



Grapesyard Education Centre

Korogocho, Kenya



Most of the students' fathers work as labourers, while mothers wash clothes and sell vegetables. The families here speak Kiswahili.



The Korogocho neighbourhood of Nairobi lacks many essentials, such as electricity, clean water, and toilet facilities.

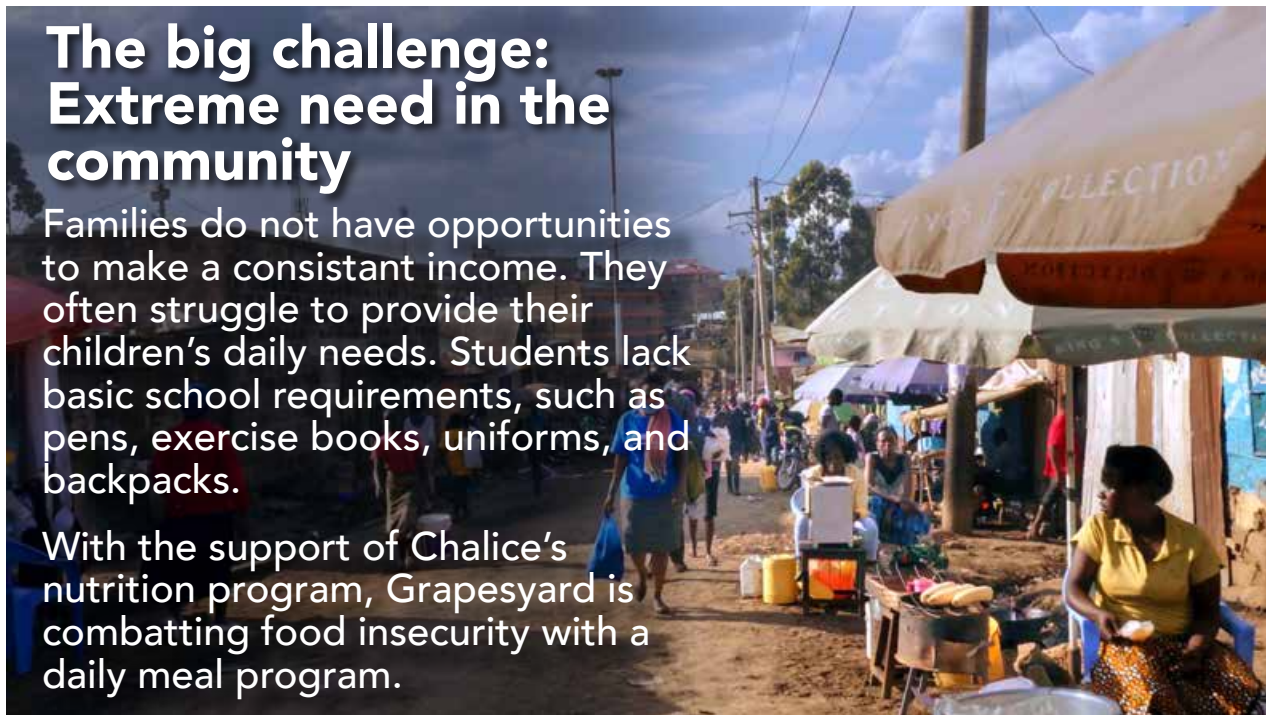


- 1465 students
- 27 staff members.
- 22 classrooms.
- Daily hot lunch program.

The big challenge: Extreme need in the community

Families do not have opportunities to make a consistent income. They often struggle to provide their children's daily needs. Students lack basic school requirements, such as pens, exercise books, uniforms, and backpacks.

With the support of Chalice's nutrition program, Grapesyard is combatting food insecurity with a daily meal program.



Grapesyard Education Centre's needs:

Textbooks: Thanks to Canadian students involved in *School Connections*, Grapesyard has been able to start filling their library with books. Before, the library shelves were almost empty - five children were sharing one book!



Since they received books, children are enthusiastic about reading and come to library on weekends just to read. However, they are still sharing one book per two students. The school would love to have enough books so that every student has an up-to-date textbook for the curriculum of their grade-level.



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