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BRILLIANT MINDS

FINANCIAL REPORT



2026

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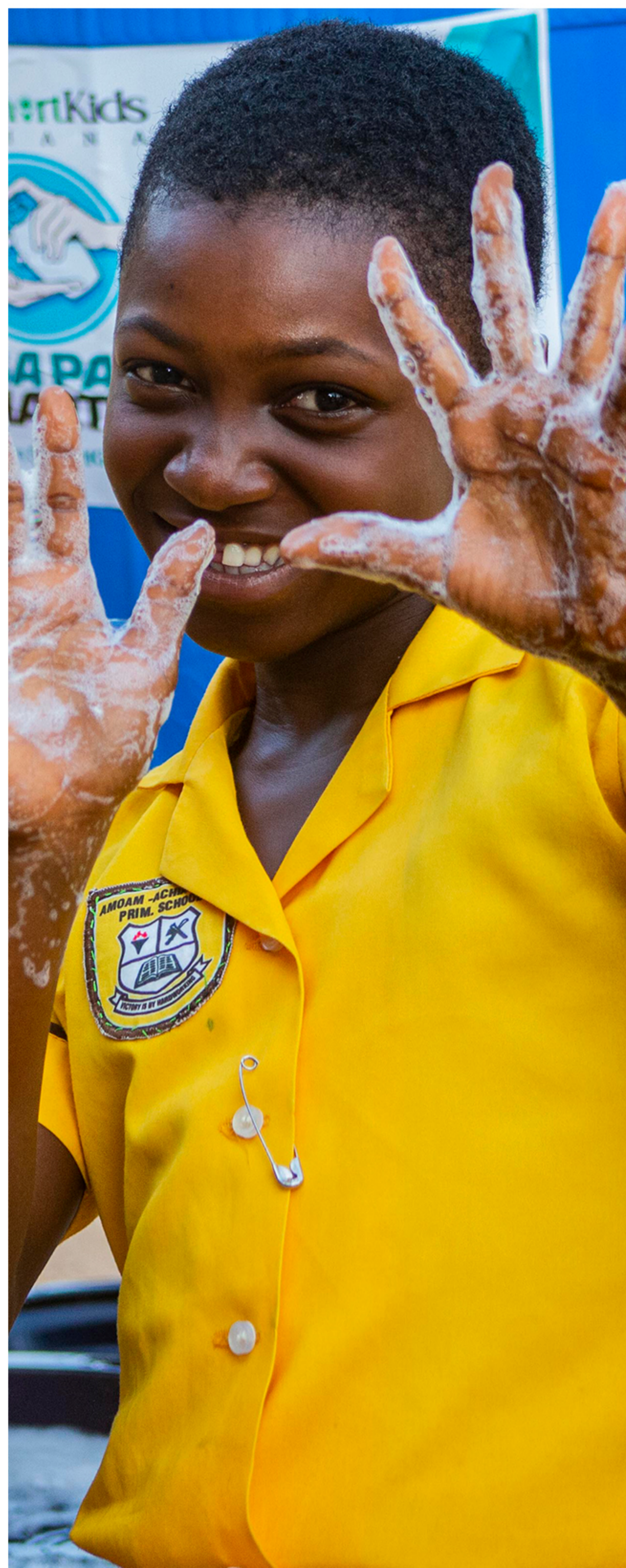
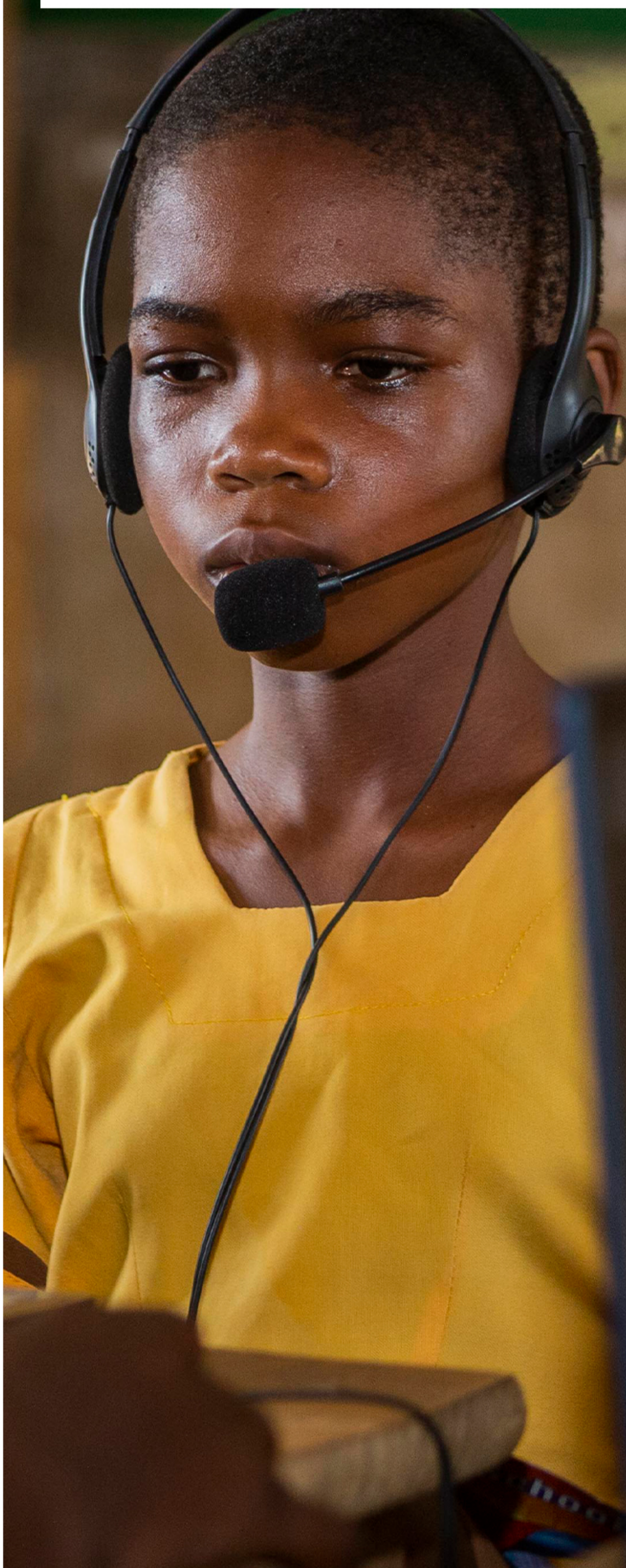
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Join us in making a difference



Our Mission

Cultivating brilliant minds in Ghana with our innovative 21st century curriculum and pedagogy. SmartKids Ghana is a registered tax-exempt non profit entity. Our EIN is 92-2998936. All contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowable by law.





