

Alliance High School Chapel Project FAQs

Why does the school need a new chapel?

The current chapel has been in use since 1966, there were only 422 students in the school then. It was designed to accommodate a maximum number of 800 people as opposed to the current student population of 1650. It has had to undergo modifications to accommodate the growing number of students - It has a "mabati' structure at entrance which serves as an extension of the chapel. On top of that it's in a dilapidated state because of its age and day—to—day use.

How much is needed to construct the new chapel?

We require ksh. 200 million to fully complete the project.

Is the ksh. 200 million just for construction of the chapel?

The ksh. 200 million will cater for the whole project inclusive of furniture and the public-address system.

What is the sitting capacity of the chapel

The proposed chapel, an architectural masterpiece, will comfortably accommodate 4400 people inside and an additional 500 people in the amphitheater.

Who designed the new chapel?

It was designed by architects Eric Kamau, Aggrey Maganga and Dr. Noel J.O. Okello.

How long will it take for the chapel to be commissioned for use?

There are two major timelines in this project: fundraising and construction. Fundraising is estimated to take between 18 months and 24 months. Construction is estimated to take between a year and 18 months. The chapel has a lifespan of 50 years.

Will it only be used for religious activities?

The chapel will be a multi – purpose hall that will serve as the main school meeting point and will also be used as a conference facility, open to the public.

What are the donation options?

- Monetary
- Bid for your brick base is kshs. 1000
- In kind i.e. cement.
- Legacy donations.
- Estate donations.

Can I make a pledge?

Yes, we have three pledging options:

Quarterly option – sign up and get reminders every three months.

Monthly option – sign up and get reminders every month.

Custom Option – create your own plan and get reminders when payments are due.

Will I get honored for my contribution?

Yes. We have classified donors into various categories. Those who will contribute through the bid for your brick channel will receive a certificate for their donation. Classes/clusters that surpass their allocated target will be featured either in the Hollywood-like Alliance High School walk of fame or on a board. Alums and corporates who surpass the amounts below will be featured in the corresponding boards.

Amount	Level
Above 5 Million	Elite
5 Million	Platinum
3 Million	Gold
1 Million	Silver
500,000	Bronze

What if I don't want to be publicly honored?

Upon request we can accept your donation without publicly honoring you.

Can I track how money is spent in this project?

Yes, the project is built on integrity. To ensure that every penny is spent wisely three different boards have come together to ensure transparency and accountability: Board of management, Parents Teachers Association and the old boys club. You may contact the school for a follow up on how the funds are spent.

Where can I get more information about this project?

Information about this chapel project is available on the school website: http://alliancehighschool.sc.ke/. You can also contact the OBC Secretariat via the contact information below.

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