

# **Agape Mitaboni School Child Sponsorship Program**

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## **About Us**

The Agape Mitaboni School is a registered community-based school based in a small town in Kenya's Machakos County in the lower eastern region of Kenya. It is approximately 1.5 hours outside of Nairobi. The organization was founded in 2013, with support from local people who are committed to fighting the social challenges our local community faces every day.

The unemployment rate has always been extremely high within the community due to lack of opportunities but due to COVID-19 many businesses have had to file for bankruptcy. The majority of our parents don't work but the ones that are lucky enough to have a job (mainly selling vegetables from their farm) have an average income of just \$40 a month. This makes it very difficult to pay for school fees, food, Healthcare, clothes and other items for their children.

Our Education project currently supports 156 boys and girls between the ages 3-13 years old (Kindergarten, Upper Primary and Lower Primary Education). Agape Mitaboni School provides a safe and supportive family like environment for the children during their schooling hours and we would love for you to be a part of this journey.

## **Our Vision**

We aspire to see vulnerable children living a fully dignified life.

## **How you can help?**

There are many ways you can support us, become a sponsor to one of our students, visit us and volunteer with the children and/or donate to one of our projects at the school.

- e.g –Building, Feeding program support, Stationary, Medical checkups and treatment, Volunteer [teaching support, cooking, feeding children, Virtual –fundraising]etc] and Child sponsorship.

## Our Sponsorship Program

There are so many children desperate to attend school but who cannot afford the tuition or basic supplies each term. With your help these children can learn in a safe, happy and healthy environment, helping them fulfil their potential and create a better life for themselves and their families.

You can choose to support a child per year or per semester. **One semester has 3 months so 1 year = 3 semesters.**

*NOTE : Textbooks not inclusive here.*



### **What your child receives with your donation:**

- Full tuition is covered for the child you sponsor for either 1 term or 1 year depending on which package you choose
- Breakfast and lunch Monday – Saturday are provided by the school
- School uniforms for your child (1 if sponsoring by term, 2 if sponsoring by year)
- Basic medical checkup.
- Regular monitoring of your child's progress and well-being by local staff [Teacher]
- Any encouraging cards, letters, photos, or packages that you wish to send

### **What you get in return for your donation:**

- A welcome packet with information about the child you are sponsoring
- A thank you letter from your child (within 2 months of your donation)
- Monthly updates on the child's life and educational progress.
- The life-changing opportunity to come and visit your sponsored child and volunteer with the school should you wish to do so
- The knowledge that you are changing the life of a child in need of your support

## Our Volunteer Program

We offer volunteer opportunities throughout the year with no previous experience or specific skill set requirements. We have welcomed volunteers from all over the world, some stay for a couple of weeks and others for months at a time. As a volunteer you would be involved in the following areas: sports, medical check-ups, cooking, teaching, serving food to the children, washing utensils.

## **Donations**

In addition to sponsoring a child, we are in big needs of funds for additional projects.

### **Current urgent projects:**

- Building extra permanent classrooms, Kitchen, Library, Dining hall as per ministry of health and education, extra water tank.

### **Other ongoing projects we have throughout the year include:**

- School Feeding Program
- Healthcare Services (Medical Clinics)
- Education Development
- Charity Work and Help in fundraising to build classroom, Missions station



### **Agape Child Sponsorship Program – Sponsor Form**

<b>Full Name</b>	
<b>Company Name</b> (Only applicable if the sponsorship is paid by an organization)	
<b>City</b>	
<b>Country</b>	

<p><b>Tell us about yourself or your company (e.g. Nationality, age, occupation, family, education, hobbies, your city / country, if you have been to Kenya before etc.</b></p> <p><b>If the sponsorship is corporate please tell us about your company, what you do, the connection to Kenya/Africa etc. This information will be shared with the child you sponsor)</b></p>	
<p><b>Preferred Sponsorship Program</b></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Kidergattenj - 3-8 years old - 1 Semester - \$90</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Lower Primary – 3-8 years old - Full Year (3 Semesters) \$270</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Junior Secondary school – 9-13 years old – Full Year (3 Semesters) \$300</b></p>
<p><b>Payment method</b></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Bank Transfer.</b></p>
<p><b>Payment Frequency</b></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>One time payment</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Instalment plan of three separate payments, one payment every three months (Only available to those sponsoring for a full year tuition)</b></p>



**When submitting the form, kindly attach photos of yourself/family/company. This will be shared when we introduce you to the child as their sponsor.**

**Full Name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**

Kindly email the signed form to [agapeacademy254@gmail.com](mailto:agapeacademy254@gmail.com) and we will send you the payment details along with a reference number/child's name to include in the bank transfer so we can track the donation and let you know once it arrives.

## Payment Methods

Whether you have decided to sponsor a child or are looking to contribute a one time amount we are so grateful for your kind generosity. Every shilling helps keep us in the business of supporting these children and we thank you for helping us do this.

If you would like to sponsor a child please email us so we can give you a reference number/child's name to include in the bank transfer details.

<b>Payment Methods</b>		
<b>PayPal Account</b>	<b>agapeacademy254@gmail.com</b>	
<b>Bank Transfer</b>	Bank	Equity Bank Limited
	Account Name	Agape Mitaboni School
	Account Number	1170284228291
	SWIFT Code	EQBLKENA
	Bank Code	68
	Branch	Kibera
	Branch Code	<b>117</b>
	Address	<b>Ayany Estate Branch.</b> P.O.Box 20135-00100 Nairobi Tel No: 0202333441 Reception Extn:311700.
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