## #2 | BACKPACK POWER



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## **BACKPACK PROJECT**



Your gift will provide a village child with a backpack filled with two notebooks, a box of pencils, and rulers.

EPAD works in extremely poor communities where families have few resources and cannot meet the educational needs of their sons and daughters. Its school backpack project helps contribute to community education by encouraging children to attend school and reduce absenteeism. This year's ACS support for CEPAD will help serve 100 children in Matagalpa and El Jicaral.

Under CEPAD's Sustainable Community Organization Program, group leaders within each community voluntarily oversee projects, including the construction of more community schools to ensure that children need not walk more than a mile to receive an education.