

# Turn on a Tap



With clean drinking water from your **Handpump**, students get sick less often, so they miss less school ... and have the best start in life with a quality education!



Your Gift of Grace delivered in:  
Nepal



<p><b>What you give</b></p>	<p><b>You help provide a handpump for a school</b> Your Pump includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Raised plinth to make it flood-resilient</li> <li>• Disability-friendly design, including no steps</li> <li>• Sidebars for safety of children</li> </ul>
<p><b>Why your help is needed</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mountain springs and creeks in the hills which provide water for drinking and irrigation have now started drying up</li> <li>• This is a new challenge for communities who are already very vulnerable to drought, extreme cold, floods, landslides, and more</li> <li>• The changing climate is also creating other problems - like lower yield from farming leading to lack of food</li> <li>• If schools don't have a water pump, children must leave school to get a drink. This has a significant impact on their education</li> <li>• What's more, 29% of school-aged children are not yet in school</li> </ul>
<p><b>How your gift changes lives</b></p>	<p>Your <b>Handpump</b> means students have clean drinking water at school ...so students don't need to leave ...which means their learning isn't disrupted ...PLUS with safe, clean water they are sick less often ...so they can attend school more regularly ...and have the best chance of breaking free of poverty for good!</p>



Through ALWS, you care for the most marginalised communities, including Dalit, indigenous, landless, and ethnic minorities. Your gift shows extra care to those in danger of being forgotten.

# CASE STUDY

## Shree Janta School

**Where:** Aamtola

**Principal:** Umesh Kumar Pandit

**Students:** 381 (185 boys, 196 girls)

**Teachers:** 17 (5 women, 12 men)

**Grades:** Playgroup to Grade 10

**Number of water pumps at school:** 1

**Problem:** not enough drinking water

**Local partner:** Lutheran Community Welfare Society in partnership with LWF Nepal

**Solution:**

- local partner visited school to assess
- agreed second pump required
- installed pump

*“Students now have access to clean, fresh water without needing to leave school grounds.*

*This has led to better attendance and overall satisfaction among students and staff, who are all thankful for the support.”*

Principal Umesh



### How your gift grows

The great thing about your gift is it keeps on giving for many years!



Through ALWS, you support people to **keep on growing**. Along with your tailor training, you also empower women in Nepal with other ways to make a living, like weaving, spice production, and chicken-raising.



ALWS supports a **community-based empowerment approach**. This means giving people the training and support to make their own decisions about the development in their community. In this way, they grow the confidence needed to become self-sufficient.

Fast Facts	Nepal	Australia
Human Development Index* (193 countries measured)	146	10
Life expectancy at birth	70 years	84 years
Mean years of schooling	4.5 years	12.7 years

\*HDI is a summary across three basic dimensions of human development: a long and healthy life, access to knowledge and a decent standard of living.