



Mandela Day 2019: Support Children's Education in Cape Town



Mandela Day takes place on 18 July, which was Nelson Mandela's birthday. It is a day to honour Nelson Mandela and it is a global call to action to make a difference and to celebrate the fact that each person can make a positive change in the world.

Supporting ORT SA CAPE

ORT SA CAPE is a non-profit organisation in Cape Town. Its programmes focus on giving a good quality education to children from disadvantaged communities. Previously, CHW's supporters have contributed towards ORT SA CAPE's science and robotics workshops for underprivileged children and teenagers. They have also donated towards teacher training in various fields, such as literacy, LEGO Six Bricks and PlayBox activities and the development of children's perceptual skills. The teacher training sessions benefit many children as the teachers can implement the new techniques they have learned with their current class and can continue to do so throughout their career.

GlobalGiving's Fundraising Challenge

CHW's supporters have been generously supporting ORT SA CAPE through our page on GlobalGiving: www.globalgiving.org/projects/21813

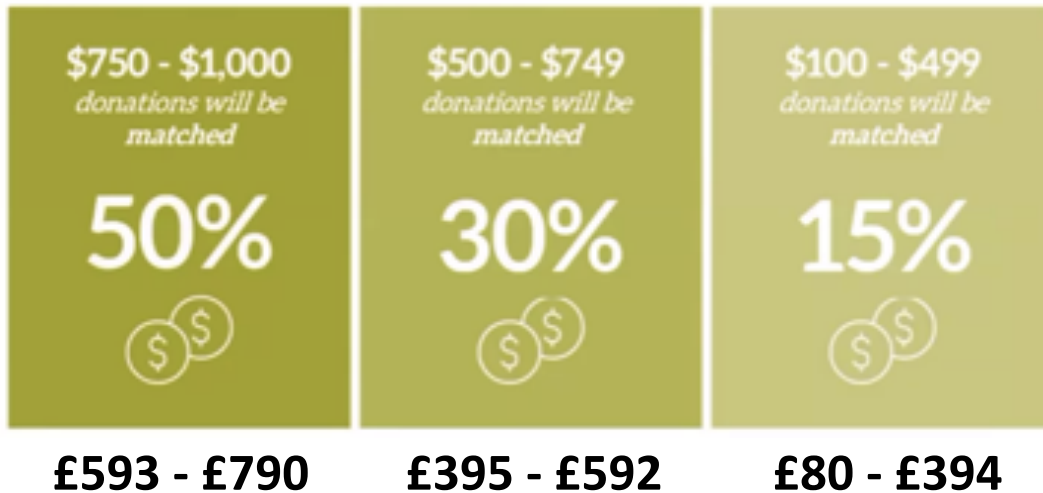
On Mandela Day, GlobalGiving is holding a special fundraising challenge, where large donations will be partially matched. The challenge will start at 14.00 UK time, or at 15.00 in South Africa, and continues for the rest of Mandela Day.

On the next page, you can find information that GlobalGiving has shared about how donations will be matched. We have added the amounts in pounds below (using the exchange rate at the time of writing).



Children's Helpers
Worldwide

Matching funds:



Matching funds can run out very quickly. In past challenges, the matching funds ran out in less than half an hour! If you would like to donate, it is best to do it as soon as the challenge starts. That way, you have a better chance to ensure that your donation will get matching funds, which will maximise your contribution.

Bonus Prizes

In addition to the matching funds, there will be two bonus prizes, of \$5000 (or £3950) each. These prizes will go to the organisation which has raised the most funds during the challenge and to the organisation which has the most supporters. Supporters giving more than \$100 (or around £80) will be counted for this bonus prize.

The Difference YOU Can Make

“What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived. It is what difference we have made to the lives of others that will determine the significance of the life we lead.” – Nelson Mandela

Your help will give children opportunities to learn about science and technology, which they otherwise could not have. Your generosity will also help to train teachers, to make sure that they deliver a good quality education to children from disadvantaged communities. Receiving a good education is life-changing and will open the doors to more opportunities in a child's future, so you will be making a very positive change for the children reached by ORT SA CAPE's programmes.

A contribution of £103 could fund a follow-up visit for three teachers who have attended one of ORT SA CAPE's literacy trainings. This gives the teachers further support in implementing what they have learned. A donation of £250 could support two trainers in delivering six hours of teacher training on Lego 6 Bricks techniques and developing children's perceptual skills. A donation of £780 could fund a three-day robotics workshops for children from a disadvantaged community. Your support would truly be making a difference in improving the quality of education that children receive.

If you decide to support ORT SA CAPE's programmes during the Mandela Day challenge on GlobalGiving, your contributions could make an even bigger impact, as there are the possibilities of winning matching funds and bonus prizes. If you want to take part, please make your contribution through our page (www.globalgiving.org/projects/21813) once the challenge has begun.

Further Information

More information about CHW's support for ORT SA CAPE's work can be found in our reports on GlobalGiving: www.globalgiving.org/projects/science-literacy-children-teachers-cape-town/reports/#menu

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