

# Secretary's Stakeholders Brunch

Quality Education Through Collaboration & Commitment  
Vision Blueprint Booklet



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# SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

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**Assemblyman Zorisha Hackett**  
Secretary of Education, Research & Technology

*Esteemed Guests,*

*I am delighted to welcome you to the Secretary's Stakeholder's Brunch, a significant opportunity for us to come together, share ideas, and explore how we can collaboratively enhance the educational experience for our students across Tobago.*

# OUR GOAL

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The goal of the Secretary's Stakeholder's Brunch is to build and nurture connections between the Corporate sector and our Educational institutions.



Through open dialogue and collaboration, we hope to explore new ways to enhance the learning experience for our students, helping them develop the skills they need for the future. This event is designed to be a platform where we can share ideas, align our efforts, and create meaningful initiatives that benefit both our schools and the wider community.





# PROJECTS

## EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE & EDUCATION CENTRES



Nestled in the heart of Les Coteaux, a village celebrated for its rich cultural diversity, a vibrant **Visual & Performing Arts Room** is a cornerstone of creative learning. This dedicated space encourages students to explore their creativity and self-expression through art, music, drama, and dance. It provides a supportive environment where they develop essential life skills, build confidence, and forge a deeper connection to their cultural heritage, enriching their education and fostering personal growth.

**Tablepiece Government Primary School**  
Visual and Performing Arts Room - TT\$150,000



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



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## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



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**A modern, well-equipped lab** fosters curiosity and hands-on learning, enabling students to explore scientific concepts in an engaging and interactive environment. By providing access to up-to-date technology and resources, the lab enhances students' critical thinking, problem-solving skills, and creativity, laying a strong foundation for their academic journey. It also cultivates a love for STEM subjects, preparing students for future opportunities in an increasingly tech-driven world.

**Scarborough Roman Catholic School**  
*InnovateLab: Igniting Young Minds - TT\$135,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



An **enhanced school facility**, including a **redesigned library with digital resources**, an **upgraded computer room with modern equipment**, and **improved mathematical resources with interactive tools and teacher training** create a more engaging and effective learning environment, directly benefiting students' education and future success.

**Speyside Anglican School**  
*Modernisation of Learning Facilities - TT\$250,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**Additional space** to enhance the learning environment and support the growth of cultural programmes. This expansion provides proper storage for steel drums, preserving these valuable instruments and allowing the music program to grow. More students have the opportunity to engage with the cultural heritage, enriching their educational experience and fostering a deeper appreciation for our traditions.

**Parlatuvier Anglican Primary School**  
Storage & Musical Instrument Project - TT\$175,000



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



The **Pitch Perfect programme** engages students aged 5-12 in music, fostering cognitive development, creativity, and social interaction. It aims to positively influence student behavior and academic performance by cultivating musical skills, enhancing focus and concentration, and promoting teamwork through age-specific activities and sessions. The programme instills a lifelong love for music in students, enriching their educational experience.

**Plymouth Anglican Primary School**  
*Pitch Perfect Programme - TT\$175,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



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**Upgrading the Computer room** is essential in this post-pandemic world to ensure students have access to modern technology and digital literacy skills, preparing them for future success. This investment can also generate income by offering after-school programs, adult education courses, and community workshops, creating a sustainable revenue stream that supports broader educational initiatives.

**Patience Hill Government Primary School**  
*Computer Lab Upgrade - TT\$95,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**Copy room essentials** efficiently manage administrative tasks and support the educational process. These tools are vital for producing teaching materials, handling student records, and ensuring secure document disposal. Investing in these essentials streamlines daily operations, allowing teachers and staff to focus on providing a quality education.

**Delaford Anglican School**  
Copy Room Essentials - TT\$50,000



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## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**The School Library Project** is crucial for fostering a love of reading and enhancing students' academic achievement. A well-resourced library serves as a hub for learning, providing access to a wide range of books, digital resources, and quiet study spaces. It supports literacy development, critical thinking, and research skills, all of which are essential for student success in today's information-rich world.

**Mt. St. George Methodist Primary School**  
School Library Proposal - TT\$130,000



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**Computer room equipment** is essential for equipping students with the digital literacy skills they need to thrive in today's technology-driven world. Early exposure to computers enhances learning by providing interactive educational tools, fostering creativity, and developing problem-solving abilities. By integrating technology into the curriculum, we create a dynamic learning environment that engages students, supports diverse learning styles, and lays the foundation for their future success.

**Charlotteville Methodist Primary School**  
*Computer Room Equipment Proposal - TT\$130,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



The Installation of a **smart classroom** enhances student engagement and personalized learning by integrating cutting-edge technology into the educational environment. It allows for more effective teaching, caters to diverse learning styles, and prepares students for a future where digital skills are essential, ensuring a modern and dynamic education.

**Scarborough Methodist Primary School**  
*Smart Classroom Proposal - TT\$130,000*



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# PROJECTS

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS



**A literacy and numeracy programme** is essential for developing foundational skills in reading, writing, and math, which are crucial for academic success and future participation in society. Investing in this program ensures that students gain the competencies needed for lifelong learning and achievement.

