

MTWARA - Aquinas High School



Three times we celebrated graduation of Form IV in Aquinas Secondary School.

Now we are able to offer those students who made it with good grades that they can continue in Aquinas School. Finally we succeeded in receiving the permission of the Ministry of Education to start Form V in 2011, that means to open a High School.

Though so much has to be done yet to build up the Aquinas Secondary School as academic and Benedictine school we moved ahead with construction and the planning for teaching staff etc. for the High school. Thanks to Sr. Maureen Cariaga OSB we can look confidently into 2011, prepared for the first group of High School students to come.

The girls will be with us as boarders, some boys can be admitted as day scholars. There will be combinations in arts and science.

January 28, 2011, Aquinas Day, Bishop Gabriel Mmole will open the new academic year and bless the new buildings: the upper floor of the *Anuarite Hostel*, the *Charles Lwanga* complex of classrooms and the beautiful *Julius Nyerere Library*.

The official opening of the High School with open door will be celebrated later in 2011.

Congratulations to all Sisters in *St. Tekla* community for a work well done.

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