

# MAJENGO LIBRARY

## TANZANIA

### ADDRESS

Kyomu Majengo Village,  
Kahe east ward, Moshi rural district,  
Kilimanjaro, Tanzania

### ADDRESS FOR RECEIVING BOOKS

Tanzania Rural Empowerment Organization (TAREO)  
% Moshi Institute of Technology  
Rini Lane Plot 7A, TCGA Building, 1st floor  
P.O. Box 8734, Kilimanjaro, Tanzania

### CLOSEST BIGGEST TOWN:

Moshi

Himo and Njia Panda - 12km from the village, the towns have hospitals and hotels. Around 2km from the library in the village there is a dispensary, where people can get treatment and medication when necessary.

### HOW TO GET THERE

**Majengo-Kyomu village:** From is the geographic center of Lower Moshi. It is about 35km south from Moshi town along Tanga--Dar es salaam-rd. To get there, get a small bus (*hice*) going from Moshi town to Mwanga and Same. Pass the railway crossing (Chekereni) and get off at the next stop. From the main road walk for 30min or take a motorcycle (*boda boda*) for 1000Ths to Majengo Village community library.

### LOCAL BOOKFEEDER

#### Main contact in Kyomu Majengo Village:

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### LANGUAGES

Swahili, English

### VOLUNTEERS

YES—two weeks or more

Volunteers will pay \$25/biweekly for power, water and accommodation.



### THE LIBRARY

Majengo Library is part of a larger project carried out by the NGO TAREO. TAREO is a registered non-governmental, non-profit, non-political and non-religious organization with the aims to empower vulnerable, poor and disadvantaged populations in remote villages and mountain regions of Tanzania..

The construction of the library started in January 2019, so we are still in its initial phase. It is expected to open to the public once furniture and books get delivered.

The aim of the library is to be a community and children gathering place for knowledge enrichment for the local community. In the library you will find technical books, novels and children books.

### THE COMMUNITY

Kyomu Majengo Village is situated in KAHE east ward, Moshi rural district, Kilimanjaro (Tanzania), 35km southeast of Moshi. Kahe is a group of wards in Moshi Rural District, and is a low socio-economic area.

### EXTRA ACTIVITIES

Beekeeping

Farming and gardening

Health education

Self help tutoring and more