SmartKids Ghana Financial Report for May 2026 Total Income Overview (ALL) Raised

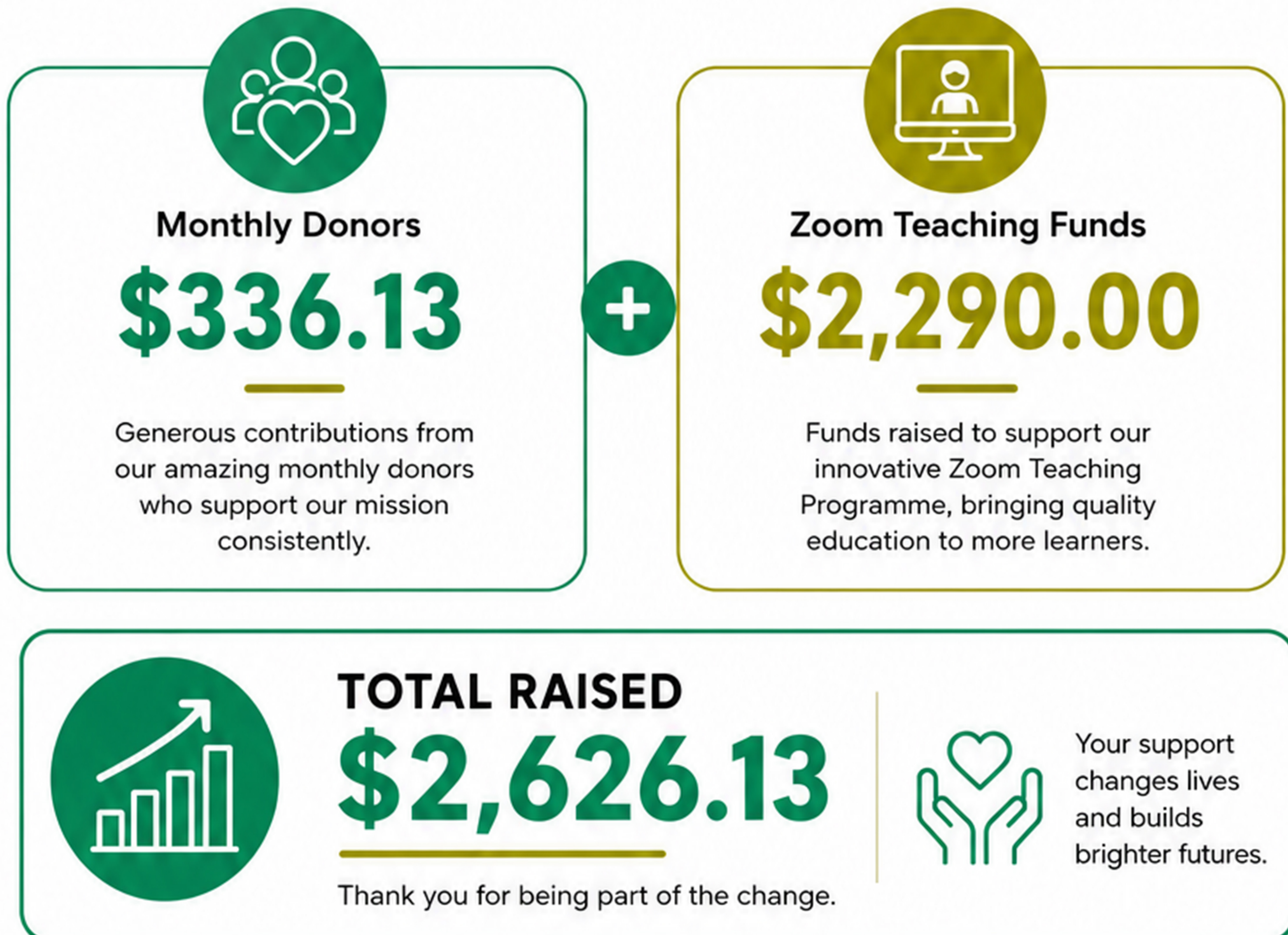
SmartKids Ghana has stepped boldly into May with renewed energy, stronger impact, and an even greater commitment to transforming the future of children through quality education. This month has been filled with inspiring progress, meaningful connections, and powerful achievements that reflect the heart of our mission and the incredible community standing behind it. None of this would be possible without the unwavering generosity of our donors, the dedication of our outstanding Zoom teachers, and the passion of our student ambassadors, who continue to inspire change every single day.

Together, we are not only improving access to education but also building confidence, unlocking potential, and shaping brighter futures across the communities we serve. Below is a summary of the total income raised in May:

Monthly Donors - \$336.13

Zoom Teaching Funds - \$2,290.00

Total = \$2,626.13





Honouring Our Monthly Donors: \$336.13 Raised in May 2026

SmartKids Ghana would like to express our sincere gratitude to our committed monthly donors. In April, your continued generosity made a meaningful and lasting impact, with each contribution helping to further our mission of building brighter and more hopeful futures for the children we support.

Your support does more than sustain our programs, it helps nurture confidence, open doors to opportunity, and empower children to reach their full potential. Thanks to your kindness, our scholars continue to access quality education, dedicated mentorship, and essential learning materials that equip them for success. Every contribution represents a powerful investment in their future and a shared belief in what they can achieve. We are proud to recognise and celebrate all those who supported us this month:

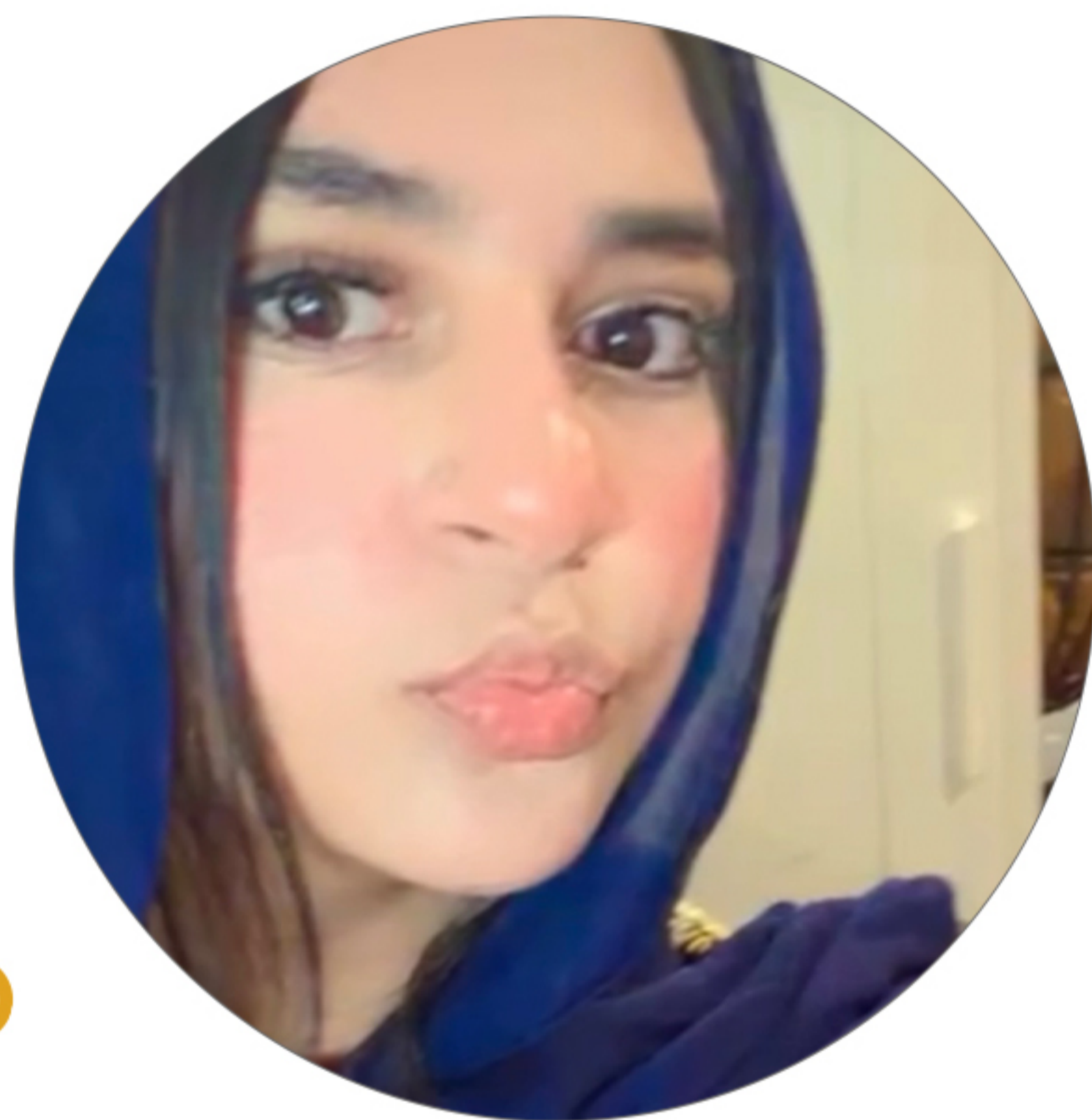
<i>NAMES</i>	<i>AMOUNT RAISED</i>
Samuel Akwaboah	\$21.13
Sonia Broni	\$15.00
Horla Hamenoo	\$15.00
Nana Akua Frempong	\$15.00
Kingsley Osei-Abrah	\$15.00
Leicester Asemnor	\$15.00
Kwaku Okrah	\$15.00
Mawolo Mulbah	\$15.00
Priscilla Baffoe	\$30.00
Emma Akuffo	\$165.00
Elsie Addo	\$15.00
TOTAL	\$336.13

