

**EMBASSY OF INDIA  
LUANDA**

**YEAR-LONG COMMEMORATION OF GANDHI@150 ANNIVERSARY**

**27 June 2019**

The Embassy of India in Luanda donated 900 copies of a specially commissioned edition (in Portuguese language) of a children's book, titled: *MAHATMA GANDHI (PAI DA NACAO) / MAHATMA GANDHI - FATHER OF THE NATION*, to Angolan children studying in schools in Saurimo, capital of the province of Lunda Sul in northeastern Angola.

The colour picture books (published by Amar Chitra Katha) were donated to the Municipality Administration of Saurimo which runs the Mahatma Gandhi School in Saurimo (The school building was constructed by Indian-entrepreneur and owner of M/S Noble Group S.A). The books were specially commissioned the Embassy in collaboration with the XP Division of MEA and other Indian missions in Lisbon, Maputo and Dakar.

The Directorate of Education of Saurimo appreciated and welcomed the donation of books which will be used for the guidance, reading and educational needs of the school children.

Here, below are screen shots of the book, along with copies of the Saurimo Administration's letter of appreciation and some photos taken of the school children with the Gandhi books.

**@Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India #BapuAt150 #Gandhi@150 #nonviolence #nonviolenceday #UN4All**



REPUBLIC OF ANGOLA  
GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF LUNDA-SUL  
MUNICIPALITY ADMINISTRATION OF SAURIMO  
SCHOOL COMPLEX MAHATMA GANDHI "REGEDORIA KAZEMBE"

To the  
Embassy of India accredited  
in Angola

Luanda

Subject of the matter: Appreciation

The above-mentioned School complex with the Municipal Directorate of Education of Saurimo welcomes the attitude coming from the Indian Embassy in collaboration with the NOBLE Group SA Company, by offering us the manuals that speak on the character and personality of the Father of the Indian Nation, Mahatma Gandhi. We believe that this support will contribute to cultural, political and historical enrichment. Not only for the youngest generation but also for all those who love reading.

It says a Chokwe proverb "Kukolesawsendo, kulimenekanykulinanguisa, which means - the sights and greetings strengthen the friendship".

We avail of this opportunity to make a request on behalf of the School, if possible, to support us with at least 3 portable computers to facilitate our school work.

Thwasakuila – Thank you so much.

Kind greetings

Saurimo, June 12<sup>th</sup> 2019

The Director of the School  
Andre Miranda Achambe

República de Angola  
Governo da província da Lunda-Sul  
Administração Municipal de Saurimo  
Complexo Escolar Mahatma Gandhi "Regedoria Kazembe"

À  
Embaixada Indiana acreditada  
Em Angola  
=Luanda=

Assunto: Agradecimento

O complexo escolar acima epigrafado junto à direcção Municipal de educação de Saurimo, conglancturamo-nos pelo gesto vindo da Embaixada Indiana em colaboração com Empresa NOBLE grupo S.A ao oferecer-nos os manuais que falam de carácter e personalidade do pai da nação Indiana Mahatma Gandhi, acreditamos que com este apoio contribuirá para o enriquecimento «cultural, político e histórico». Não só para os menores mas também para todos amantes da leitura.

Diz um provérbio Chokwe "Kukolesawsendo, kulimenekanykulinanguisa, que quer dizer que as visitas e saudações fortalece a amizade".

Aproveitamos o ensejo para endereçar o nosso pedido em nome da escola, que se for possível dentro da vossa possibilidade, apoie-nos com alguns meios informáticos no mínimo três (3) portáteis para facilitar o nosso serviço escolar.

Thwasakuila= Obrigado!

Nossas cordiais saudações.

Saurimo, aos 12 de Junho de 2019

O Director da Escola  
Andre Miranda Achambe



