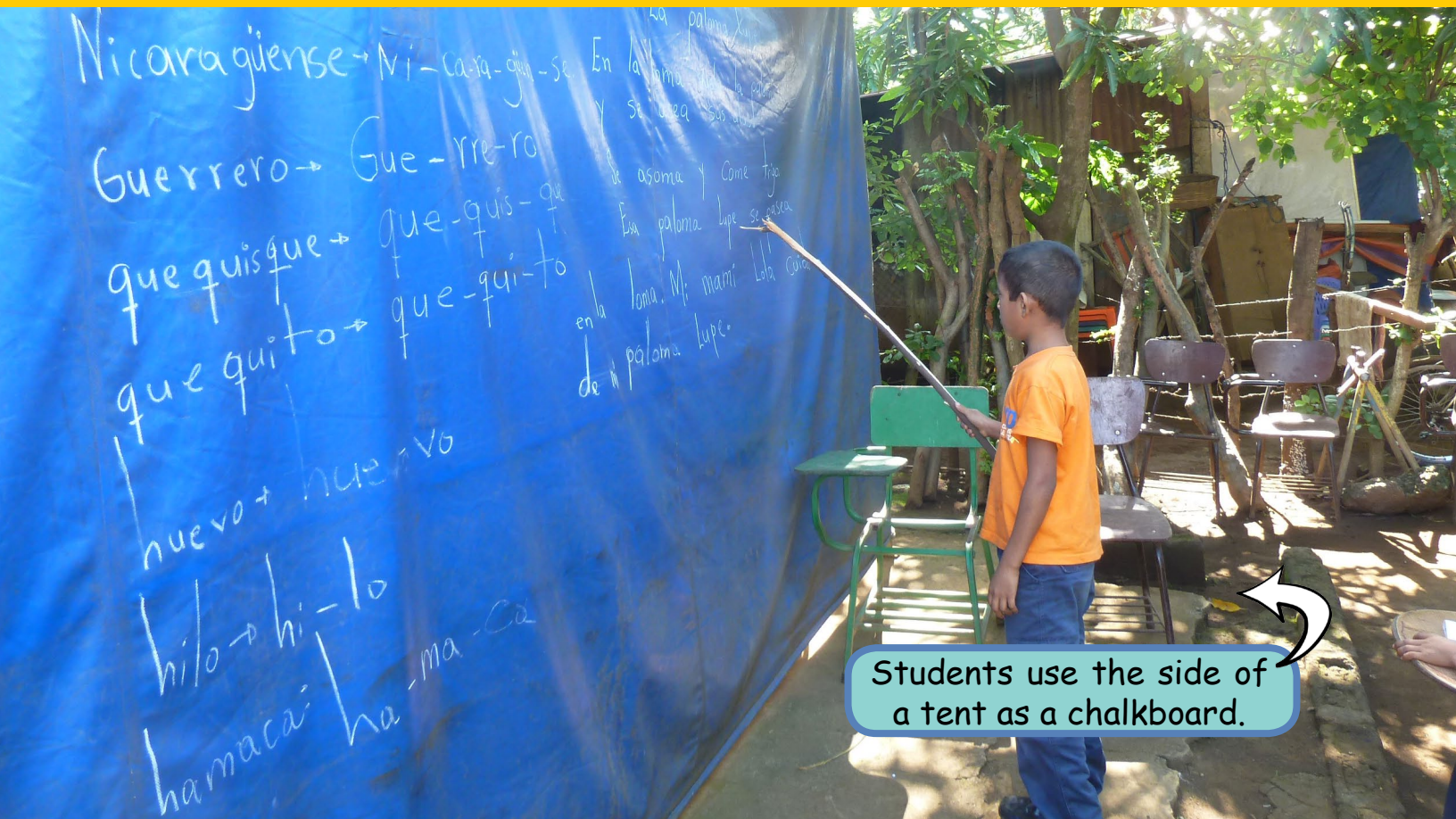




This is one of the classrooms at the current school. We can change this reality!

**Together we can *Make Education Possible.***



Students use the side of a tent as a chalkboard.



# Jardines de Apoyo School

(In Memory of Brett Bentley Crawford)

**Project Cost:**  
**\$83,000 USD**



## Project Breakdown

4 Classrooms: \$68,000

3 Washrooms: \$1500

Classroom Tools: \$3500

(Desks, chairs, Whiteboard)

Sports Area: \$10,000

## School Statistics:

108 kids

4 teachers

Grades: K-6

## Community Statistics:

95 families

3.75 kids per family

Avg Salary: \$140/month



Jardines de Apoyo is an extremely poor community located 25 minutes from Managua, the capital city of Nicaragua. Most of the residents were relocated to the village after a landslide had destroyed their homes.

Parents work long hours for low wages at clothing factories, and often rely on subsistence farming to put food on the table. 80% of children live with single parents.

The current school has been there for 10 years and resembles a village of tents and shed-like structures. 108 students attend the school. Land for the new school has been donated to the Nicaraguan Ministry of Education. The land is big enough to accommodate classrooms and a sports area for children to play.

A new school will attract other children in the community that have previously stayed home because of the poor conditions. The new school will give the children a safe place to receive classes and play.

We can make a difference! The entire Jardines de Apoyo community knows that the current school is not suitable and they eagerly await a new school for students to learn and play.

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