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LA COLOMBIERE SCHOOL

La Colombiere School was founded in October 1990.

The school was initially located in Bujumbura, Burundi where it was created with the purpose of providing education for Rwandan children.

La Colombiere School moved to Rwanda after the 1994 Genocide in February 1995.

The school begun with a nursery and primary section, along the way, they attempted a secondary section. However, their attempt was not successful as expected, hence, they went back to the original mission which is the nursery and primary.

Although originally a Francophone program-based school, La Colombiere adopted English as a parallel medium of learning as per Government reforms in education.

It hosts the home to the Premier Early Childhood Development Teachers College.

During election times, La Colombiere becomes a Polling Station.

Given La Colombiere is located in a wetland, and that the Government of Rwanda has since decreed to reclaim all wetlands, the school has to be relocated.