

Changing children's life through better access to education

Fresenius Kabi employees from China donate a multimedia classroom to Gezan Primary School
At Fresenius Kabi we believe education is a key to a better future. We understand it as our responsibility to serve communities by supporting social initiatives worldwide.

A current example

The Gezan Primary school, located in China, is situated in a remote village of Shangri-La in Yunnan Province, close to Tibet. Gezan Primary School was built by the local government on the same site as the Fresenius Kabi Mandarin-Tibetan School, which was established by Fresenius Kabi in 2005. Unfortunately, the school was destroyed by a severe earthquake in 2008.

Although the Gezan Primary School's campus features several new buildings it still lacks adequate educational equipment and software. For this reason Fresenius Kabi donated 30 computers for a new and fully equipped multimedia classroom, now renamed as the "Fresenius Kabi Caring for Life Center". Moreover we contributed school and reading books, writing materials, children's clothes and vital items to help the students in need.

The donation program began in August 2014 with a three-day drive collecting donations from employees. Afterwards, the volunteers started preparing the journey to Shangri-La, as Fresenius Kabi wanted to deliver the donations to the Gezan Primary school personally. A team of seven colleagues from different departments at Fresenius Kabi China visited the school at the end of August.

A lot of the families in Shangri-La are living under difficult conditions. With the donation Fresenius Kabi wants to support students to have the same opportunities and educational tools as children elsewhere. The visit was completed by a small donation ceremony that was held on the first day of the new school semester. Fresenius Kabi China plans to continue supporting the Gezan Primary School and its students and keep the Fresenius Kabi Caring for Life Center running properly.



Ilustración 1 Gezan Primary School's students in Shangri-La painted a poster at the donation ceremony for the new Fresenius Kabi Caring for Life Center