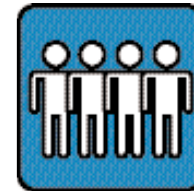


# Computers for Schools Kenya



In Scotland, Students at Kelso High School are aiming to send a container full of PC's and other IT equipment to Kenya. Having received a large part of the grant from Lloyd's TSB at the World Youth Congress, the students carried out sponsored activities, ran social vents, and packed bags in supermarkets to raise the remainder. Links have been forged with other schools in the Borders who wish to join in the container event. The group hopes to send a container to Kenya in early September.



In Kenya, in preparation for the arrival of the container, an NGO called Computers for Schools Kenya (KCFK) has agreed to undertake the distribution of the computers to various schools and carry out the ongoing servicing of the equipment. The receiving schools are required to raise a nominal sum to pay for the annual services.



Members of staff within the schools are being trained in basic computer management to enable them to problem solve and minimise the number of call outs to KCFK. Where there are no qualified computer teachers in the schools, training is being provided so each school has at least one member of staff qualified to teach computer skills.

