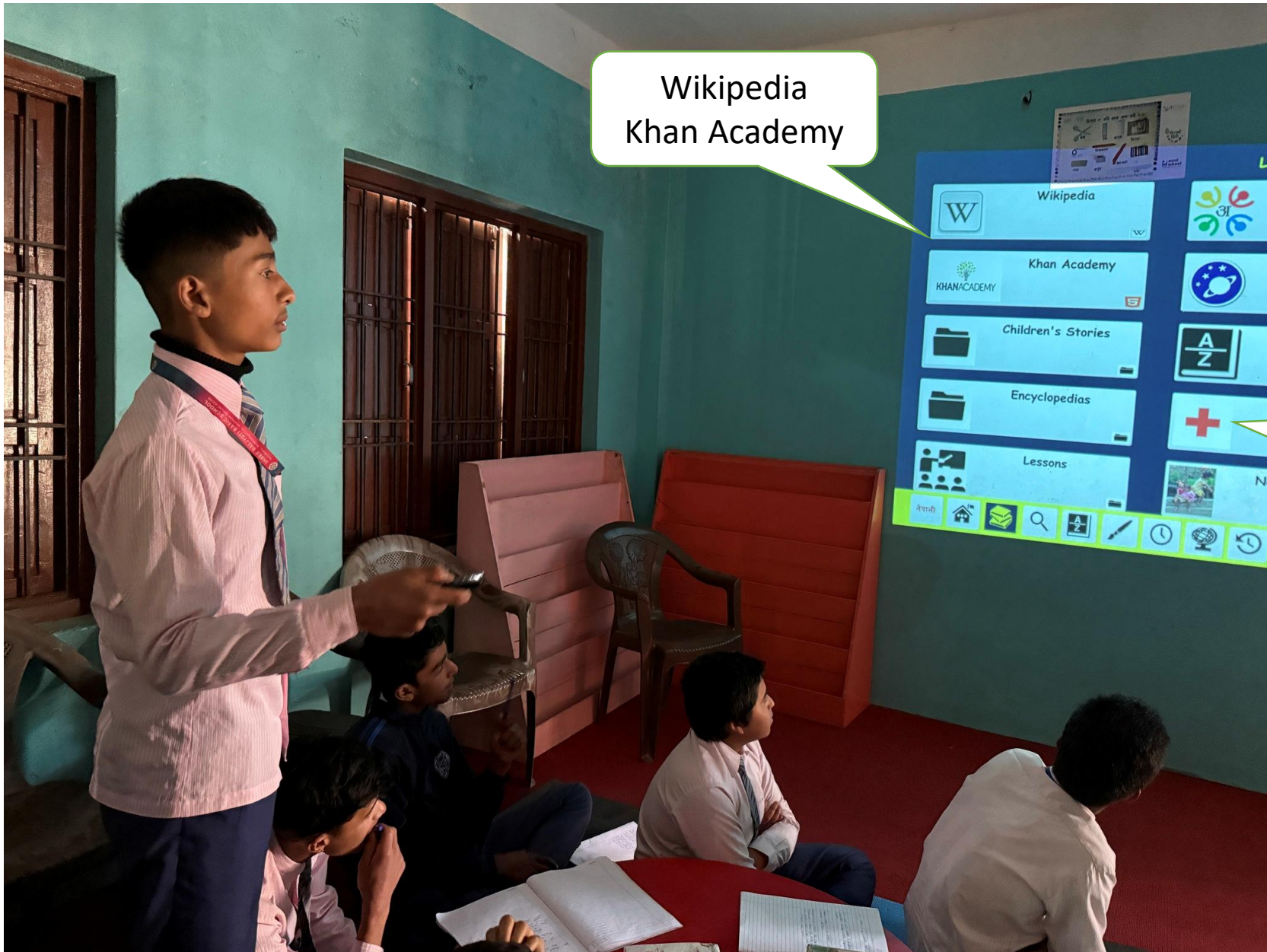


8th Grade Science Sample

Grade 8 Science					
Textbook Chapters	Lesson	Resources	पाठब पुस्तक अध्यायहरू	पाठ	स्रोतहरू
Measurement	Lesson	Resources	नाप	पाठ	स्रोतहरू
Velocity and Acceleration	Lesson	Resources	गति र प्रवेग	पाठ	स्रोतहरू
Simple Machine	Lesson	Resources	सरल यन्त्र	पाठ	स्रोतहरू
Pressure	Lesson	Resources	चाप		
Work, Energy and Power		Resources	शक्ति, कार्य र सामर्थ्य		
Heat		Resources	ताप		
Light	Lesson	Resources			

Resources: Grade 8 Science "Measurement"

HOW ARE ATOMS?	How Small Is An Atom?	Intro To The Big Bang	Keeling Measures CO2
The Big Bang	8501 Measurement	Beer's Law Lab	Beer's Law Lab
Beer's Law Lab Guide	Gravity and Orbits	Gravity and Orbits Guide	Gravity and Orbits
Gravity Force Lab Basics	Gravity Force Lab Basics Guide	Molecules and Light	Molecules and Light
Molecules and Light Guide	Ohm's Law	Ohm's Law Guide	Ohm's Law Guide



Wikipedia
Khan Academy

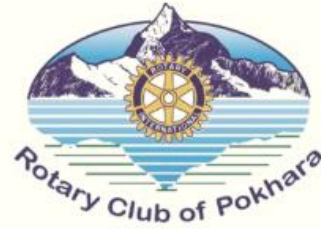
Other
Resources
included in
Boxes

Rural Medical

Recent Use of Boxes



Partner Organizations



NAMASTE
children's fund



Why Peace Corps?



Nepal

Projects in Nepal

Peace Corps in Nepal

Current Nepal Peace Corps



Helping Kids Around the World



How to Help

- Donate to:
 - Looma Education or Rotary
100% goes to school

We are finding many corporations have Looma Education as a matching share partner

- Questions
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• *THE END*

• *or as the People in Nepal Say...*

• *NAMASTE*

• *(the God in Me Greets the God in You)*