Your dedication continues to inspire us, energize our team, and reinforce our purpose. We are truly grateful to have you as an essential part of this journey!

ZOOM TEACHING FUNDS

DEDICATED ZOOM TEACHERS IMPACT: \$2,290.00 RAISED IN MAY 2026

SmartKids Ghana proudly celebrates and extends our deepest appreciation to our phenomenal Zoom teachers for achieving an incredible milestone of raising \$2,290.00 in support of the Zoom Teaching Programme. This outstanding accomplishment is a true reflection of your passion, dedication, and unwavering commitment to transforming the lives of children through education. Your hard work and generosity continue to fuel opportunities for learning, growth, and empowerment for the many young minds we serve. This remarkable achievement is not only inspiring, but also an exciting sign of the incredible impact we can create together throughout the year. Because of your support, more children will have access to engaging virtual lessons, meaningful mentorship, and the tools they need to succeed academically and personally. You are helping to break barriers, ignite confidence, and build brighter futures one child at a time. Thank you for being such an important part of the SmartKids Ghana journey, your dedication is changing lives and motivating us all to dream even bigger.



Lintan Mannan

Hadeed Tahir	\$5.00	\$25.00
Waseem Sayyedahmad	\$20.00	



Sarah Ali

Taiob Ali	\$25.00	\$100.00
Nabiha Tahsin	\$25.00	
Fahima Nasreen	\$25.00	
Hasina Ferdousi	\$25.00	



Malak Makroumi

Said Makroumi	\$10	\$10.00
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Maryam Baazizi

Kedy Baz	\$150.00
Nassim Mana	\$50.00
Ahmed Khorsi	\$300.00
Hakan Satiroglu	\$50.00

\$550.00



Dija Hassanein

Aicha Hassanein	\$50.00
Amira Elsayed	\$250.00
Sophie Ponda	\$50.00
Kenda Al-Assi	\$50.00
Jason Currier	\$20.00
Cove Helvig	\$20.00
Dina Elsayed	\$160.00
Nuha El Sayed	\$200.00

\$800.00



Sabrina Baali

Idris Baali	\$40.00
Jeriel Pinales	\$10.00
Alisha Moy	\$20.00
Kevin McKenzie	\$25.00
Timothy Hartenstein	\$50.00
Sean Lampert	\$250.00
Josh Gianotsos	\$100.00
Adam Brown	\$40.00

\$535.00



Aarna Menocha

Aarna Menocha	\$30.00
Rashida R	\$40.00
Anupma Lal	\$100.00

\$170.00



Alexandra Casamassima

Stephanie Blazo-\$25

\$25.00



Maisa Elsallal

Amira Elsayed-\$50

\$50.00



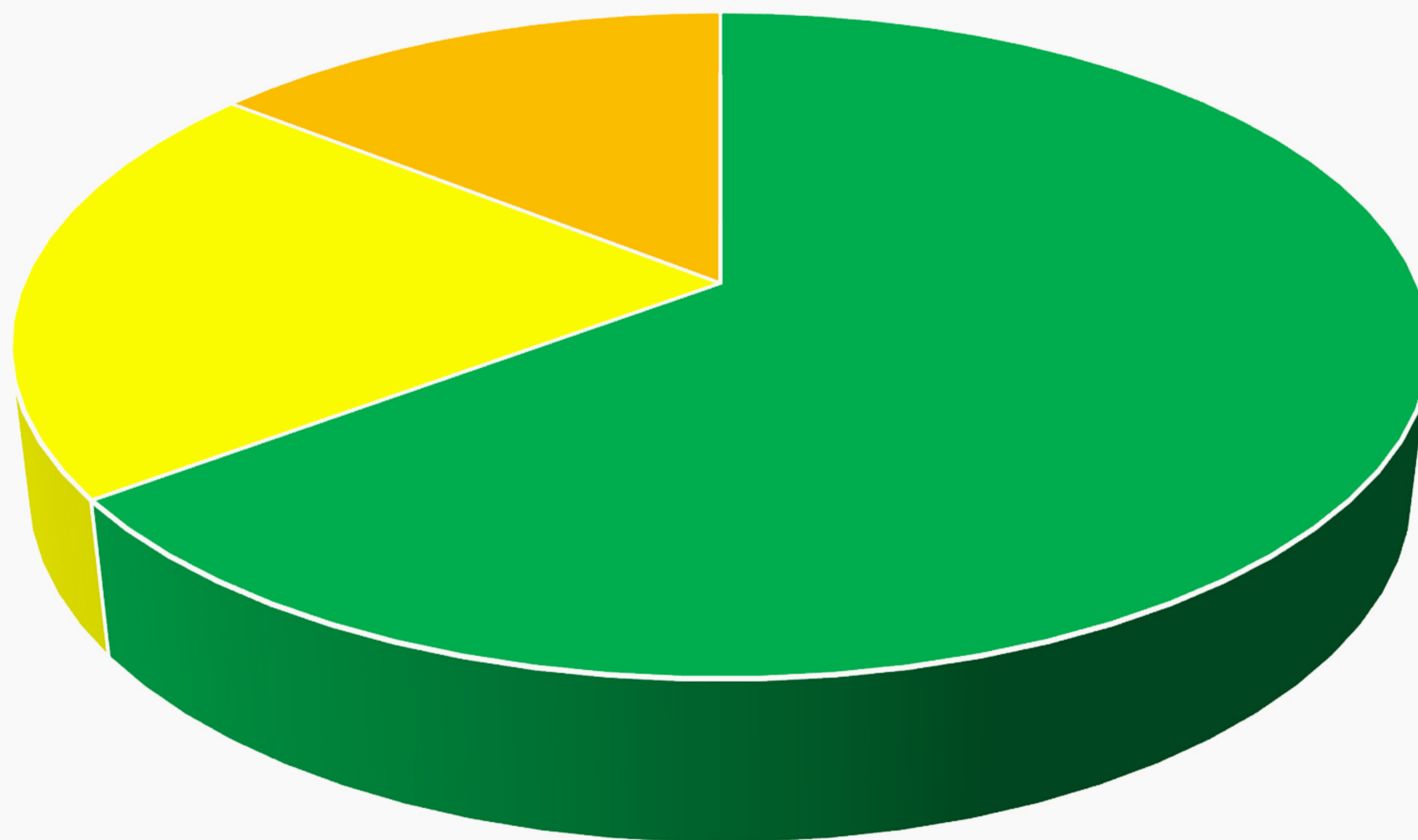
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In May, our total expenditure stood at \$1,362.46, which was strategically allocated across key operational areas to maximize impact.

