Schools as hotspot
for safe water and improved sanitation

General objective is to bring safe water and improved sanitation to 10 schools. By actively engaging teachers and students in all aspects of the project, this project aims to make schools a knowledge “hotspot” for water and sanitation, having a positive effect on the society as a whole.

Targeted community of 4142 persons in 10 schools, 5000 directly concerned persons around schools and 25 000 persons indirectly reached.

Specific objectives
(1) Improve drinking water supply
- Develop sources; safe drinking water installations
(2) Build sanitary installations and composting units
- Improved compost-latrines; hand washing places; vegetable gardens
(3) Monitor hygiene
- From simple physicochemical and biological indicators; permanent evaluation system
(4) Improve water management
- Water management in schools and within a radius of 500 m; construction of bio-physical water conservation (radius of 2 km)
(5) Education and participation
- Training of trainees; teaching and communication tools; training technical staff; participatory management based on the involvement of school children
(6) Sensibilisation
- Information, awareness rising, “open school” days
(7) Project management
- With and within the Woreda administration

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