



Tanzania 2026

Bishop Luffa proposed trip to Mbeya, Tanzania

Who are these people?



What is Grassroots?



- Running since 1998
- One of our whole school charities
- A charity supporting children in India, Kenya, Romania, Zambia, Kyrgyzstan and Tanzania
- Currently sponsoring over 3,000 children and young people

Where are we going?





When are we going?

- 8th – 20th July – BUT...
- Leaving early on the 8th, probably not back at Luffa until the 21st

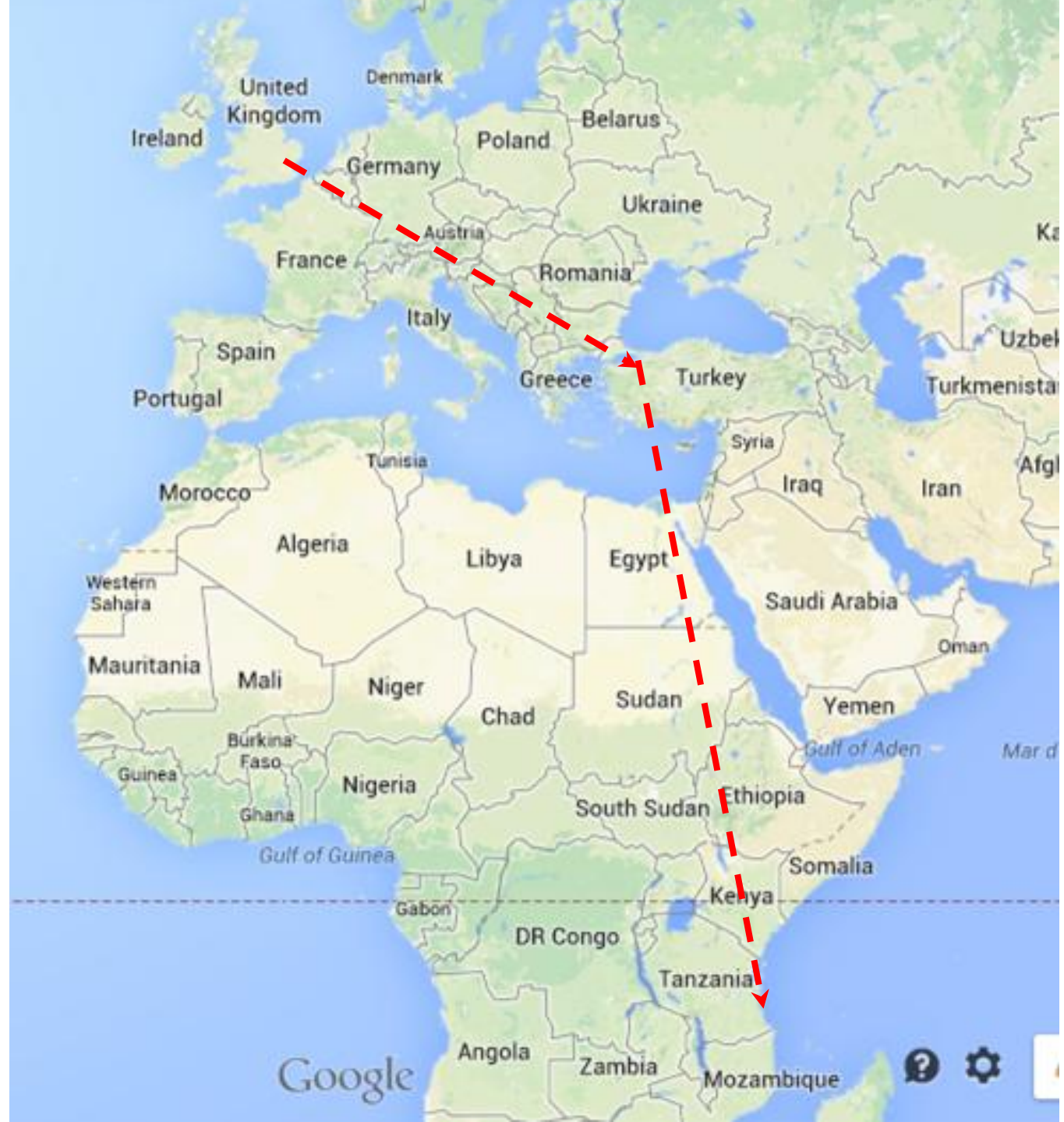
Who is going?

