



# Kwasha - Kids, Inc.

*supporting the*  
**Kwasha-Molya Community School**

## School Expansion Capital Campaign

**Dear friend of Kwasha,**

When there are wonderful things happening at Kwasha-Molya Community School, we want very much to share them with you. These are some of the exciting updates about the school:

- Because of a generous gift, a second well is going to be dug this fall.
- The Zambian Departments of Education and Health have periodically closed all the schools due to the Coronavirus. We are thankful that these actions have kept our school Covid-free. When school has been reopened, our Kwasha teachers have cleaned every desk and classroom before the students returned.
- Kwasha-Molya School now has 529 students in grades 1 through 9 and 11 teachers.



Looking to the future, the St. Louis based Board of Directors for Kwasha-Kids is planning an exciting expansion opportunity that will require additional support from the friends of Kwasha. This planned Capital Campaign will add five greatly needed new classrooms and other facilities in a new building. Currently, our students are only attending school half days due to lack of classroom space.



**Karen Raborn**  
*Executive Director*

With your support, we are educating and feeding 529 children in Kwasha-Molya School, using every available space on the campus. Our outdoor classrooms (thatched-roof gazebos) become flooded during the rainy season, further restricting teaching spaces and adding urgency to our need for more classrooms. Thank you for being on this journey with us. Lives have been changed, hope renewed, and God's love reinforced.





Gazebo School, 2013



Kwasha-Molya 3-room School, 2018



Proposed 5-classroom addition, 2022

## Benefits

Here are some of the additional benefits of this proposed expansion project:

- Having a total of eight classrooms allows our school to have all day classes for all grades. Older students often walk with their younger siblings to school for safety reasons and then must wait to the end of the day to walk together back home.
- Feeding the students will be easier for those preparing the food.
- School will be more learning friendly because students will be indoors out of the wind, rain, and heat and in a dedicated-by-grade classroom where concentration and study are easier.
- The community is invested in this project and able to participate in the construction of the new building much as they did for the original one when parents made literally thousands of bricks.



**Remarkable things have been accomplished in the past few years in our efforts to educate these children because of involvement of their parents and because of the support you have given. We are again asking for your financial support for the ongoing education of these students and for the increased opportunities that can be offered through our planned expansion of the facilities. Your gift can be designated for operational expenses, the capital campaign or unrestricted. Donations can be easily made through any one of the following:**

- Use your smart phone camera with the QR code to the right
- Donate by going to our website: <https://www.kwasha-kids.org>
- Checks to Kwasha-Kids, Inc. P.O. Box 221736 Kirkwood, MO 63122
- Monthly donations are easy, secure & convenient. Contact PayPal or your bank



*Kwasha-Kids, Inc. is a 501 (C) (3) organization and all donations are tax-deductible.*