

Policy plan 2025

Friends of Kibera Foundation

Goals to be achieved for the benefit of the Oloo Children Centre

Short term (2025)

Project Junior High School (starting in 2025)

Last year we didn't succeed to raise the money needed for the start of the Junior High School - department. The start is planned for 2025. There is not enough money for all the needed equipments. We will continue to raise funds for this project in 2025.

Project Sponsorship Scholarships

In 2024, the Friends of Kibera Foundation has set up a second fund from which we will pay scholarships for further education for children who have completed primary education and for whom further education is unaffordable. In February 2024, 23 children were able to start because there was enough money to pay their school fees. In 2025, efforts will be made to recruit donors for another three children.

Acquire revenues

We continue to think of ways to get more and structural income as a Foundation. Options that will be further investigated/addressed.

- Incentro Netherlands was considered a benefactor for our Foundation, but this has changed due to management change and change of 'charity policy'. The company is benevolent, but an important condition is enthusiastic employees, especially for the Friends of Kibera Foundation. Our board member, who is also an employee of Incentro, will be an ambassador to make employees of Incentro enthusiastic.
- We try to find companies in our own hometowns that want to contribute to this 'good cause'.
- We are again approaching local Books4life shops with a request for a donation.

Long term

The goal of the Foundation remains: ensure that as many children from Kibera as possible get out of the poverty circle. Being able to follow education is crucial for this. The underlying goal of the contacts with and support of the school is to support the school financially so that it is feasible for them to offer education to children who could otherwise not receive it. As long as the Kenyan government does not recognize that education is necessary for the big amount of children living in the Kibera slum and admits that the government itself is actually responsible for this, the children will remain dependent on well-doing residents of Kibera like the Oloo Education Center team. And they cannot do it without outside support. Our support will continue to be needed not only in 2025 but also beyond.