

Mobile School project for marginalized children

Summary

Improve Your Society Organization (IYSO) seeks to prepare 800 marginalized children (6-12 years) in 30 areas in Taiz city / Yemen and to enroll them in education and support them with school needs (materials, bags, uniform and food meals), IYSO will encourage them to go to schools instead of begging in streets. The project will contribute to improve education among marginalized groups, combating illiteracy, and increasing access to educational rights for marginalized children.

More details

The mobile school project to provide informal pre-school education for marginalized children in 30 areas in Taiz city / Yemen, in order to prepare 500 children for enrollment in school, as well as to support 300 children to return to schools after they left education due to living conditions and poverty.

The mobile school is a bus that travels daily from place to place according to a work plan, the bus has a variety of educational tools. It also carries volunteers who provide lessons for children in a dynamic and attractive way that encourages marginalized children to love education and to attend school.

This project is expected to succeed in the preparation and registration of 800 children from marginalized groups in public schools as well as the building of classrooms in areas away from public schools in coordination with the Office of Education and local partners.

The project will have an impact on enhancing the children's access to their educational rights and improving the rates of enrollment of marginalized children in education.

The marginalized suffer from social discrimination against them and illiteracy among the marginalized is 95%.

The project will provide support for marginalized children through dynamic educational programs. In addition, the project will provide students with school tools as well as meals for children to encourage them to go to school and integrate them into public schools.

The Problem and solutions

The conflict in Yemen has affected the educational, about 850,000 children have no access to education. The most affected groups are marginalized children who live in random places that lack basic services and represent 10% of the population of Yemen "the lowest rate of education compared to Yemeni children" the marginalized children in school age go begging in streets because families are unable to pay the cost of education, the challenge is the low level of education among marginalized children.

The project will address the problem through a campaign targeting marginalized children in 30 areas. The focus will be on attracting 800 children to prepare them in the preschool period for 6 months and engaging them with educational programs provided by a team working through the activities of the mobile school to enhance the love of education. In the second phase, the project team will work with public schools to register these children and provide them with school tools, meals for 8 months.

Main goal:

Improve the educational level of marginalized children who suffer from social discrimination and encourage them to access the education and integrate them with other students.

Secondary Objectives of Project:

- Encourage the marginalized children to enroll in education through preparing them at the pre-school stage, as well as encourage students who drop out of school to return to school.
- Preparing 500 marginalized children (6-7 years) to enroll in education and socially integrate them with other students in schools.

- Encourage 300 marginalized children (8-12) who left schools because of poverty to go back to schools.

Beneficiaries:

800 children from marginalized groups, male and female (500 children 6-7 years old, 300 children 8-12 years old).

Target Areas:

30 shantytown areas of marginalized groups in the districts of " Aqahera , Al modaffar and Salah" in Taiz city / Yemen.

Project Budget

\$ 162,700

Project Period

18 months (1 January 2019 - 30 June 2020)

Project Activities:

Project preparation activities: (Duration 3 months)

- Conduct a field survey in 30 marginalized areas in order to collect information on the targeted children (who will be prepared for school for the first time and who have left school due to poverty and difficult living conditions).
- Preparation of a program and work plan for the project including the following:
- Identify a team of youth volunteers who have completed university education to work in the mobile school team
- Training the team
- Coordination with local partners such as youth initiatives, civil society organizations and government sides to facilitate the implementation of the project.

Educational activities

First stage: (Duration 6 months)

- The implementation of educational lessons for children, "informal education before school" such as the activities of basic teaching writing, reading, drawing, etc. by using active teaching methods that stimulate students to understand.
- Implementing educational lessons for children who have dropped out of education because of the bad conditions by identifying the weaknesses and trying to deal with them based on life skills.
- Implementing children's trips to public schools to encourage them to attend school in the next academic year.
- The implementation of children's trips to public places to promote psychological support and prepare them for social integration with others.

Second Stage: (Duration 8 months)

- Coordination with public schools to register all children who have been prepared by the mobile school.
- Coordination for preparation the uniforms for students, bags and school tools and distribution to students.
- Coordinate for distribution of meals to students during the study period about 6 months.
- Continued activity of the mobile school to visit the targeted areas to provide private lessons for students and follow-up and address the problems faced by students outside and inside the school.

Expected results:

- 500 new children enrolled in schools (6-7 years)
- 300 children (8-12 years) comeback to schools after they left schools in previous years because of poverty.
- Achieved integrate of marginalized students into schools and their involvement in all school activities.
- Social interaction with the campaign to educate marginalized children and get more support to encourage marginalized families to educate their children.
- Interaction of school administration through the issuance of exemption for students who are marginalized from school fees.
- Increase the number of volunteer teachers in the mobile school.

Needs of the project :

Kind of Needs	Quantity	Note
Human Resources	- 15 youth volunteers from unemployed university graduates to work as teachers and social and psychological specialists. And drivers for mobile schools. - 3 project management team.	IYSO has many youth volunteers
Logistics and equipment	Buy or Rent 2 Long Buses And educational tools. such (2 screen . 2 solar , 2battery,5 board , 2sound machine , 20 chairs markers .. ect	It would be better if we get a person, company or organization that donates a user bus from outside Yemen because the price will be appropriate
Training and tools for children during mobile schools activities.	4800 books, 3200 pens, 800 T-shirt , 1600 games , 800 piece drawing pens	
Tools for children during study in schools.	8000 books, 4800 pens, 800 piece uniform , 800 school bags ,	
Meals food for children during study in schools	96.000 Meals food during 120 school days for 800 children	Meals food is breakfast consist from(bread , eggs, or cheese and juice or milk). The meal will be varied
Visibilities	30 Iron banner , 6 banner for buses	

Action Plan :

