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to be something ...**

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African *dreams* can
come true if we nurture
the human spirit

Welcome message from the President & CEO

I thank you my friend, for taking your time to review this booklet. I believe you are passionate about changing the lives of the poor like I do, especially the lives of those disadvantaged groups in marginalized societies. I welcome you and I know by reading this booklet it's almost your first step in your journey of becoming a change leader.

Helping people is something I strongly believe is at the center of God's heart and I approach your heart too with great humility. It is because of you and me that someone who has already lost hope about life will make it to the future. Our work based on creating social programs for Africa enriches the experiences of leaders around the world who seek for ways of positive and impactful involvement in Africa. It is by nurturing the human spirit that we all became what we are today.

Today, the African Community Fund for Education has touched the lives of a few who needed a hand, and I hope you've been one of those who recently supported us to get these individuals into school. Our education and leadership programs are designed to change not only the academic life but social and economic lives of our people. I believe there is hope for the poor if many of us can share a dollar each. By raising funds for education, the ACFE Group sees opportunity and potential to change the world and make it a better place coming from the poorest of this world.

We are building sustainable communities by educating the very disadvantaged in the African community so that they can bring their share of influence to the global village and devise solutions for their own problems. While sustainability creates a circle of influence, our education and leadership program helps our beneficiaries to change their own communities as we prepare them for future leadership roles. In the manner I have portrayed above, we invite long standing partnerships which are committed to building an effective and stable environment in African communities. For its part, the ACFE Group is strengthening its capacity to address the needs of the poorest.

Women and girls remain the most affected people in disadvantaged societies and poverty continues to be the most pressing developmental issue of our time affecting mostly vulnerable women and girls. With the programs covered by the ACFE Group, I hope to see change in disadvantaged communities in favour of previously marginalized groups. To that end, I am confident that your support will take us a long way.

Sincerely,



Stanley Ndambakuwa
Group CEO & President
African Community Fund for Education (ACFE Group)



"It is imperative for us to take our part in the struggle for life and be part of the history that Africa is making today"

- Stanley Ndambakuwa



Rejoice Moyo

Hillview Primary School

Female, Born on --/--/04 (No Birth Certificate), Resides at Stand No. 27, Hillview, Lalapanzi

Profile Statement

Rejoice was raised by a single parent as her father was never known. Her mother later on abandoned the child and her whereabouts are not known to date. Rejoice is now living with her aunt who also has her family to look after. The family who took Rejoice in are led by an unemployed single parent making them a low income one making it even more difficult for them to be able to raise enough funds to see Rejoice attending school.

Rejoice is doing Grade 2 at a local primary school but because of the financial constraints, she owes the schools a lot in unpaid fees and as such she is at times send-off making her to lose a lot in the process.

Summary of Annual Fees and Support Needs

DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE	AMOUNT	FREQUENCY
Tuition Fees	\$75.00	Annual fees
Living Expenses	\$360.00	Annual Grant
Stationery	\$90.00	Annual Stationery
School Uniforms & Shoes	\$100.00	Per year dressing
Medical & Other	\$100.00	Annual Medical Cover
Examinations & Registration	Not in Final year	Not in Final year
TOTALS	\$725.00	



Courage Musiwa Chivi

Hillview Primary School

Male, Born on 10/11/03. Resides at Plot 3, Village No. 2, Hillview Ward 16, Lalapanzi

Profile Statement

Courage was left in the custody of his aunt after the death of both of his parents at a very young age. Currently the boy is to be in Grade Four but financial problems are hindering his academic progress. Courage's aunt, Lucia who is taking care of Courage is herself unemployed and also has her own family to feed. Furthermore, Courage's aunt is also a single parent and at times the family has food shortages as they have no income generating means.

Lucia earns the few dollars she gets through doing odd jobs around the communal lands and the problem is that unemployment rates in the communal lands is also high meaning there are very few available job opportunities against a large pool of potential workers. As such school fees for Courage have been difficult to come by making the child to miss a lot of classes at times when the school sends home those with unpaid fees.