Total Expenditure: \$1,362.46

Breakdown of Expenditures:

Expense Category	Amount		
Salaries	\$882.45	■ Salaries	■ Operational cost
Operational cost	\$285.20		
Organizational Expense	\$194.81	■ Organizational Expense	
TOTAL = \$1,362.46			



TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$1,362.46


Every dollar is a step toward empowering young minds.


A Deeper Look at Expenses

Salaries: A total of \$882.45 was allocated to cover the monthly salaries of five dedicated staff members.

Operational Costs: An amount of \$285.00 was used to support the organization's day-to-day activities in Ghana. These costs included transportation for office supplies, data for all staff and other general overhead expenses. Operational expenses remain vital for maintaining smooth and effective running of the organization.





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 **Organizational Expenses:** This month's organizational spending covered essential services and compliance-related fees necessary for ensuring smooth administrative operations and meeting regulatory requirements. A detailed breakdown of these expenses is provided below:



MONTHLY EXPENSE OVERVIEW

MAY 2026

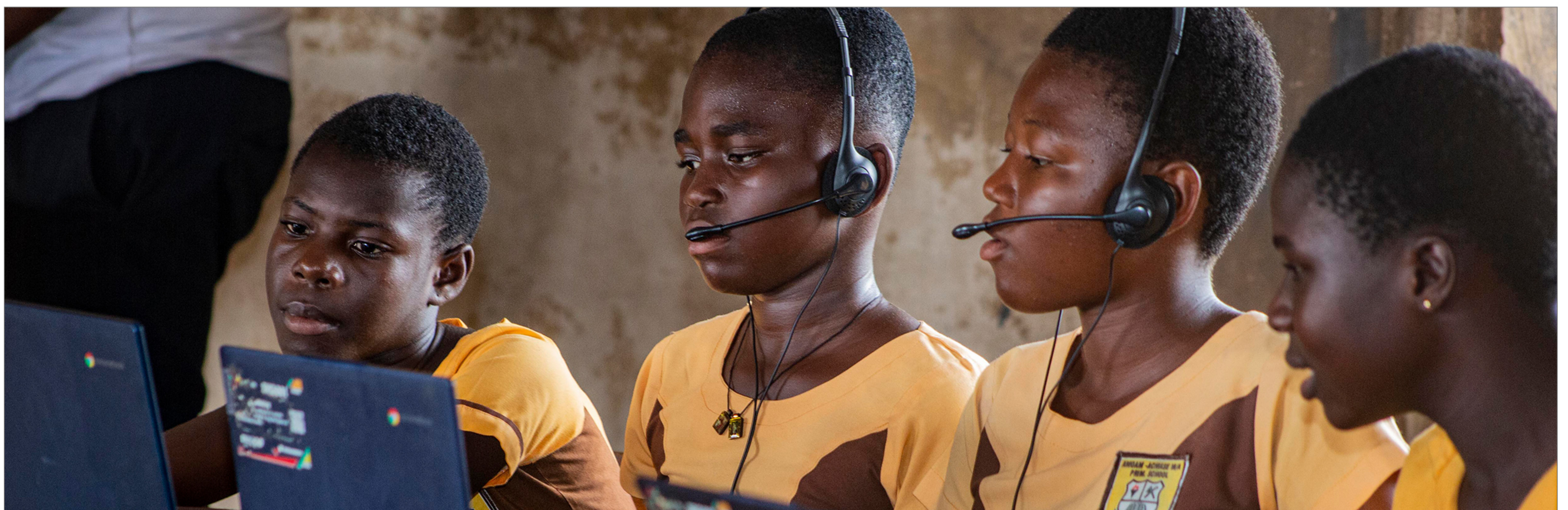
	US Bank Monthly Service Fees		\$123.00
	Monthly Mailchimp Charge		\$11.05
	Xfinity Mobile Charge		\$30.76
	Absa Bank Charge		\$30.00



TOTAL

\$194.81

Thank you for helping us manage resources wisely.





WELCOMING OUR NEW **ZOOM TEACHER**

We are thrilled to welcome 9 outstanding new student ambassadors to the SmartKids Ghana community as part of our growing Zoom Teaching Program in the May. These passionate young leaders are joining our mission with enthusiasm, dedication, and a shared commitment to empowering children through education. As Zoom teachers, they will play an important role in delivering engaging online learning experiences while inspiring and supporting scholars across Ghana to reach their full potential.

In addition to teaching, each ambassador is taking on the exciting challenge of raising \$300 in support of the program. Their efforts will help provide vital educational resources, mentorship, and access to quality learning opportunities for the children we serve. This initiative not only strengthens our impact but also highlights the power of young people coming together to create meaningful change. We are incredibly excited to have these ambassadors on board and cannot wait to see the energy, creativity, and positive impact they will bring to the SmartKids Ghana family.

You can also make an impact by becoming a Zoom Teacher! Join the community via:

