

## **The Project for Construction of Classrooms for Primary Schools in Oyo State in the Federal Republic of Nigeria (Ground-breaking ceremony)**

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2015

Venue: Local Authority Primary School Okeolola Oyo

Summary: In Oyo State, the quality of primary education has been deteriorated due to the congestion in classrooms as a result of a rapid growth in the number of students. The Government of Japan has extended the aid of JPY 1.277 billion (equivalent of USD 13.2 million) to provide 231 classrooms and 4620 set of desks and chairs etc. for the purpose of improvement of the quality of primary education in Oyo State.

Mr. Masaya Otsuka, Counsellor and Deputy Head of Mission of the Embassy of Japan, and Senator Abiola Ajimobi, the Governor of Oyo State, attended the ceremony. It was widely reported by local media.



Speech by Senator Ajimobi



President Buhari and Senator Ajimobi



Breaking the ground by participants  
(R-L: Mr. Otsuka, Senator Ajimobi)



Ceremonial dance by the primary school  
students