

**This quarter we...**

- Paid school fees for over 230 students in 50 schools
- Built 1 house and 2 outdoor toilets
- Distributed 210 bags of food to over 55 families
- Hosted 15 tutorial sessions across 2 locations
- Delivered 13 beds and mattresses to 8 families
- Helped start 2 small businesses
- Installed solar panels and lighting for 3 families
- Gave out 18 solar lamps to students
- Saw 5 HOPE students graduate technical college
- Brought 6 new students into the project
- Hosted 2 meetings with parents and guardians
- Provided a 200-liter water tank to a family

**Helping More Children**

We welcomed six new students into the project this quarter, including one child who had never attended school before. She is starting in first grade, even though she is ten years old. We will do our best to make sure she gets a good education from here forward.



**A New Home for Michael and Patrick**

Michael, grade 9, and Patrick, grade 5, joined the HOPE Project earlier this year. Their father is ill and unable to work, and their mother washes clothes for a living. The family barely scrapes by. Their mud home was collapsing, so in July, we built them a new house and outdoor toilet.



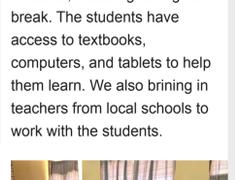
**Back to School for the Third Term**

Students are back to school after August term break for the third and final term of the year. We paid school third term school fees for over 230 students across 50 schools from pre-primary through vocational school and college.



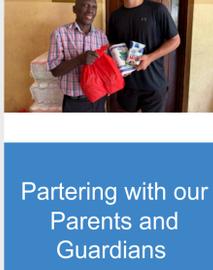
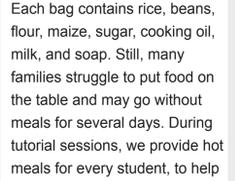
**Giving Children a Place to Sleep**

We delivered 13 sets of beds, mattresses, sheets, and pillows to 8 families who were previously sleeping on the ground or on old, dirty mattresses.



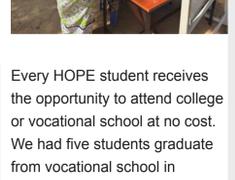
**Helping Our Children Learn**

We ran 15 full-day tutorial sessions across two locations during the third quarter for our students, including during term break. The students have access to textbooks, computers, and tablets to help them learn. We also bring in teachers from local schools to work with the students.



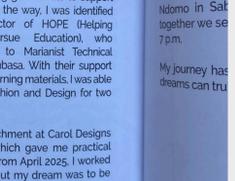
**Ensuring Families Have Food to Eat**

We gave out 210 bags of food to needy families this quarter. Each bag contains rice, beans, flour, maize, sugar, cooking oil, milk, and soap. Still, many families struggle to put food on the table and may go without meals for several days. During tutorial sessions, we provide hot meals for every student, to help ensure no one goes hungry.



**Partnering with our Parents and Guardians**

We meet with the parents and guardians of our students a few times year across our two locations. This was our second set of meetings for the year. We need to work together for the success of their children.



**Congratulations on your Outstanding Accomplishment**

Every HOPE student receives the opportunity to attend college or vocational school at no cost. We had five students graduate from vocational school in September – fashion and design, tailoring, welding, and electrical installation. We are working to help these students to either start their own businesses or find employment.



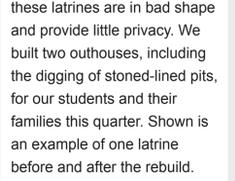
**Starting Small Businesses**

After graduating, we provide startup funding for students to launch their own small businesses. Since youth unemployment in Mombasa is extremely high, it is essential for students to develop the skills to earn an income. Recently, Leonida and Saumu started their own tailoring businesses with our support.



**Light amidst the Darkness**

Most HOPE families do not have electricity. When the sun goes down, the house goes dark, and the students can no longer study. This quarter, we installed 3 portable solar panels with light bulbs in the homes of three families and gave out solar lamps to 18 students to ensure students have light to study at night, and the family has some light after dark.



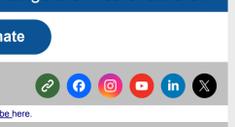
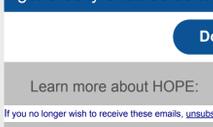
**Outdoor Toilets**

Most HOPE families do not have running water in their homes and are forced to use outdoor toilet facilities. Many of these latrines are in bad shape and provide little privacy. We built two outhouses, including the digging of stoned-lined pits, for our students and their families this quarter. Shown is an example of one latrine before and after the rebuild.



**Welcoming Guests**

We were thrilled to have several visitors work with the HOPE Project this summer. Christopher, who just graduated from Georgetown, worked with us for two months. Esther, Charlotte, and Suleiman from Kenya Electives, which places UK medical students in Kenya for clinical experience, spent a day with us doing ministry work.



It's hard to believe the year is almost over. We've accomplished a lot so far this year but have lots more to do. We cannot survive without your support. Your generosity enables us to change the lives of children.

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