- Mr Allman
- Mr Goldsmith
- Mr King
- Mr Gorst
- Mrs Weller
- Miss Tugwell (probably)

How are we going?

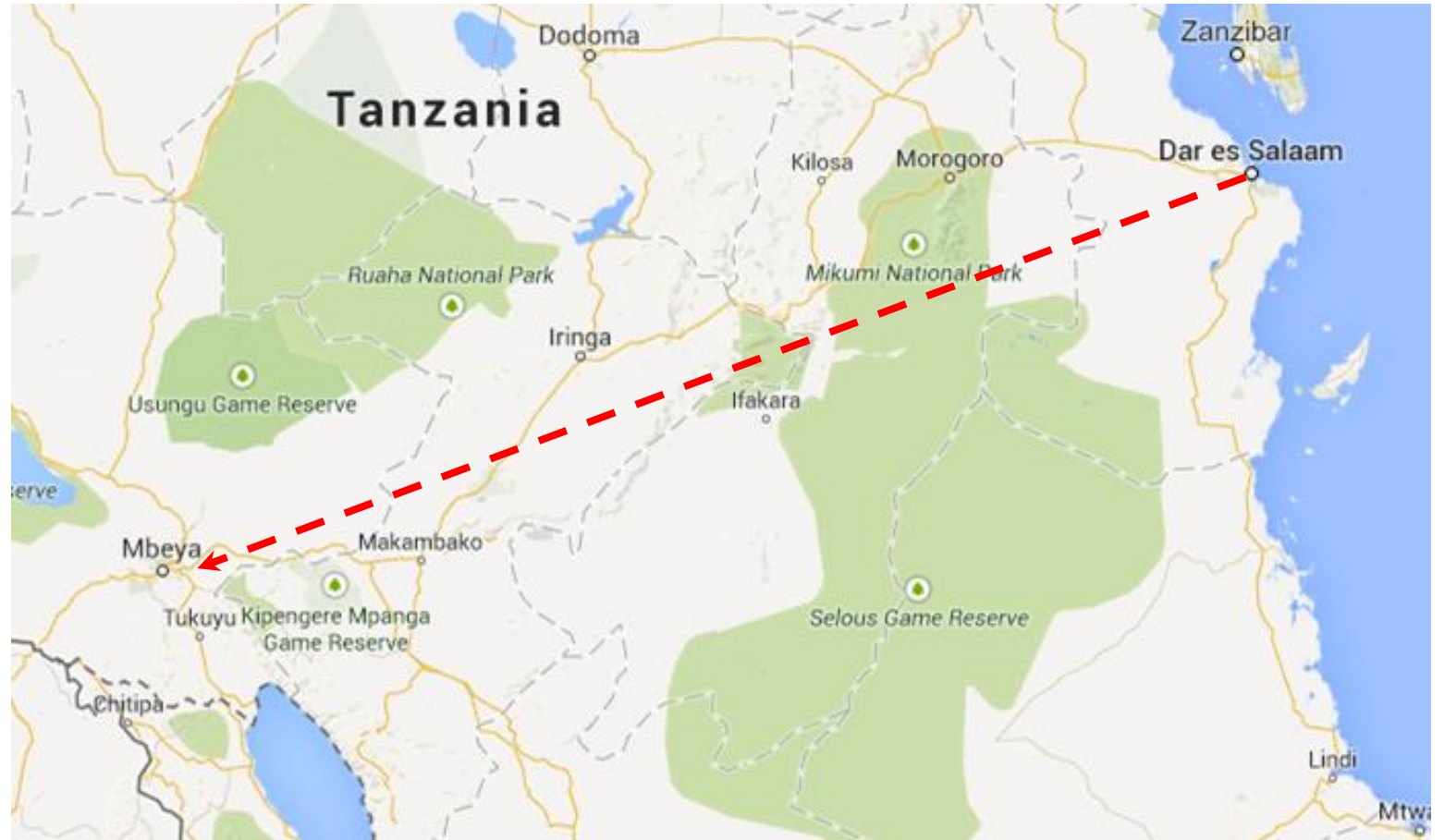
Leg 1
Luffa to Gatwick

Leg 2
Gatwick to Dar Es Salaam
Via Istanbul



Leg 3
Dar Es Salaam to Mbeya
Via the beach probably

Leg 4
Mbeya Airport to Karibuni Centre



What are we going to be doing?

