



PAMBE GHANA

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Report on Steve, John, and Amy's Visit to LLC

From March 2nd to 3rd, 2026, LLC had the honor of hosting three distinguished visitors—Steve, followed by John and Amy. Their two-day engagement was rich and impactful, leaving lasting impressions on both staff and learners. During their stay, they toured classrooms and explored all major facilities of the school, including the kitchen, the Biogas facility, the WASH project, teachers' quarters, ICT center, and the library. Their presence brought excitement and encouragement to the learners. Beyond the school grounds, the team extended their outreach to the wider community. They paid a courtesy call on the Bunboazio community chief and his elders, interacted with past students currently in Senior High School who were on vacation, and held discussions with staff members. They also visited the Ghana Education Service (GES), the Advisory Council chairman in his residence at Nalerigu, the alleged witches' camp in Gambaga, and the chief of Gambaga.

A particularly memorable moment occurred at LLC when two learners, representing the entire student body, delivered a heartfelt appreciation message on behalf of their colleagues. This gesture symbolized the gratitude of the students and underscored the importance of the visit in motivating them to strive for excellence.

Report On Laptop Procurement For LLC

On 18th February 2026, all seventeen laptops ordered for LLC successfully arrived in Langbinsi. Upon careful assessment, each device was found to be in excellent working condition. The laptops have since been installed in the ICT laboratory, where learners are actively using them to enhance their digital skills and practice essential ICT applications.

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In addition to the new laptops, all previously existing laptops in the laboratory have been thoroughly cleaned, windows updated and prepared for distribution. Out of the 34 cleaned laptops, 9 will be added to the 17 newly purchased laptops, making a total of 26 laptops for the ICT laboratory. The remaining 8 will be allocated to classrooms for teachers' research work and other learning activities that do not require students to visit the ICT laboratory. 1 laptop will be offered to headteacher for her administrative works at LLC. Some of the remaining 16 laptops will be allocated to our students currently pursuing tertiary education, ensuring they remain equipped with the necessary tools to support their academic journey. Following discussions with the students, a date has been scheduled—13th March 2026—for them to visit the office and formally receive the cleaned laptops.

Update on Milburn Grant

I am pleased to report to the Board that significant progress has been made under the Milburn Grant projects. All classrooms at LLC have now been fitted with ceiling fans, ensuring a more comfortable learning environment for both learners and teachers. In addition, every classroom has been ceiled, with bulbs installed both inside and outside to improve lighting and safety across the school compound.

The painting of the ceilings is currently underway and is expected to be completed by 17th March 2026.

SOLAR INSTALLATION AND POWER UPDATE

Furthermore, the solar installation team is scheduled to arrive at LLC on 16th March 2026. This upgrade is particularly important because the recent installation of ceiling fans and additional bulbs has increased the electrical load on the already existing inverter and battery system. As a result, we have occasionally experienced power interruptions due to the extra demand placed on the system.

Unfortunately, this strain led to damage of the Starlink router, causing it to malfunction. A replacement router has already been purchased. However, it will not be installed until the solar upgrade is completed, ensuring that the new system can reliably support all devices without risk of further damage.

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PAMBE GHANA STRATEGIC PLANNING CORE TEAM

The PAMBE Ghana Strategic Planning Committee has been inaugurated to guide the organization's future direction. The core team is composed of:

- The Headteacher and Assistant Headteacher
- Program Director and Accountant
- Alice, retired educationist
- The Chairman Opinion and parent leaders from Bunboazio
- Teachers from Langbinsi and Gambaga
- Peter Gubbels, serving as facilitator to ensure effective implementation, subcommittees have also been established:
- Technical Team
- Stakeholder Engagement Team
- Finance Team

Each subcommittee has been assigned specific roles and responsibilities to support the overall strategic planning process. The Core Team will convene biweekly to review progress, coordinate efforts, and ensure alignment with PAMBE Ghana's mission and vision.

INDEPENDENCED DAY CELEBERATION AT LLC

The teachers and learners of LLC proudly joined in this year's Independence Day celebrations, marking Ghana's historic freedom attained on 6th March 1957. The celebration brought together the community: the PTA Chairman, programme accountant, parents, past students, teachers, and learners all gathered to honor this significant day. The program began with the singing of the Ghana National Anthem, led by both learners and teachers, filling the atmosphere with patriotic spirit. The highlight of the day was the match pass, where KG1 students confidently took the lead, followed by each class in turn, showcasing discipline and unity.

The Assistant Headteacher delivered a warm welcome address, setting the tone for the occasion. Learners and teachers then shared thoughtful speeches reflecting on Ghana's journey to independence, reminding everyone of the sacrifices made in the past and the responsibilities of citizenship. These speeches emphasized the importance of patriotism, unity, and the role of education in shaping future leaders.

The Programme Director brought the celebration to a close with heartfelt gratitude to students, parents, teachers, and everyone for their participation. He encouraged learners to remain patriotic, to strive for excellence, and to prepare themselves as responsible citizens ready to contribute their quota to national development.

Robert and Gifty Visited LLC

On March 10, 2026, Robert and Gifty visited La'angum Learning Center to provide valuable classroom support to both teachers and students. The visit coincided with a holiday for basic schools under the Ghana Education Service, and they thoughtfully took advantage of the break to render their services to LLC.

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They expressed their willingness to continue supporting the school, assuring us that their doors remain open whenever their assistance is needed. Their gesture reflects a strong spirit of partnership and commitment to the growth of our learning community.