<https://smarkidsghana.org/zoomapplication/>



Malak Makroumi



Sabrina Baali



Nour Eissa



Jannat Jamil



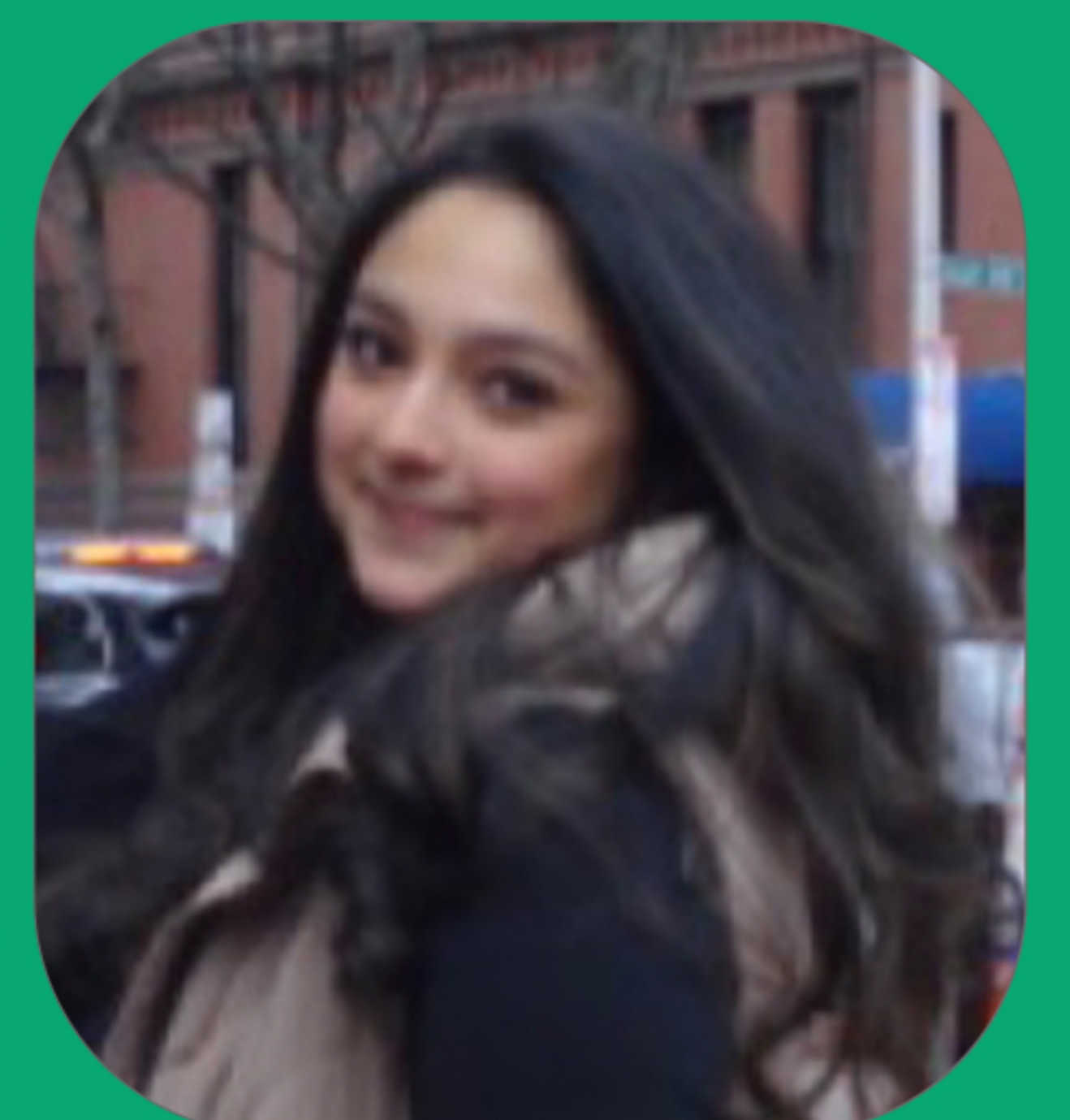
Sarah Ali



Ruqaya Ali



Sumeyyah Laher



Hana Maarouf



Malak Elmeligy



LAPTOP FOR SCHOLAR AMBASSADOR & JUNIOR CURRICULUM CONTRIBUTOR RECRUITMENT

While we did not recruit any new Laptop for Scholar Ambassadors or Junior Curriculum Contributors during the month of May, we remain encouraged and optimistic about the growth opportunities ahead. At SmartKids Ghana, every month represents a chance to strengthen our programmes, expand our reach, and connect with passionate individuals who share our vision of transforming education for children across Ghana.

As we continue building momentum throughout the year, we are excited about the possibilities ahead and remain committed to welcoming future ambassadors and contributors who will help drive innovation, learning, and impact within our community. We are confident that the coming months will bring new opportunities to grow these important programmes and further support the educational journeys of the scholars we serve. We are actively preparing for upcoming recruitment and warmly invite passionate, driven, and purpose-oriented individuals to join us.



CALL TO ACTION!

If you are passionate about education and eager to make a difference, we encourage you to apply and become part of the SmartKids Ghana community. Together, we can help expand access to quality learning and create lasting change for the scholars we serve. Join the SmartKids Ghana Community via these links:
Laptop for Scholars Ambassadors: <https://smartkidsghana.org/laptops-for-scholars-program/>
Junior Curriculum Contributors: <https://smartkidsghana.org/junior-curriculum-contributor-application/>



GHANAIAN STUDENT AMBASSADORS

We are excited to announce the recruitment of 5 new Ghanaian Student Ambassadors to the SmartKids Ghana community! Their addition marks another important step in strengthening youth leadership and expanding the impact of our educational initiatives across the country. These ambassadors join us with passion, creativity, and a shared commitment to empowering children through education, mentorship, and advocacy.

As representatives of SmartKids Ghana, they will assist in teaching precontent lessons, set up and monitor scholars on grounds and be teaching assistants to the zoom teachers virtually. They will also play a valuable role in raising awareness about our programmes, inspiring fellow students, and supporting initiatives that help create brighter opportunities for young learners. Their involvement reflects the growing movement of young leaders who are choosing to make a difference in their communities and contribute to transforming education in Ghana. We are thrilled to welcome them on board and look forward to the energy, ideas, and positive impact they will bring to our mission.



DOMINIC SENIOR



**FOSTER CHRISTIAN
MEDENU**



SALAMATU MOHAMMED



ELVIS NANA OPARE



FATIMA BIN UMAR

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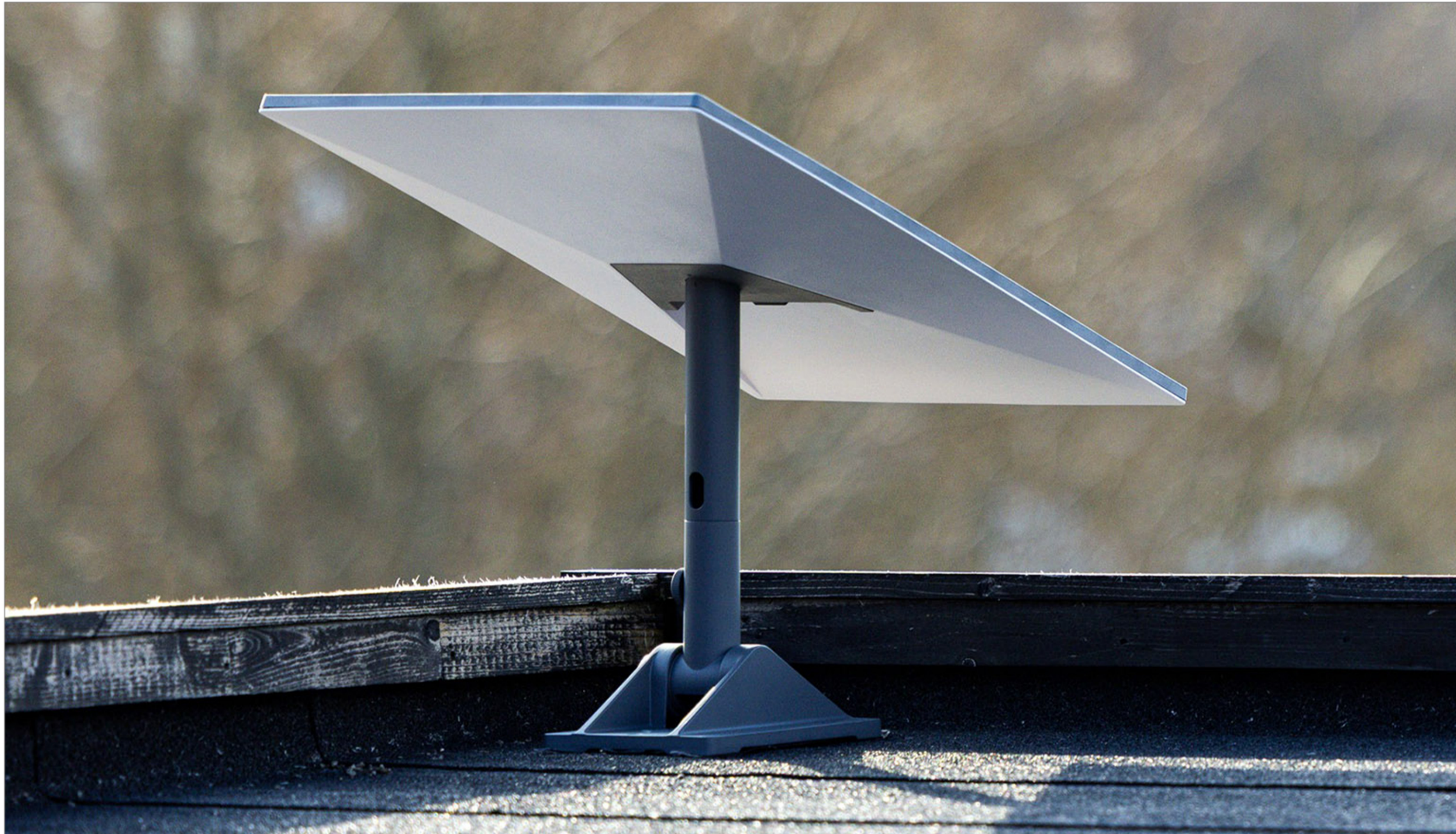
Student Ambassadors: <https://smartkidsghana.org/laptops-for-scholars-program/>