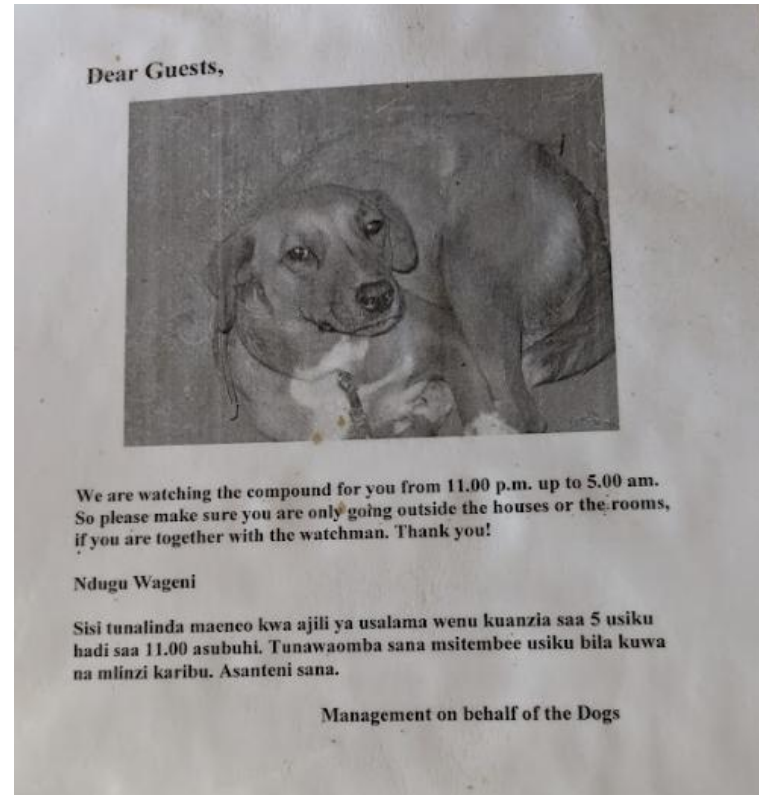


What is it going to be like?

- Mucking in
- A basic existence for ten days
- Surviving without your mobile phone
- Real life Christianity
- Eating what you are given
- Respecting local culture
- Interesting toileting experiences
- Being prepared for things to change with little or no notice



Isn't it dangerous?



- Risks are assessed by us, the school, County and Grassroots before the trip is finally approved
- Risk assessment available if you want to see it!
- A comprehensive insurance policy from WSCC

Do I need to have any jabs or tablets?

- You will need anti-malarial tablets
- We DO NOT give you medical advice- you must get that from your doctor/health professional. There are lots of options for vaccinations etc.
- We will need consent to allow emergency medical care to be administered on the trip
- If there are vaccinations that are recommended that you will not allow your child to take, YOU MUST TELL US IMMEDIATELY, as without some, the student will not be able to come on the trip
- [Foreign travel advice](#)

How much will it cost?

- £2,100 (with a potential small reduction for campers)
- \$50 for a visa, plus any potential medical costs
- You won't need much spending money when you're there!



How do I raise the money?

- Quiz nights
- Curry nights
- Raffles
- Barn dances
- Rotary Club
- Bike rides/runs
- Work

Why are we going? Couldn't we just send them the money we raise?

- Grassroots are there all year round – they need our help!
- We can help run trips/activities they cannot run otherwise
- The team in Tanzania want to see us
- To be ambassadors for the cause on your return



How do I apply/what is the time scale?

PLEASE NOTE – THESE DATES HAVE CHANGED

- **Application form – due November 7th**
- **Online interviews w/c November 17th**
- **Decisions made during w/c November 24th**
- Deposit due around start of January (date tbc)
- Final payment deadline – May 13th

Applicants must have a valid passport valid for 6 months after return date- 21th July 2026 (i.e. 21st Jan 2026) by March 2026 when we have to allocate names to seats

Any questions – now or later!

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