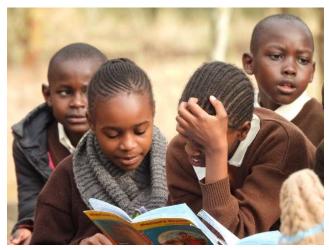


LIBRARY BOOKS AND GENERAL SCHOOL MATERIALS APPLICATION



The Rudolf Steiner School Nairobi, Kenya started in the year 1989 and it has been growing ever since. The mission of the school is to **educate underprivileged children through sponsorships and donations** as their families live below the poverty line, hence affording basic needs is a daily struggle. The education approach is the **Steiner/Waldorf education** which has practical creative elements and needs to be supported with various resources.



In the recent past, it became clear that the global economy has been greatly affected by the consequences of the pandemic and of the war in Ukraine. In Kenya it is even more severe with the ongoing drought - due to the lack of rains. Prices are still rising tremendously; now we continue to feel the prolonged impact of increasing inflation and shrunken economies. As a school, the expenditure on the children's basic requirements continues to grow at an alarming rate. We have a high number of needy children in the school; our classes are full with up to 34 children per class. The growing number of disadvantaged children brings expected difficulties -



increased need for learning materials. The school has run on sponsorship over many years supporting desperate families who need all the help they can get for education. Therefore the parents are unable to pay school fees but they are also not able to buy books and stationery such as coloured pencils or writing materials.

In addition, we envision our teachers to be adequately equipped with the necessary resources such as teaching guides, materials and supplies to empower them to effectively impart the Waldorf Education. Every child in the school should be able to have access to appropriate reading books to meet the need of the child and reach our educational aims. The library should be stocked with recommended books.

We request your financial support for the following items:

LIBRARY BOOKS

- Curriculum Guides
- Teaching Resources
- Story books
- Text Books
- Dictionaries
- Special needs
- Reference books



GENERAL SCHOOL SUPPLIES:

Stationary

Exercise Books, Main lesson books, Chalk, Coloured Pencils, Crayons, Compasses, Erasers, Glue, Sharpeners, Scissors, Ink/Fountain pens, Pencil Cases, Protractors, Rulers, and Geometry sets.

Art Supplies:

Handwork/ craft materials (e.g. wool, knitting needles, thread), Water colours, Drawing and Painting papers, Pastels, Brushes and Paints



Sports/Outdoor Activity:

Frisbees, Jump Ropes, balls, Team Uniforms, track suits and whistles

Our goal is to have quality reading and reference books in the library, and general learning materials to meet the needs for our children.

We seek financial support of

Total Euro 13,000

per year, for 400 children in our school.

Your support is always appreciated Every donation and financial support will be highly appreciated

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"Even the flight of the sparrow moves the acacia tree." – Even the stiffest of trees can be moved by the lightest of touches – Even the smallest of gifts given with warmth of heart / generosity can make a huge difference to those in need".

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