

M-Ubuntu Project Coach demonstrates use of Mobile phones to teachers and district officials

25 August 2009, Ramosadi, MAFIKENG Ramosadi Primary School hosted M-Ubuntu Project Coach, Theo van Rensburg Lindzter over a 2-day initiative of workshops and presentations.

Officials from the North-West Province Education department were present as the 6th-grader class was introduced to the potential of Mobile Phones to help with functional literacy.



Teachers have been innovative in creating resources ([see VIDEO](#)) for this very needy school and this was noted as the needed basis upon which the multi-functions of a Mobile phone can best operate upon. "I think if teachers are already showing signs of doing the most with the least, they show an attitude that one would like to support and help," said Theo van Rensburg Lindzter.

Sixth Grade teacher, Ms Dorothy Ratshefola, used one of her classes this week to meet with the M-Ubuntu project director to inspire them with the notion of creating resources for younger learners by using the multi-functions of a mobile phone.

At first learners, just like officials, were sceptical but the enthusiasm and willingness to explore, accounted for the interest to experiment with the mobile phone as a learning tool.

