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2024-2025 PROJECTS



078 Jane Gordon Cook Campus - El Chino Village, Peru
Funded by The Downey & Jane Gordon Cook Families



079 Grace English Medium School– Bollamjhora, Assam, India
Funded by The Behning Family



080 S.U. Nemesio R Canales School, Jayuya, Puerto Rico
Supported by The Page Family & Unidos Por Utuado



081 Esperanza Primary & Secondary School - Esperanza, Peru
Funded by The McCabe-Walls Family



082 Joe Ford Legacy Classroom #3 – Makumba, Malawi
Supported by The Ford Family



083 JGC Campus Teacher Housing - El Chino Village, Peru
Funded by The Jane Gordon Cook Family



084 FIAM Academy Classrooms – West Bengal, India
Funded by The Avery Family

BTCV-SPED

Our Special Education Initiative led by Maddy Licocci and Bailey Womble, and facilitated by SPED Liaisons on each Team, advanced our mission of Awareness, Access, and Opportunity in Malawi, India, Peru and Puerto Rico this year.











Please consider volunteering for one of our upcoming projects - it will change lives, including your own!

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BTCV KIDS

Our "BTCV Kids" program helps make big dreams come true for students from BTCV Partner Communities all around the world. This program funds educational needs for dedicated students so that they can pursue their dreams to the highest academic levels possible. BTCV Kids must maintain high attendance and passing marks in all classes, and send progress reports to BTCV each term. They must also *Be The Change* themselves by documenting service to others in some capacity. The program is funded by individual donations designated for this purpose as well as established special scholarships for our BTCV Kids:

- **The Patricia Crouch Family Memorial Scholarship**
- **The Malala Yousafzai Scholarship for Girls**
- **The Phomotso Makeke Cook Everything-is-the-best Scholarship**
- **Big Teacher Hug Scholarship**
- **BTCV Kids-Puerto Rico**


BTCV Kids

BTCV Kids Application Form

MUST be completed each year prior to funding

Personal Details		
Title (Mr., Mrs., Miss):	Male	Female
Full Names:		
Surname:		
National ID No:		
Home Address:		
Province/State:	Code:	
Municipality:		
Email:		
Telephone No.:	Cell Phone No.:	
Have you been convicted of a crime? If yes, please specify:		













Please consider donating to help these students succeed!

BTCV Kids Sponsors for 2024-2025

Debbie Waggoner • Thompson Family • Rachel & Grant Venable • Ted Kettlewell
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BY THE NUMBERS

$531,026 in Total Funding for 2024

$524,910 in Expenses for 2024

PROJECTS = $318,161
BTCV KIDS = $22,643
CHANGER SCHOLARSHIPS = $24,700
OPERATIONS = $159,406

Commitment to Sustainability

Annual Reports Our partner schools are responsible for submitting annual reports to stay eligible for continued funding and resourcing. These reports provide the data for the BTCV Annual Report.

Site Visits Our phased-building approach allows us to assess the sustainability of our previous projects. In 2024-2025, we were able to do assessments with our partners in Peru, India, Guatemala, Malawi and Rwanda.

BTCV Sustainability Endowment Fund To keep our "100% Promise to Donors", hold ourselves accountable to our project sustainability requirement, cover all Operations expenses, and have a safety net for unforeseen costs, we have created this Endowment which **now totals more $3.5MM!** Our goal is $4MM - Please consider donating to this fund.

Check out our full financial reporting at
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2024-2025 ROI

Return on Investment

Students in BTCV Partner Schools = 10,002

%Girls = 51%

Average Attendance = 86%

Number of BTCV Kids Scholarships = 28

New students in BTCV Partner Schools =1,823

Students completing highest grade = 868

BTCV Kids in College-University-Trade School = 16

New Jobs for Students = 63

Teachers in Partner Schools = 422

Teachers in BTCV Housing = 53

Make Your Next Investment Today

http://www.bethechangevolunteers.org/donate.html

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THANK YOU for supporting BTCV!!

We want to very sincerely thank each and every one of our BTCV donors. We are no longer naming all donors in the annual report for privacy considerations, but we want to let each of you know how grateful we are for your support – NONE of this could happen without ALL OF YOU!! Please consider becoming a BTCV Sustaining Member
https://donorbox.org/sustaining-member

2024-2025 BTCV Special Project Donors

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Purina • Veterinary Allergy & Dermatology • Trilogy Publishing
Jina Yoo's Asian Bistro • Diggit Graphics • Pfizer • Johnson & Johnson

BTCV Stories in Pictures

Check out our newsletters to see the great stories, pictures, and videos from our recent projects

https://www.bethechangevolunteers.org/newsletter.html

BTCV People

Co-Founders & Directors
Jimi Cook Cristi Cook

Director of Change
Grant Venable

Director of Field Operations–Africa
BTCV Kids Coordinator
Thato Mabena

Director of BTCV-SPED (Special Education)
Maddy Licocci

Executive Coordinator of Change
Chief Compassion Officer
Debbie Waggoner

Advisory Council

Pam Plouhar	Linda Karl	Deb Ford
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Bailey Womble	John Heidrich	Ned Williams

BTCV Pro Bono Accountants
Garry L. Albert, CPA D. Ryan Blakeney, CPA

BTCV Newsletter Editor
Ashlynn Roberts

Changers of the Year
Bailey Womble and John Heidrich were selected as the *2024 BTCV Changers of the Year* for building relationships and creating change through the power of education.



