

# SPOTLIGHT NEWS



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## OUR FIRST IT GRADUATES

The photo below is of the first set of graduates from the new IT Centre who have all completed the Certificate Course.



And it's not just the graduates who are thankful for the new IT Centre. The children at Musoto Christian School wrote a poem to share their thoughts and gratitude. You can watch their heart-warming performance in this video on our Facebook page.

<https://tinyurl.com/SpotlightICTvideo>



## National ICT Job Fair

In October we took part in The National ICT Job Fair, having been invited to exhibit there. It looks at addressing youth unemployment through the ICT sector.



Spotlight is run entirely by volunteers, so over 95p of every £1 you donate goes directly to our projects in Uganda.

With Gift Aid, this increases to over £1.21!

# FORGING LINKS - TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES

## SECONDARY SCHOOL UPDATE

The scene below is from the Opening Ceremony of the Administration Centre on the Secondary School site. In this building there will be offices for the Head Teacher, Deputy Head Teacher, Dean of Studies, Bursar and School Secretary. It will also house a Staff Room for the Teachers and is the keystone building on entrance to the site.



The Classroom Block is now very much our focus. This is a photo taken from the first floor of the construction showing the structural engineers who visited the site to carry out an inspection. The building will contain 2 science labs and 8 classrooms. Adjoining rooms on the ground floor and first floor will have the ability to open up into two large exam halls.

The walls for the Classroom Block are made up of the Interlocking Stabilised Soil Blocks (ISSBs) we told you about last month.

We have now made 20,000 of these eco-friendly blocks, shown below in storage, all ready to be placed within the structure.



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## PLAYGROUND VIDEO

CAUKIN Studio who designed and built the new playground at Musto Christian School have put together this amazing video on Instagram documenting its progress from start to finish. It's fantastic to see everyone working on the project together. The delight on the children's faces when they finally get to play on the equipment is just wonderful.

<https://tinyurl.com/MCSplaygroundvideo>



## IMMUNISATIONS

Our Community Health Promoters have been busy working in their local communities immunising children under the age of 5 as part of our outreach programme that supports over 5,000 infants every year.

Also in October, the Health Clinic was visited by a team from the Ministry of Health - including the Assistant City Health Officer - and staff from USAID. You can read more about our health work on our website:

<https://www.spotlightonafrika.co.uk/health>



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