

## **NEW PRIMARY SCHOOL AT KANSHEGU February 2022**

This village has over eight thousand people. The main occupation of the adult population is peasant farming and petty trading by the women. It is one of the few communities that encourage their girls to be in school and not marry them out early.

It has a very active young population of school going age. But the 300 pupils were housed in a small, temporary and unstable structure and under big trees. Teaching and learning were impossible in the rains, sand storms and high winds. Teachers were poorly motivated. Thanks to a very kind UK family, we have been able to build their first ever proper school.

The current state of the school has led to low morale and motivation on the part of the teachers and a standard classroom block will boost their morale and motivate them to teach and this will improve the teaching learning condition of the school. Twelve neglected communities around Kanshegu will also benefit from the real opportunity to move out of poverty that education offers. We are delighted and certain that the lady the school commemorates would have fully approved of her family's thoughtful intervention