How you can help

Support a Kenyan high school student:	$25/month or $300/year
Support a Kenyan college student:	$92/month or $1104/year
Support a Kenyan University Student:	$150/month or $1800/year
Hire a Kenyan teacher:	$135/month or $1620/year
Buy text books and school supplies:	$60
Buy a school uniform:	$80
Support a Kenyan youth to a week of empowerment activities:	$20



Calling All Volunteers

Education is Power relies on the time and talent of volunteers to keep things running smoothly. We're always looking for help and there are various ways you could be involved. You can find specific volunteer positions listed on our website. Or contact us to find out when our next volunteer meeting is to discuss other opportunities. We are also looking for new board members who have relevant experience and would like to work together in creating a new strategic plan.
(Contacts on back page)

As a volunteer run organization, 98 cents of every dollar raised empowers the disadvantaged children and youth we support in East Africa. Your donation is sure to make a brighter future not only to the student, but to the family and community.



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Our Organization

Education Is Power Africa was founded in 2008 by young Kenyans and Canadians who believe that education has the power to change everything. After an eye opening exchange with the Canada World Youth program, these founding members joined together to offer scholarships to young East Africans who are dedicated to help their community yet lack the money needed for schooling. Fast forward to today, Education Is Power (EIP) has enabled over 100 East African youth to attend school, and evolved to specialize in extracurricular empowerment programs. We continue to focus on our motto to "empower one who can empower others".








Mission: *To improve access to education that unlocks the potential in African youth, while also connecting people from around the world to foster responsible citizenship.*

Vision: *Together we can realize the key to sustainable development: achieve universal access to effective education.*

Values *Promote peace and intercultural understanding*
Ensure environmental sustainability
Promote gender equality and empower women

What we do

Remove financial barriers for African children and youth to attend all levels of school

Due to the relatively high cost of education in Kenya, less than half of children who join primary school will complete secondary school. That is why we prioritize in helping Kenyan youth complete high school. We also offer bursaries for post-secondary and vocational studies within Kenya and Tanzania. We support youth who show the most dedication to give back to their communities and do not select only based on marks.






Provide mentorship and empowerment programs outside of the classroom

We strongly believe in mentorship, teamwork, and confidence building outside of the classroom. EIP runs empowerment programs during the holiday periods where alumni and other community mentors engage Kenyan youth in various workshops, field trips, and volunteer activities.







Support African teachers

Effective education must also include empowering teachers. That is why we currently employ dedicated teachers at underfunded Kenyan schools and strive to offer professional development opportunities within our partner schools

Initiate infrastructure projects at remote African schools

Currently, EIP is undertaking a major project to build a dormitory at our partner school, Chumvi Primary in Laikipia, Kenya. Chumvi primary is in a remote place where children walk up to 14km (one way) to get to school. We have been inspired by the community's strong desire for the dorm, so we are launching a campaign together with the community to see it become a reality. Find out more on our website.




Youth outreach in Canada and Skype video exchanges

Through EIP's grassroots educational advancement in Kenya and Tanzania, we have incredible experience to share, coming straight from the source – the young East Africans who toiled their way to the dream of education. Get involved in our youth outreach programs and bring these young Africans right to your classroom. . . via Skype video conferencing!




