









PROJECT SHEET

PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

The objective of the project is to support the reconstruction of school infrastructure in Haiti, expanding access to quality pre-school and basic education by providing superior education facilities. The project responds to the Education

Plan prepared by the Presidential Commission on Education and endorsed by the IHRC on August 17, 2010. The plan combines the reconstruction of educational infrastructure with lasting reforms of system management and accountability.

Specifically, the plan aims to improve the quality and safety of school infrastructure by: (i) constructing new "basic schools"; (ii) creating an institutional body to develop and enforce uniform building standards and construction codes; (iii) ensuring regular maintenance of school buildings; and (iv) introducing computer and information technology into schools as well as the Ministry of Education.

Targeted thematic Outcomes%

Education

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MORE INFORMATION AT: IDB's website (forthcoming)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name: <u>Reconstruction of Haiti's Education Sector</u> Amount: US\$10 Million Sources: IDB (US\$50 M) Approval date: December 15, 2010 Sector: Education Partner entity: IDB Implementing agency: Social and Economic Investment Fund (FAES)

DESCRIPTION

Program Objective: The objective is to support the reconstruction of school infrastructure in Haiti, expanding access to quality pre-school and basic education by providing superior education facilities.

The Program has two components:

Component 1. School Construction – the component will finance the construction of 12 basic schools in communities that currently have no school. Each school will have nine classrooms, one preschool, sporting grounds, systems for sewage, electricity, potable water and water tank, safety, a school kitchen, bathrooms, office building, and a security guard room.

Component 2. Furniture, Equipment and Didactic Material – the component will finance furniture, equipment and didactic material. All classrooms and the school administrative building will be equipped with cupboards as well as desks and chairs for students, teachers and school administrators. The school canteen will be equipped with furniture and kitchen utensils.

Expected results: Each school will serve 450 primary students and 50 pre-school children for a total of 6000 beneficiaries