



LIDRO

**PROJECT REPORT,
JULY 2020 - AUGUST 2020**

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**“Educate and Feed 150 Children in a Post COVID-19
Primary Education Tutorial Program in Margibi
County, Liberia“**

PRESENTED BY

Life Development Relief
Organization (LIDRO)

PROJECT SUMMARY

Liberia has one of the world's highest levels of out-of-school children, with an estimated 15 to 20 percent of 6-14 years olds are not in class. Just over a third of pre-school age children have access to early childhood learning programs. (UNICEF LIBERIA)

The “NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND” project was an initiative designed to Educate and Feed 150 Children in a Post COVID-19 Primary Education Tutorial Program in Margibi County, Liberia“. Liberia registered her first Coronavirus case in mid-March 2020, and since then, COVID 19 has had a huge impact on the education system. Schools were immediately closed; with an urgent call to stop all social and public gatherings- leaving students with no other option but to complete their curriculum via home assignments. They didn't have the time to receive lesson drills and care from their teachers. This was identified as a problem for special care students with cognitive issues and slow learning impairments.

Since the announcement of the next academic school year at the time was yet in suspense, Life Development Relief Organization (LIDRO) initiated the “NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND” Education and Feeding program to provide primary tutorial education for 150 early childhood students. The project ran for six weeks.

PROBLEM STATEMENT

School age children that pour into classrooms have a certain intellectual emptiness which needs to be filled in one way or another. With COVID-19 prematurely ending the school year, students requiring special care now have a mountain to climb. All through during the lockdown, most school age children spend more time with toys and playing with their peers rather than studying. Fact is, most of them cannot study on their own unless with a tutor. The future challenge is they might forget most of the materials that have been taught, leaving them prone to massive slowness in catching up with the curriculum upon the commencement of the next academic year.

SCOPE STATEMENT

This project was implemented in Margibi, a county on the north-central coast of Liberia, an hour drive away from the capital. The specific project location is Mambah-Kaba, District One. The county's projected population is 272,255: 137,267 male and 134,988 female.



PROJECT BENEFICIARIES

#1

150 SCHOOLAGE CHILDREN IN
VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES IN
MARGIBI COUNTY

#2

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
PROVIDED FOR 9 TEACHERS

MAIN ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The “NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND EDUCATION & FEEDING Project” impacted participants from 10 nearby vulnerable communities in and around Margibi County. Up to 150 children between the ages 4 to 13 years benefited from this initiative. They were taught as per the requirement of the legitimate educational curriculum as per their level and as well; they were fed on a weekly basis.



ISSUES & RISKS (MAJOR CONSTRAINTS)

The major constraint faced during the implementation of this project was minimum funds for implementation as per the estimated budget of the project. The project was fully funded with no cost attached. There was no registration fees for participants, and all materials used for in class., for feeding and practical was been provided free for the beneficiaries.

FINANCIAL REPORT

SOURCE OF INCOME	AMOUNT USD
GoFundMe	\$560.00
Personal donations	\$1,910.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$2,470.00

A financial regulation framework was developed to manage the project finance. All funds received are recorded and receipts are made available for money spent. Funds for implementation were gathered from both Gofundme and personal donations.

ACTIVITY/INTERVENTION	AMOUNT USD
Opening	\$250.00
Outreach & Recruitment	\$75.00
Feeding for attendees	\$600.00
Educational supplies	\$450.00
Skill Trainers Compensation	\$840.00
Program finishing and completion	\$350.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	\$2,565.00



GRATITUDE STATEMENT

This project would've not been successful without the support of all the amazing people that contributed in cash, kind and services. We from LIDRO are completely overwhelmed by the enormous support shown in such a time of crises. We are glad that you guys saw the need like our team did. We are sure that the children who benefited from this project will pay it forward by building and sustaining a vibrant nation. Together, we can ensure that our native land Liberia has a great foundation for the future. We can do so much more when we work together. May God Almighty richly bless you all.

Thanks a million more times.

Kind regards,
Team LIDRO

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