

HELP SEND US BACK TO SCHOOL



BCH 2023 YEARBOOK



BCH NEWSLETTER



While reading through our 2023 BCH Yearbook, you will learn how much our children love music class, playing sports, and other school activities. Uniforms are a vital supply for our children to attend school. Not only are they required for attendance, but for some of our children it is the best outfit they own, and they wear them to church on Sunday. Our 2023 Back-to-School goal is to raise enough funds for two new uniforms in addition to fees and other necessary supplies for each child. You can help equip the children for the 23-24 school year.

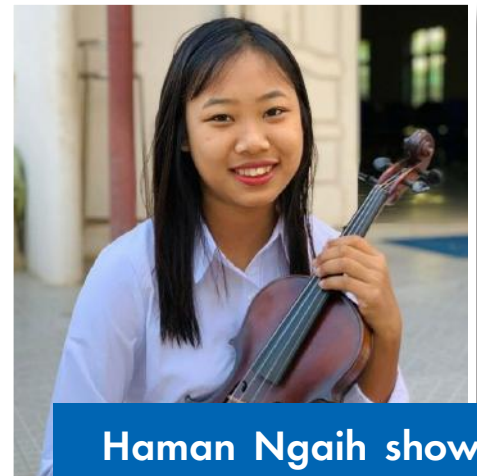
YOUR GIFT HELPS PREPARE US FOR SCHOOL



Kindergarten Students
in Manipur, India



Bijay and his brother
Sarat on their way to
school.



Haman Ngaih shows
us her violin that
she learns to play in
school.



Yakub, from our Kadesh Home
in India, enjoys learning to play
the drums.



Students in Myanmar



You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have put off my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness - Psalm 30:11

HOW SCHOOL HAS LOOKED DIFFERENT

Because of the civil war and great danger near their homes, most of our children in Myanmar have been homeschooled by their houseparents. The good news is our children in some of our homes like GEM are enrolling in private and public school for the first time. We are thankful their houseparents have found a safe way to invest in the children's futures. **Help Send them Back to School:** please use the enclosed donation slip and postage paid envelope to help us reach our goal to equip every child in our care with the uniforms, tuition, fees and supplies they need.



Children in our Agape Home, Myanmar, gather to learn from their teacher.



Learning around their table in our Agape Home, Myanmar.



Children learning in our GEM Home, Myanmar. The children are looking forward to attending in-person school this fall!



Children in our Hope Home, Myanmar, studying.



Bible class in the Agape Myanmar Home.

Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it. - Proverbs 22:6

YOUR GIFT HELPS US GROW & THRIVE

Having their Back-to-School needs met means one less care. Helping our BCH's caregivers with added school expenses lightens theirs and the children's mental load. One less concern means time and energy to encourage recreation, fresh air and play.



Eight-year-old Sarat from our Siloam Home, India jumps over a friend during playtime.



Michael and Moses, brothers in our Grace Home, Myanmar, get some sunshine and fresh air together.



Students playing Carrom, a popular game in many of our international locations.



Students on a field trip from our Agape Home in India.



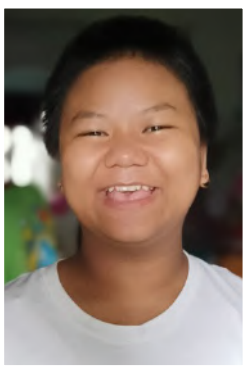
Consider the lilies, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; and yet I say to you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. - Luke 12:27

2023 BCH SPOTLIGHTS SPONSOR THEIR FUTURE

Your Back-to-School gift today will make a difference in the lives of BCH children living in difficult circumstances. You can also become a personal prayer partner and sponsor for any of our children in care. When you sponsor a child through Hearts of Compassion you are helping BCH provide daily needs, a safe home, biblical teaching, and a path to a fruitful future. Your personal connection to one child helps us provide for every child in our care. All funds are pooled in accordance with IRS guidelines, and every child in our program can count on consistent support.

Paul | Age 17 | Myanmar

Paul enjoys playing football with his friends. He loves to play the piano and guitar. Paul has been growing in his spiritual life.



Sarah | Age 15 | Myanmar

Sarah likes to play sports and the guitar. She enjoys playing games with her friends. Sarah's favorite subject in school is English, and she loves music. She would like to become a nurse.

Binod | Age 6 | Nepal

Binod says he enjoys school and making friendships with the other children. Binod loves to play football and dance for fun. He would like to become a doctor when he is grown. Binod's favorite Bible verse is Matthew 5:4 - Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.



