

**Public secondary school III of Save**  
**Government District of Adido,**  
**Community of Save,**  
**Republic of Benin**

**Project location, initial situation and problem definition**

Save is a municipality north of Glazoue and Dassa-Zoume. The city itself is embedded in the middle of huge mountain rocks, mountain left overs from past centuries, and is only accessible via a few access roads. The municipality has about 100,645 inhabitants. The secondary school Save III is located in the administrative district of Adido, which has 8,743 inhabitants. The population of Save belongs to the ethnic group of Tchabés or Nagot, who in their history immigrated from Oyo in Nigeria, and live on agriculture, the retail trade and small craft.

The Secondary School III was founded in October 2004. The students come from 6 surrounding elementary schools to prepare for the medium maturity. The parents have built a building that houses 3 classrooms and an office for the director and secretary. Furthermore, there is a shelter with 4 classrooms and another shelter, which is under construction, but due to lack of funds could not be completed until now. All rooms are clean and well maintained. There is a toilet block with four cabins.

In the school year 2017/2018, 521 children attended this school, of which 211 are girls. The students are supervised by 24 teachers.

Eight of them are paid by the state government, the remaining 16 by the parents.

