

Fifteen months after the Earthquake:

Accomplishments and Goals – April 12, 2011

During the past fifteen months your generosity has made so much possible. We're committed together to continuing to make a difference for people in Haiti. Here is what you made possible, and by God's grace, what we can accomplish together in the year ahead:

Disaster Response and helping Haitians change Haiti through education:

1. Emergency support – immediately after the quake more than 5,000 Haitians in our partner school communities received aid for food, water, shelter and medical care.
2. Generators – 240 distributed to schools, churches and community organizations.
3. Education – within 90 days of the quake all seven of our partner schools were operational, with five of them meeting in temporary structures.
4. School Reconstruction – Brand-new, quality facilities were built for three of our partner schools.
5. Trauma training – more than 3,000 Haitians received support from teachers and leaders in our networks in dealing with trauma.
6. Cholera prevention – more than 7,000 Haitians received training in cholera prevention.
7. Bible Distribution– 10,000 people received God's Word and training in participatory Bible study.
8. Credit program – 300 families benefitting from microloans to start/grow small businesses.
9. Computers – 350 children and 85 mentors received XO laptops and 4 to 6 weeks of training.
10. Educators trained - over 1,100 participated in our 3-month Civic Empowerment program, which builds skills in critical thinking, dialogue, and collaboration, while also encouraging civic involvement. This impacts more than 15,000 students.
11. Jobs – hundreds of Haitians were employed through these activities.
12. Hot meals for students – Enough food obtained for all students in our seven partner schools to have a hot lunch every school day for the next year.
13. Haiti Partners produces an inspiring, 27-minute film: *Social Business for Advancing Education*– It tells the incredible story of Haitian farmers creating income generating activities together so that they could start schools. Along with the companion booklet, this tool will foster creativity and entrepreneurship for education.
14. Eco-sanitation at partner schools: thanks to partnership with [Give Love](#), we're piloting a compost toilet system which will reduce health risks and improve crop yield simultaneously.

15. Partnering with [Grameen Creative Lab Haiti](#) to foster social enterprises at our partner schools, creating self-sustaining funding streams to advance quality education.
16. Hosted over 150 people from North America in Haiti –good people who want to engage more with us and become advocates with us in *helping Haitians change Haiti through education*.
17. We've created Schools, Church, and Corporate Partnership Programs that will allow North American institutions to partner with the work in Haiti.
18. Purchased 2.8 acres and partnering with [Architecture For Humanity](#) to build a model school and teacher training center called Children's Academy.
19. Training, training and more training – We're partnering with reputable organizations which provide training and resources for teachers in our partner schools along with many other educators: [Mother Goose Time](#), [Educavision](#), [Elevating Learning Beyond Teaching](#) and others.

With your help, we can build on this:

STUDENTS Program

In addition to educating 1,000 children in seven partner schools, we will:

- Equip three newly built schools with electricity, Internet, and computer labs.
- Continue improving our schools with teacher training, mentoring and additional resources—and helping partner schools create businesses to help cover school costs.
- Begin building a Children's Academy to serve as a model school for the nation.
- Develop a *New School Creation* program in partnership with [CNN Hero Bobby Duval](#).

TEACHERS Program

- Train 450 educators (for 9,000 children) in our Civic Empowerment Program.
- Partner with Haitian-American educators of Dade County, [Belmont University](#) and other institutions to improve our teacher-training program to the benefit of schools across the country.

LEADERS Program

Convene 40 community leaders/educators from around the country for four sessions of training in participatory leadership, organizational development and also provide seed capital for them to start community enterprises to generate income for education.

DISCIPLES Program

While working with churches and schools to strengthen their Christian education programs, we will:

- Distribute 10,000 Bibles in partnership with the Canadian Bible Society. Continue training and distribution of 4 Creole Christian education books we've developed—and complete work on a new Bible study for churches focused on children's rights.
- Launch a scholarship program to enable top Haitian church leaders to receive education at a Haitian seminary—along with internship and other training opportunities.