



# GROWN TO HELP

## Light Up Impact - Donation summary report

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Grown to help (GTH) is a local NGO/NPO registered and operate in the accordance of the Rwandan law, it is base in Nyarugenge District, Kigali City. It aims at transforming the lives of children from vulnerable children and helping their parents to overcome poverty and develop self-reliance.

It is a member of Light Impact Community and; It is one of seven organizations that have earned the Lightup Impact badge and been shortlisted to participate in a joint crowdfunding campaign and the Founder Tour program.

Light-Up Impact donated an amount of 1000 euros to Grown To Help Organization in 2022. The money was used as follows:

- €200: To buy 38 Packs of Reusable Sanitary Pad Distributed to 9 beneficiary women 3 teen mothers and 26 Adolescents girls during the Founder Tour in April 2022.
- €100: To cover refreshments and transport fees for 10 founders who participated in the focus group discussion with LI Team.
- €300: To pay feeding fees for 20 GTH Beneficiary children in schools for the 3<sup>rd</sup> term of the 2021/2022 academic year.
- €400: The sponsorship contributed to pay the flight ticket for GTH founder, who participated in the Light Up Impact Live Meetup in Nairobi.

Period poverty is one of the factors that affect the girl child's academic performance, increases the risk of sexually transmitted infections, and the high rate of GBV among vulnerable women and teen mothers. The school feeding program is an effective mechanism to address child nutrition issues and increase enrolment, retention and performance especially for vulnerable children. Your donation helped eradicate the problem for a two-years period, that lasts reusable pads. It also contributed to a better future generation by keeping 20 vulnerable children in school and helped them finish their 2021/2022 academic year peacefully.

Such an impactful collaboration, have added remarkable value to our organization. it has increased our visibility in terms of promoting our activities, and connecting us with other change-makers, by enabling us to participate in the LI conference in Nairobi, where we shared experience and learned from qualified speakers.

Please receive our sincere gratitude for such a useful donation, which has contributed to the growth of our organization and specifically to the wellbeing of our beneficiaries.

Your mission and the effort you put in to bring it to life is what gives startups/young organizations in east Africa the hope, the source, and the support they need to grow, and opens doors for us to many opportunities.

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