



Enhancing Learning Experiences For Rural African Children

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WHO ARE WE

We increase the chances of a literate future for rural and refugee African children by providing mobile classroom furniture to children who study in rooms without a place to sit and write.

We do this by giving a \$15 SeatPack to each child: Schoolbags that turn into bamboo classroom chairs with writing surfaces (and menstrual toolkits inside for adolescent girls), at no extra cost to the child.



WHY WE DO THIS

- **Over 95 Million African school-children** study without classroom furniture today, greatly affecting their school learning.
- Replacing tree-timber furniture with Bamboo as the main material for classroom furniture **massively combats the climate change catastrophe.**
- Most adolescent girls miss up to 20% of the school year due to **period-management difficulties.**

The SeatPack is directly addressing all the above.



FEATURES

MOBILE AND PERSONAL

The classroom furniture is an extension of every child, with them wherever they choose to learn. Indoor and Outdoor use.,

LIGHT WEIGHT(600g)

Weighs 600 grams, less than 10% the weight of a 6 year old girl. Has 1 main pocket to limit heavy load.

WEATHER / WATER PROOF

Non-chemically treated bamboo and canvas, replacing tree-timber as the key material for classroom furniture

MENSTRUAL HYGIEN POCKET

Each SeatPack has a sanitary wet pocket for female students to tend to their menstrual hygiene without needing to miss school to do so discreetly.



FEATURES

■ MODULAR

Detachable bag from seat for safe-keeping when need arises, and modular for easy production for scale

■ LOCALLY MADE AND DURABLE

Canvas and bamboo based for durable strength. No zipper or buttons for easy repair by sewing if torn.

■ LOW COST AND DURABLE

Produced locally at a cost 90% lower than traditional wooden furniture options.



OUR GOAL

We are Increasing the chances of a literate future for children in rural and refugee African communities by providing mobile classroom furniture through SeatPacks, facilitating better learning for 1 million children by 2030.

- Improving reading and writing for minimum 1 million school children.
- Conserving over half a million units of tree cover.
- Keeping over 500,000 girls in school all-year round.



SUSTAINABLE GOALS



SDG 4

QUALITY EDUCATION

We make furnished classrooms more accessible to marginalized children through the SeatPack, improving literacy by availing decent sitting and writing provision for indoor and outdoor classes.



SDG 8

DECENT WORK

Our products are 100% locally hand-made, with decent incomes (four times above minimum wage at the lowest level) across our value chain.



SDG 13

CLIMATE ACTION

We replace tree-wood with low-carbon Bamboo as the key material (environmentally and economically sustainable) for classroom furniture.



SDG 5

GENDER EQUALITY

SeatPack's menstrual purses and sanitary pockets are keeping girls in school during monthly periods.

TESTIMONIALS

Teacher testimonial:

“Outdoor classes have been easier to carry out due to the mobile nature of each SeatPack.” “Students increased attention during classes because of upright sitting.” “Consistent attendance of girls even in their period because of menstrual purse in the SeatPack.”

Student testimonial:

“Class is nice to go to”. “Easier writing because of my own writing surface”. “We study outside more in afternoons now”.

Parents and community testimonial:

They are excited to go to school after receiving SeatPacks”. “When can we have more units”.



COLLABORATE WITH US



- Does SeatPack help you achieve your organizational or personal mission?
- Would you like to learn more and explore partnership possibilities?

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1 MILLION SEATPACKS FOR 1 MILLION CHILDREN

ONE CLASSROOM AT A TIME!

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