

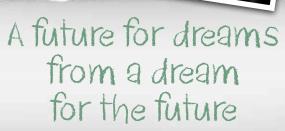
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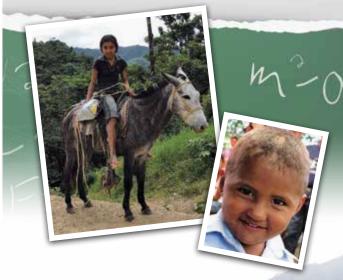
Your prayers and dollars will directly impact the educational experience of hundreds of children in Honduras.

Your generosity is inspiring those children to dream for their futures.

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Facts & Figures

Educate the Children Honduras is currently working with three schools in the mountain region of Olancho, Honduras—the result of inspired ideas and donated resources to fund teachers and provide space so local children can receive an otherwise elusive secondary education.

Valle Alegre The project's first school, completed in 2005, welcomed students who never received education beyond the sixth grade—when government funding for education stops. Many students walk four hours to and from school for the privilege of an education.

Barro Seales Recognizing the need, a Valle Alegre teacher traveled two hours in the mountains to bring education to this remote area. The school now has its own teachers and the students are able to speak and write a little English.

Nueva Esperanza This small village is home to the newest school. Students are serious about their studies and are supported and encouraged by a strong parent organization. They are in the process of building a new school house with locally made mud and straw bricks.



Since 2005, the three schools have been thriving against the odds. Today, there are a total of 120 students attending and a staff of eight teachers who provide instruction to them.

Parents purchase uniforms and supplies when they are able. However, with an average wage of \$3.00/day this requires significant sacrifice on their part. Educate the Children Honduras provides the teacher salaries and the majority of the school supplies.

The teachers are constantly seeking new ways to increase and develop their students' skills in academic, creative and vocational training. As a result, the students are now beginning to recognize their own potential and prepare themselves for a future that they never imagined possible! We are so proud that three of our former students are now teachers.

• To educate a child costs about \$30/month. A total cost of approximately \$360/year.

100% of your donation goes directly to the schools and helps the children continue their dreams. Any gift or prayer is greatly appreciated.

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