Emily | Age 9 | Myanmar

Emily loves going to school and loves to learn. She enjoys playing sports with her friends. Emily was recently saved and experienced water baptism. Emily wants to become a violinist or a singer when she is grown. Her favorite Bible verse is John 14:6 - Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."

YOU CAN CHANGE A CHILD'S LIFE

Become a child's prayer advocate and sponsor. At BCH, we are passionate about keeping a direct, personal connection to each individual child in our care. In addition to your welcome packet and magnet picture frame, you will be personally connected to your sponsored child, their home, and country through quarterly newsletters from Hearts of Compassion. These updates include a sponsorship anniversary update on your sponsored child.

Sunita | Age 8 | Nepal

Sunita is in 2nd grade and loves going to school because she was not able to before coming to BCH in Nepal. She enjoys math class and says she wants to work with math or be a doctor when she is grown.

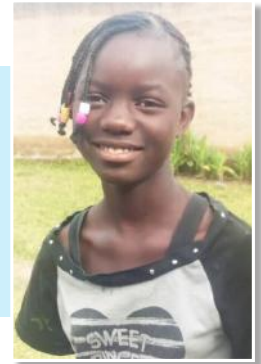


Fritzneron | Age 12 | Dominican Republic

Fritzneron would like to be a "great medical doctor" when he is grown. His favorite subject in school is math and he likes to play football with his friends. Fritzneron's favorite Bible verse is Matthew 19:14 - But Jesus said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Mary | Age 14 | Zambia

Mary's favorite subjects are English and math. She likes to play badminton. She loves to lead the children's choir in church with her cousin, Choolwie. Mary would like to become a nurse.



Emmanuel | Age 10 | Zambia

As the older brother, Emmanuel has a kindness and a protective attitude toward his siblings. He does not yet know what he wants to do when he finishes school, but his favorite subject is science.

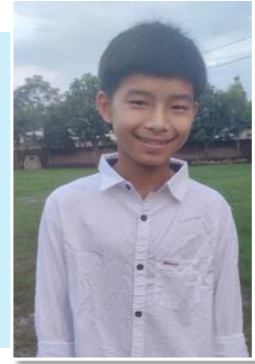


HELP US GET BACK TO SCHOOL

AND GIVE THEM A FUTURE

Simon | Age 13 | India

Simon tells us he loves learning new things in school and wants to be a football player when he is grown. Simon enjoys singing songs of praise, and his favorite Bible verse is Ephesians 6:1-3 - Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother," which is the first commandment with promise: "that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth."



Esther | Age 13 | Zambia

Esther's favorite subject in school is the Zambian language. She also likes to play badminton. She would like to become a teacher.

Akash | Age 11 | India

Akash enjoys running, dancing, and playing cricket. He wants to be a teacher when he is grown. He has great things to say about school: "My school is the best place in my life. I love my school because I can gain some new knowledge. I can play and I enjoy school." Akash's favorite Bible verse is John 3:16 For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.



Cristi | Age 8 | Dominican Republic

Cristi would like to be a nurse when she is grown to "cure all the sick people." She likes to play with her friends, draw, and visit with her classmates during school break times. Cristi's favorite Bible verse is Psalm 121: 1-2 - I will lift up my eyes to the hills—From whence comes my help? My help comes from the LORD, Who made heaven and earth.

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Noah
Age 13
Myanmar



Naomi
Age 15
Myanmar



Wendy
Age 12
Zambia



James
Age 17
Myanmar



Lweendo
Age 8
Zambia



Choolwie
Age 12
Zambia



Pradeep
Age 14
India



Seng
Age 17
Myanmar



Same
Age 7
Zambia



Ngaw
Age 15
Myanmar



Bijay
Age 10
Nepal



Ireen
Age 9
Zambia

BACK-TO-SCHOOL CHECKLIST YOUR GIFT HELPS PROVIDE:

- Uniforms
- Books
- Shoes
- Workbooks
- School Snacks
- Tutoring
- Immunizations
- Supplies
- Tuition Fees

Our children are looking forward to a great school year. Will you help provide for the extra expenses of returning to school? For many, they will need the required school uniform plus supplies, books, and tuition. Children grow, and of course we utilize "hand-me-downs", but as we replace uniforms, the average cost is \$25, and I'm sure you understand the need for more than one per child. The average back-to-school expense is \$60 per child. Thank you for helping us go Back-to-School!



All funds collected above this year's back-to-school needs will be put into the BCH general fund.

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