Junior Curriculum Contributors: <https://smartkidsghana.org/junior-curriculum-contributor-application/>

Ghanaian Student Ambassador - <https://smartkidsghana.org/ghana-ambassadors/>



STARLINK FOR SCHOLAR PROGRAM



The Starlink for Scholar Program continues to be a powerful and transformative initiative focused on closing the digital gap for students in underserved communities across Ghana. As technology becomes increasingly essential to education, we remain committed to ensuring that every child has access to reliable internet connectivity for online learning, Zoom teaching sessions, research, and digital skills development. Through this programme, we are creating opportunities for students to learn without barriers and helping schools build stronger, more connected learning environments.

We are currently looking for passionate ambassadors, individuals, groups, and companies to join this exciting mission by raising \$750 to support the purchase of Starlink devices and internet connectivity for scholars. Your involvement can directly change the future of students by giving them access to global learning opportunities, educational resources, and the digital tools they need to succeed in today's world. Together, we can ensure that no child is left behind because of limited internet access and continue building a future where every student can thrive through technology and education.

Become part of the Starlink for Scholar Program today through:
<https://smartkidsghana.org/starlink-for-scholars-program/>

STUDENT AMBASSADORS FOR THE MONTH

Our US Global Impact Ambassador of the Month:



ALEXANDRA CASAMASSIMA

Alexandra Casamassima has been named SmartKids Ghana's Student Ambassador of the Month for May, and her recognition is a testament to the power of consistency, dedication, and service. Throughout the month, Alexandra demonstrated exceptional commitment to her role, showing up to every teaching session prepared, punctual, and ready to make a meaningful difference. Her reliability and strong sense of responsibility have made her a standout ambassador and a positive example for her fellow volunteers.

What makes Alexandra's impact especially remarkable is the genuine care she brings to every interaction with our scholars. Beyond delivering lessons, she creates an encouraging and supportive learning environment where students feel seen, valued, and motivated to grow. Whether through a patient explanation, a word of encouragement, or simply her steady presence, Alexandra understands that lasting impact is often built through small but meaningful acts of kindness and dedication.

Alexandra embodies the values at the heart of SmartKids Ghana, leadership, service, and impact through action. Her journey reminds us that great leadership is not always measured by grand gestures, but by the commitment to consistently show up and make a difference. We are incredibly grateful for her contributions and proud to celebrate her achievements. Congratulations, Alexandra Casamassima, we look forward to seeing the continued impact you will make in the lives of our scholars and within the SmartKids Ghana community.



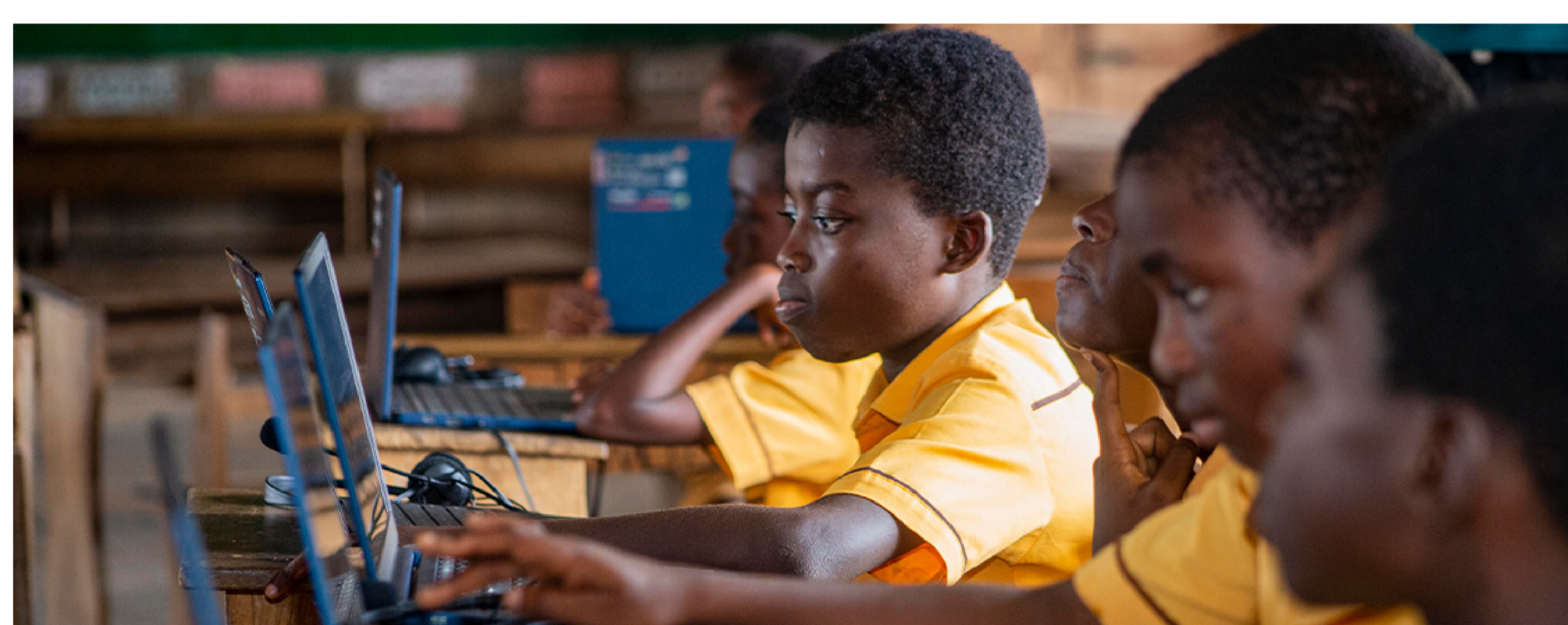
GHANA STAR AMBASSADOR BEATRICE AUGEZIM



We are incredibly proud to celebrate Beatrice Augezim as our Ghana Star Ambassador of the Month! Beatrice truly embodied the spirit of service, dedication, and leadership through her outstanding support during the Zoom Teaching Program at Amoam Achiase Basic School. Despite being called upon at the very last minute, she stepped up without hesitation and devoted 3 impactful hours to teaching, assisting, and facilitating activities on the ground, helping ensure the success of the entire trip and Zoom Teaching Program.

