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CENTRE FOR COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT
AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

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Many rural students are often deprived of quality education due to lack of qualified teaching force and access to quality learning materials. Supporting Technology Integration in Rural Education is an initiative aimed at availing the opportunity presented by ICT; in increasing access to quality education in rural schools.

PROBLEM



- Rural school students have more than 5 times lesser chances of going into higher education than the urban ones. Yet for various reasons, qualified teachers are not keen to move to rural areas. Poverty is especially severe in rural areas, where up to 80 per cent of estimated 100million rural populations live below the poverty line, with limited access to basic socioeconomic support and opportunities
- 90% of Youths in rural communities' lack basic ICT skills due to poor educational facilities.

SOLUTION:



- A community learning center that addresses the learning, teaching and training needs of the teachers and pupils.
- A capacity building initiative geared towards learning and improving computer literacy and ICT skills fitted for 21st century.

OUTCOME



- 1000 rural students access ICT enabled learning centers in their schools & community.
- Teachers access technology enabled 21st century teaching techniques and standard online knowledge

SUSTAINABILITY:



- Functional ICT business enterprise will run in the learning centers for marketing promotions
- Community support and donations from women cooperatives and community leadership will be encouraged for sustenance of established centers.

PROJECT MODEL:



ADVOCACY

Visiting various stakeholders towards identifying and confirming primary, secondary stakeholders and influencing factors.



CAPACITY BUILDING

Establishing 2-community ICT centers including facility assessment and renovation works and basic furnishing. Training of the teachers and project volunteers



PROCURE & DISTRIBUTE

Distributing the ICT equipment, audio visuals, solar energy resource for operating community ICT resource centers

IMPACT



ECONOMIC

Overall improved income of the community, has they are availed with access to online opportunities, businesses and training.



SOCIAL

The youths are more technologically savvy and confident to pursue further education.



ENVIRONMENTAL

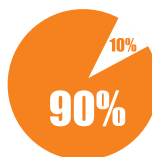
The online education and out-of-school community outreaches covers, hygiene, sanitation, promoting a clean and self-sustaining community



SUPPORT

#103,600

#103,600 provides a woman/youth access to a community learning center enabled with 21st century ICT skills.



We strive to ensure that 10% is used on administrative costs and 90% for our programs.

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