Activity	Period	Responsible	2019				2020	
			1	2	3	4	1	2
- Conduct a field survey - Preparation of program and work plan for the project including the following: Identify and Training the team work and coordination with local partners	3 month	IYSO team						
Implement the educational activities by Mobile schools in areas of beneficiaries. (First stage) .	6 month	Project team						
Implement activities of (second stage) - Coordination with public schools to register all children , preparation the uniforms, bags and school tools and distribution to children. - Coordinate for distribution of meals to children during the study period about 8 months. - Continued activity of the mobile school to visit the targeted areas to provide private lessons for children and follow-up and address the problems faced by children outside and inside the school.	8 month	Project team						
Evaluation of project and celebrate of project achievements								

Project Budget:

Expenses Kind	Details	Quantity	Unit price	Duration		
Direct cost of the project	School Uniform for children	800	12	1	9600	
	Schools tools for children (books , pens, bags)	800	25	1	20,000	
	Food Meals for children	800	1	120 days	96000	
	Build 2 Classes room with education means	2	4000	1	8000	
	Rental 10 Classes room	10	100	6 month	6000	
	Rental 2 Buses	1	2000	6 month	12000	
	Visibilities	30	20	1	600	
	Equipment (solar ,battery, sound tools, screen)	4	300	1	1200	
Total Direct cost						153,400
Salaries	Rewards / fees for the project team	15	70	6 month	6300	
	fees for the project administrations team	3	100	10 month	3000	
Total Salaries						9,300
Total cost of project						\$162,700

Profile of IYSO

IYSO

IYSO is a non-governmental independent organization aiming at Peace building, promote youth participation in civic life, and empower them to make positive change in their communities. IYSO has started as a voluntary social initiative at 2010, and it became a legal registered organization in 2015.

The Vision

Leadership in peace building and spread culture of justice and democracy.

The Mission

Involve all social categories, especially youth and women in programs in which they contribute to promote peace building and community development.

The Values

Transparency and credibility , Effective cooperation , Partnership , Innovation and creativity.

The objectives

- Promote peace building in community and spread culture of dialogue, justice and democracy.
- To empowerment youth participation in civil and political life.
- To contribute to improving awareness on human rights and implementing programs and activities aimed at protecting rights children and women.
- Capacity building of youth in economic , entrepreneurship and ICT.
- To develop youth initiatives aiming at community development and stability;

Administrative and Operational Unites

Peace building unite , Youth Programs unite, Child and Woman unite; Awareness Programs unite, Volunteers unite , Projects and Planning unite; Searches and Studies unite, Humanitarian Relief unite and Finance administration unit.

The Membership

- A member in the International Peace Youth Group in South Korea [IPYG](#)
- A member in the international Social Forum.
- A Member in Advocacy Committee of international Declaration of Peace and Cessation of War [DPCW](#)
- A member in Global Legal Empowerment Network [NAMATI](#)
- Member in The DESA [NGO Branch](#) is the focal point within the UN Secretariat for non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) and for NGOs seeking status

Volunteers

- The Volunteers who affiliated to IYSO are 180 volunteers from various districts and cities in Yemen.

Appreciation Medals

- An appreciation medal - given in South Korea from [HWPL](#) to organization for efforts at promoting and bringing out a culture of peace through its participation in the world Peace Summit "the Religions Alliance for Peace" held in Seoul – South Korea.

External Participation

- The Director of organization participated in [build peace conference through technology](#), which was held in USA ,2014 , supported by [USAID](#), and participated in the workshop on exchange of experiences on work with [OTI](#) Projects team in Mali, Honduras, Syria, Tunisia, Burma and Washington.
- The participation of the organization in the economic development Program for the next generations in Egypt and Arab World organized by the American University in Cairo [AUC](#) and funded by Care Organization in Egypt.

- The participation of the organization through the dialogue remote held in Tunisia by in the World Social Forum.

Memoranda of Understanding

- IYSO has been sign Memorandum of Understanding with the International Organization for Migration in Nov.2017
- IYSO has been sign Memorandum of Understanding with the Swedish International Training Center /July 2018.

Projects

	Areas / Project Name	Donors	Notes
Build Peace and Youth Empowerment projects			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Youth Leadership in the context of conflict. ▪ Peace through dialogue among youth. 	NED NED	Current project
Psychological support projects for children and students			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Psychological support for schools students and children through sports 2 ▪ Psychological support for schools students through sports 1 	GIZ GIZ	
Humanitarian response projects			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Distribution of non- food Items for displaced in districts of (Al Shamayteen, Al Ma'affer , Al Mesrakh and Al Mawaset) -Taiz ▪ Distribution of non- food Items (winterization Kits) for displaced in Al Qahira , Al Mudhaffar and Jabal Habashi districts - Taiz governorate. ▪ Distribution of non- food Items (winterization and hygiene Kits) For displaced in Saber Al Mawadem districts. ▪ Distribution of Non- food Items (winterization Kits) for displaced in Al Qahira , Al Mudhaffar and Jabal Habashi districts -Taiz governorate. ▪ Shelter kits distribution for displaced in Makbana District - Taiz 1 ▪ Shelter kits distribution for displaced – Makbana District - Taiz 2 	IOM IOM IOM IOM IOM IOM	
Advocacy project			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A Project of International advocacy campaign to support peace and end wars law in the world, in coordination with the Korean peace organization HWPL and IPYG 	HWPL	
Health projects			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mobile health clinic Project. ▪ Technology for Community Health" Project. 	HO IYSO	

Partners

International Organization for Migration **IOM** , National Endowment for Democracy **NED** , German Agency for International Cooperation **GIZ** , Swedish International Training Center **ITDC** International Peace Youth Group **IPYG** Heavenly Culture, World Peace, Restoration of Light **HWPL** Education Office and Health Office



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