Her willingness to show up, support the team, and contribute wholeheartedly made a meaningful difference to both the programme and the scholars we served. Beatrice's commitment reminds us that true leadership is often demonstrated through reliability, passion, and a readiness to serve whenever needed. We deeply appreciate her enthusiasm, positive energy, and dedication to the mission of SmartKids Ghana. Congratulations, Beatrice, and thank you for being such an inspiring part of our community!

AMBASSADOR SPOTLIGHT OF THE MONTH – MARYAM BAAZIZI



Maryam Baazizi

At SmartKids Ghana, we are proud to recognize Maryam Baazizi for her exceptional dedication and impact as both a Student Ambassador and Zoom Teacher. Throughout the month, Maryam Baazizi has also demonstrated exceptional commitment through her fundraising efforts and active involvement as a Zoom teacher. Her decision to sign up for three cohorts highlights her passion and willingness to contribute beyond expectations.

As a Zoom Teacher, Maryam creates a supportive learning environment that encourages scholars to engage, grow, and build confidence in their abilities. Her consistency and reliability have made her a valued mentor, while her fundraising efforts have helped expand opportunities and resources for students across our programs. Through both roles, she continues to make a meaningful contribution to the SmartKids Ghana community.

What sets Maryam apart is her determination to go beyond what is expected. She consistently invests her time, energy, and talents into serving others, demonstrating leadership through action and compassion through service. Her dedication serves as an inspiration to fellow ambassadors and scholars alike, reminding us that lasting impact is created through commitment, consistency, and a genuine desire to make a difference.



DR ERIC'S SADDLE AND PEDAL TO EDUCATION

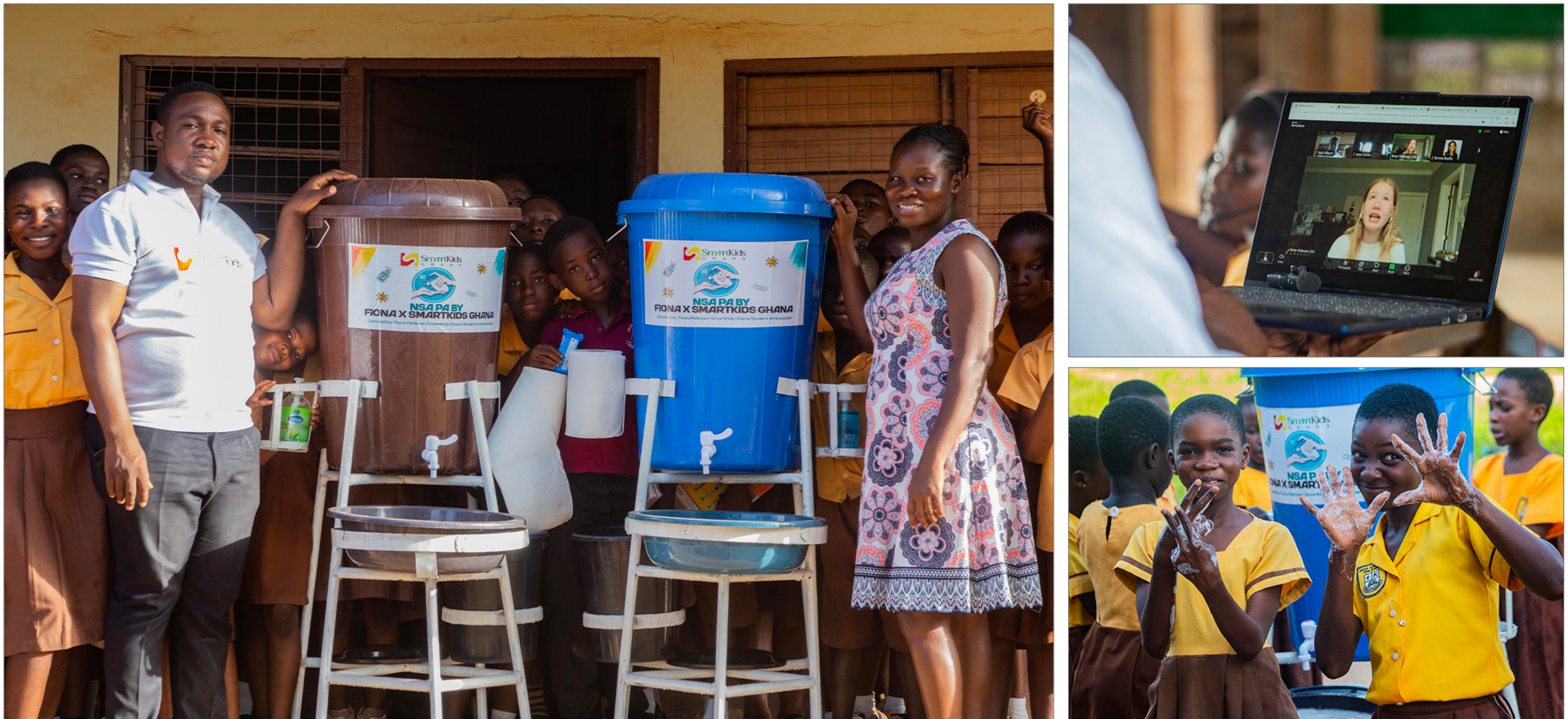
The Saddle and Pedal to Education initiative by Dr. Eric was a remarkable success and a truly inspiring example of how passion, creativity, and purpose can come together to support education. Through this impactful initiative, Dr. Eric combined the challenge of endurance cycling with a powerful mission to help improve access to quality education for children in underserved communities. His dedication not only raised awareness for educational equity but also inspired greater community involvement and support for the work of SmartKids Ghana. We are delighted to share that the donation was successfully completed, providing 2 laptops, 200 notebooks, 50 stationery backpacks, 150 pens, 150 pencils, 150 erasers, and 150 sharpeners to scholars at Okeyerkrom R/C Basic School on May 8th, 2026.

This generous contribution has already begun making a meaningful difference by equipping students with essential learning materials and creating better opportunities for academic success. The success of this initiative represents more than a donation, it is a powerful movement of hope, action, and commitment to transforming lives through education. We encourage more individuals, groups, and organisations to follow the inspiring example set by Dr. Eric by creating their own fundraising or advocacy initiatives to support children's education. Whether through sports, community events, campaigns, or personal giving, every effort can help provide life-changing opportunities for students who need them most.