**Goodwood Methodist Primary School**  
*Literacy & Numeracy Programme - TT\$50,000*



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# PROJECTS

## SPECIAL NEEDS SCHOOLS



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**Goodwood Methodist Primary School**  
*Literacy & Numeracy Programme - TT\$50,000*



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



The introduction of **smart boards in classrooms** provide **interactive teaching methods** that make math more accessible and engaging. This technology enhances understanding through visual aids, real-time problem-solving, and active participation, catering to different learning styles and improving student retention while greatly enhancing students' learning experiences.

**Signal Hill Secondary School**  
Smart Board Technology - TT\$130,000



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



Essential **workshops and resources**, including training for special needs and social-emotional learning, along with **modern technology and a revamped library** to greatly enhance teacher effectiveness. These tools help create a more inclusive and responsive learning environment, allowing educators to better meet diverse student needs and improve overall educational outcomes.

**Scarborough Secondary School**  
Classroom Environmental Changes- TT\$605,000



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



To improve literacy the implementation of a **literacy app** and establishment of a Breakfast Literacy and Enrichment Centre should be undertaken. This initiative will deliver personalized learning experiences through the app and offer a supportive environment with nutritious meals. These efforts are expected to significantly raise English pass rates, enhance student confidence, and cultivate a lasting enthusiasm for learning.

**Goodwood Secondary School**  
Soul Food-School Literacy & Enrichment Project- TT\$686,000



# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



This transformative project designed to elevate Bishop's High School into a **world-class educational institution** by **installing smart televisions** and **air-conditioning units** in every classroom. The goal is to create an optimal learning environment that fosters holistic student development and excellence. By integrating cutting-edge technology and enhancing classroom comfort to significantly boost student engagement, enhance teacher effectiveness, and improve punctuality.

**Bishop's High School, Tobago**  
World Class Educational Institution Project- TT\$686,000



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



**Integrating technology into the learning process**, making lessons more engaging and interactive, which can motivate students and enhance their understanding of complex subjects. iLIT adapts to individual learning styles and paces, providing personalized support to help students master key concepts. This program aims to reignite a passion for learning, making education more relevant and effective for today's students.

**Harmon School of Seventh-Day Adventists**

iLIT: *Interactive Technology in Classrooms*- TT\$390,000



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



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Enhancing student engagement through a range of targeted strategies designed to create **an interactive and stimulating educational environment**. Key elements include the implementation of active learning techniques in classrooms, integration of interactive technology tools and platforms, and the promotion of extracurricular activities like clubs.

**Pentecostal Light & Life Foundation High School**  
*Increased Student Engagement Project - TT\$95,000*



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# PROJECTS

## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



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A project developed to **improve the academic performance of athletes** ensuring success in both education and sports. It includes a **24/7 virtual learning platform**, academic support staff, and collaboration among key stakeholders, along with additional peer mentorship and business partnerships. The goal is to provide a well-rounded educational experience for all students.

**Roxborough Secondary School**  
*Academic Success for Student Athletes - TT\$140,000*



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## SECONDARY SCHOOLS



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An initiative aimed at improving student behavior and addressing school overpopulation by **extending the learning environment outdoors**. Creating green spaces for reading and group discussions, the project encourages social interaction, environmental awareness, and enhances academic performance. It also promotes community engagement and sustainability while fostering rich environmental themes and academic subjects.

### Speyside High School

*Eco-Oasis: Creating Green Minds and Spaces - TT\$140,000*



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# PROJECTS

## DERTECH



A **Tobago-centric curriculum** will empower students with a deep understanding of their cultural heritage, history, and environment. This tailored curriculum will foster a strong sense of identity and pride, while also equipping students with knowledge and skills relevant to their local context. By integrating Tobago's unique culture and experiences into education, we will cultivate well-rounded individuals who are better prepared to contribute to their community and preserve the island's rich legacy for future generations.

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Tobago Centric Curriculum - TT\$200,000



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# PROJECTS

## DERTECH



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**Project IMPACT (Inspiring Matriculation through Performance Assessment and Curriculum Transformation)** revolutionises education by aligning assessment methods with modern curriculum standards. This initiative intends to inspire students to excel by creating a more dynamic and engaging learning environment, where performance-based assessments are tailored to individual strengths and needs. Ultimately, this project is expected to drive higher matriculation rates and foster a culture of continuous improvement in education.

**Division of Education, Research & Technology**  
*Project IMPACT - TT\$900,000*



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# PROJECTS

## DERTECH



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This Project



The introduction of an **Online Learning Policy** in Tobago's schools will enhance education by providing flexible, resource-rich learning environments. It will bridge geographical barriers, support continuous learning during disruptions, and prepare students for a technology-driven future.

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*Online Learning Policy - TT\$228,000*



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# PROJECTS

## DERTECH



The relocation and enhancement of the **Education District Health Unit** to strengthen the ability to monitor and evaluate critical health initiatives. A review of the **School Nutrition Programme**, can also help the school to better assess and meet the nutritional needs of students, ensuring they receive balanced meals that support their growth and learning. Additionally, creating school environments that promote physical activity and healthy eating foster a culture of wellness, leading to improved health outcomes and academic performance.

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Nutrition Policy - TT\$800,000



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