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Bridget Marwa

Cambrai St Mathias Primary School

Female, Born on 06/05/2006. Resides at Stand No. 121, Gunduzira Village, Lalapanzi.

Profile Statement

Bridget lives in a single headed family with her sick and unemployed mother. The father left when the mother was still pregnant with her. The eight year old is doing Grade Two at one of the local school but the family is struggling to accumulate fees for the kid. The mother at times gets donations from well wishers in her village but these will never be enough to cater for the girl's academic needs as well because most of what they get are food stuffs as well as old handed down clothes.

As a result Bridget has accumulated a year's fees in areas which she is supposed to settle with the school. Being chased from school at times mean the girl will always be lagging behind her peers.

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Beular Kwidini

Lalapanzi Secondary School

Female, Born on 14/08/97. Resides at Stand No. 26 Hillview, Lalapanzi, Zimbabwe

Profile Statement

Beular is a 17 year old girl currently doing Form Three. Her peers of the same age bracket are already doing advanced level but financial problems have hindered her as well. Beular resides with her mother who is sick and unemployed. The father's whereabouts are not known. Because her mother is unemployed and sick, Beular is at times forced to drop from school to attend to her mother and at times to work for the family.

Money is never near sufficient for the family and Beular's education is sacrificed so that food could be put on the table for the family. This has made Beular's progress academically suffer a great deal though she has come out as an outstanding individual since the past years.

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School Uniforms & Shoes	\$100.00	Per year dressing
Medical & Other	\$100.00	Annual Medical Cover
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TOTALS	\$830.00	



Monica Bhare

Hillview Primary School

Female, Born on 17/04/2001. Resides at Stand No. 11, Hillview, Lalapanzi

Profile Statement

Monica is an orphan having lost her mother when she was still a baby. Her father was never known and now lives with her grandmother. Monica attends Hillview Primary School where she is currently studying Grade 6. Due to financial challenges, Monica who is supposed to be sitting for her Grade 7 examinations this year will not be able to do so because she has not been able to fully finish her Grade 6 meaning she has to undertake it again.

Monica's grandmother although elderly puts food on the tables through making grass brooms which she then sells. Although not much is realised from the process, she manages to feed the family but what is obtained is far too little to be able to be used for both household needs as well as for the child's academia.

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Shariff Ncube

Lalapanzi Secondary School

Male, Born on 28/02/98. Resides at No. 63 Netherburn Mine, Lalapanzi

Profile Statement

Sixteen year old Shariff lost both of his parents during his early childhood and is now living under the guardian of her elderly grandmother. The unemployed grandmother also feeds other children left behind by their deceased parents. The family has difficulties in securing food and it is almost impossible for them to be able to get any extra money which can be diverted to academics.

Shariff is doing Form Two at Lalapanzi Secondary where he owes the school a lot in arrears. He still hasn't fully paid tuition fees from as far back as last year which has seen him missing a lot from classes as a result of being constantly in and out of school.

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Ivy Maguraushe

Cambrai St Mathias Primary School

Female, Born on 30/05/07. Resides at No. 54, Netherburn Mine, Lalapanzi

Profile Statement

Ivy lives with both of her parents but are unemployed and survive through doing any work that would have arisen. One of the problems is that odd jobs are also hard to come by and there are difficulties in them securing any. Ivy is not the only child in this family making it difficult to raise enough for her and her siblings to be able to attend school.

Ivy is doing Grade Three at one local primary school but financial problems are affecting her progress. Being a beneficiary of low income citizens, Ivy's potential in academics has been affected by lack of adequate funding for her fees which sees her losing much from school during sending-off.

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**It is by what we *ourselves* have done,
and not by what *others* have done for us,
that we shall be remembered in after ages**

- Francis Wayland