FIONA'S HAND SANITATION PROJECT



We are excited to share that Fiona's Hand Sanitation Project, dubbed Nsa Pa by Fiona X SmartKids Ghana, was a great success and made a meaningful impact in promoting hygiene and health awareness among students. The programme reached Amoam Achiasse Basic School on May 2, 2026, where scholars participated in engaging, educational, and highly insightful sessions focused on proper hand hygiene and healthy sanitation practices. Through interactive demonstrations and practical activities, scholars learned the importance of cleanliness in preventing illness and maintaining a healthy learning environment.

One of the highlights of the programme was Fiona's educational session on germs, where she taught students how germs spread, the dangers they pose to health, and the importance of proper handwashing in protecting themselves and others. The sessions were both informative and memorable, helping students better understand hygiene in a fun and relatable way. The distribution of handwashing stations equipped with basins, buckets of water, soap, tissue paper, and dustbins further strengthened the impact of the initiative by encouraging students to put these lessons into daily practice. The success of this programme reflects SmartKids Ghana's ongoing commitment to supporting holistic child development and creating healthier school environments where students can learn and thrive without preventable health challenges. We are proud of the positive impact made through this initiative and look forward to expanding its reach to even more schools and communities in the future.

You can create a fundraising campaign with us by reaching out on our social media or email: contact@smartkidsghana.org or Donate via: <https://smartkidsghana.org/give/>



LOOKING AHEAD



Recruit new monthly donors

The future of SmartKids Ghana depends on the power of consistent support, and now more than ever, we are calling on compassionate individuals and organisations to join our growing community of monthly donors. Monthly giving is the heartbeat of our mission, it allows us to plan confidently, respond quickly to the needs of our scholars, and continue providing quality education, mentorship, and life-changing opportunities to children.


Today, out of the 30 scholars currently benefiting from our programmes, only 10 have committed monthly donors supporting their educational journey. That means many bright and deserving children are still waiting for someone to believe in them consistently. A monthly donation is more than a financial contribution, it is a promise of hope, encouragement, and opportunity.

We warmly invite you, your organisation, your family, or your network to become part of this transformative journey by signing up as a monthly donor. With \$15 or more, you create a lasting impact and help shape brighter futures for children across Ghana. And if you are unable to donate at this time, you can still help us tremendously by sharing our mission, tell a friend, share our story, and help us reach hearts willing to support. Together, we can build a stronger community of changemakers and ensure that no child is left behind.

Create a measurable impact via: <https://smartkidsghana.org/give/>



Zoom Teaching Program



SmartKids Ghana is proud to announce the successful completion of the second cohort of our Zoom Teaching Program at Amoam Achiase Basic School, a truly impactful and inspiring educational journey that reached 60 scholars through the power of virtual learning. This cohort was made possible through the dedication and collaboration of 3 committed Zoom teachers and 7 incredible Ghanaian student ambassadors, including 5 on-the-ground ambassadors and 2 virtual ambassadors, who worked tirelessly to support and engage students throughout the program.

Together, they delivered an impressive 9 hours of teaching, a 21st century curriculum, and interactive learning sessions that empowered scholars with knowledge, confidence, and power. The success of this cohort highlights the growing impact of the Zoom Teaching Program as a powerful bridge connecting volunteers and students across different locations while breaking barriers to quality education and the digital divide faced in Ghana. We are deeply grateful to every teacher, ambassador, and supporter who contributed to making this cohort such a success.

Building on this exciting momentum, we are thrilled to announce that preparations are already underway for our 3rd cohort, which will take place in a new partner school from June 6, 2026, to July 11, 2026. With every new cohort, we continue to strengthen our educational outreach, expand opportunities for students, and create innovative ways to make learning accessible and impactful. We look forward to welcoming even more scholars, teachers, and ambassadors as we continue transforming lives through education and technology.



CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM - SMARTKIDS GHANA X HRDBYABENAH

Following the incredible success of the SmartKids Ghana X HrdbyAbenah Career Development Program: JHS Edition, we are excited to announce that the program is returning once again this June, this time specially designed for Senior High School students. This upcoming edition aims to provide SHS students with an even deeper and more practical understanding of career development, leadership, personal growth, and the opportunities available to them as they prepare for life beyond secondary school.

The previous JHS edition, held in April, created a powerful and engaging learning environment where students explored career pathways, built confidence, and developed important life skills through interactive sessions and meaningful discussions. A major highlight was the inspiring facilitation by Mrs. Emma Kusi (HRdbyAbenah), whose impactful sessions on career planning, self-awareness, public speaking, discipline, and goal setting left a lasting impression on students and motivated them to dream bigger about their futures.

Building on that momentum, the SHS edition promises to be even more insightful, empowering, and transformational as students will be introduced to advanced career guidance, leadership development, and practical strategies for academic and personal success. Through this initiative, SmartKids Ghana and HrdbyAbenah continue to strengthen our commitment to equipping young people with the confidence, knowledge, and direction needed to become future leaders and changemakers. We are excited to see the impact this next chapter will create and look forward to inspiring even more students to unlock their full potential.



BIRTHDAYS FOR BRIGHT FUTURES CAMPAIGN

We are thrilled to announce the launch of our exciting new fundraising initiative: “Birthdays for Bright Futures” – a powerful campaign that transforms birthdays into opportunities to change lives through education. This inspiring initiative invites partners, friends, supporters, volunteers, and student ambassadors to celebrate their special day by raising funds to support life-changing programs at SmartKids Ghana. Instead of receiving gifts, participants can dedicate their birthdays to giving children access to quality education, mentorship, technology, and brighter futures.

Every birthday celebrated through this campaign becomes more than just a personal milestone, it becomes a celebration of hope, impact, and opportunity for children across Ghana. Whether you are turning 16, 21, 30, or 60, your birthday can help provide learning resources, support scholars, and expand educational opportunities for underserved communities. Through the power of collective giving, we are creating a movement where celebrations become meaningful acts of generosity and transformation. To make the campaign even more exciting, we have introduced three impactful fundraising tiers:

The Hope Builder Tier – \$100

Help strengthen and support the ongoing work of SmartKids Ghana by contributing towards the staff. When you invest in our staff, you're investing in the people who make our mission possible. Your contribution helps us retain skilled team members, maintain consistent services, and expand our impact where it is needed most.

The Scholar Champion Tier – \$150

Sponsor 10 scholars by helping provide educational support, mentorship, and resources that empower students to thrive academically and personally.

The Future Makers Tier – \$300

Fund an entire 6 weeks Zoom Teaching Cohort, helping deliver engaging virtual lessons, mentorship, and academic support to students through our innovative Zoom Teaching Programme.

We are incredibly excited about the potential of this campaign to bring communities together and inspire more people to celebrate with purpose. Your birthday has the power to create real impact and lasting change in a child's life. Join the “Birthdays for Bright Futures” campaign today and turn your celebration into a gift that keeps giving.

Join Us in Making a Difference

As we look ahead, our commitment to strengthening fundraising efforts, minimizing expenses where possible and maximizing the impact of every contribution remains unwavering. We are actively seeking additional support, especially for office furnishing and our Zoom Teaching Program.

To all our donors, student ambassadors, and supporters, we extend our heartfelt thanks. Your generosity and dedication are the driving force behind our progress, helping us provide underserved young scholars with the quality education they deserve.



For further details or to support our mission, please visit www.smartkidsghana.org or contact us at +233-256-408-604 (GH) | (609) 436-0717 (USA).

Thank you to everyone who made April a success. Together, we are transforming lives through education!