

URAFIKI

The project is based in Yala, in south-west Kenya and is supported by Ludlow Local Meeting.

The project will train a group of 20 young people, aged 14 to 24 who are currently not in school or employment, in hairdressing, barbering and beauty skills. The training will take 9 months and will include experience in salons and business advice. The project previously ran a successful tailoring project, with 12 students completing training and becoming qualified. Research on the ground showed that hairdressing could be equally successful, offering greater chances of employment and requires far less capital to start up a business after training.

