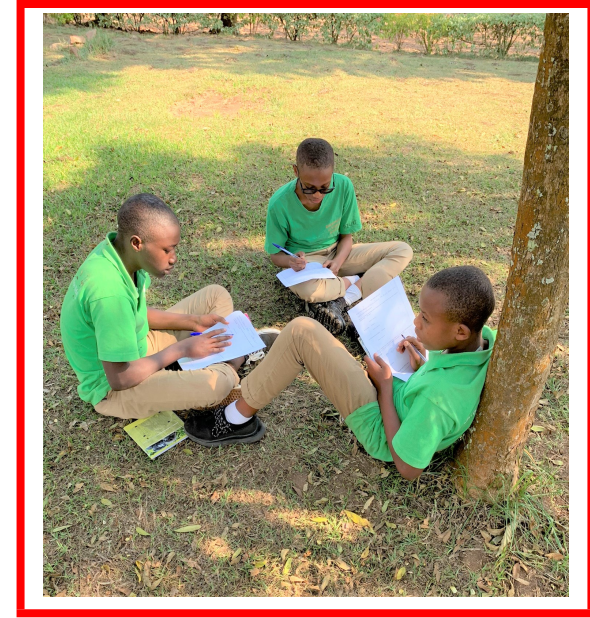


## RWANDA SCHOOL PROJECT | AT A GLANCE

- 2005 Incorporated as a non-profit in the USA.
- 2006 Robin Strickler, our founder, walks 60 miles to raise funds.  
Karl Smith, our president, discusses a site for school in Rwanda.
- 2007 Robin teaches a free English class in Rwamagana.  
Karl gathers funds to purchase land for the school.
- 2009 Rented rooms and hired 3 teachers.  
A Rwandan non-profit is formed to administer the school.  
Most pressing need is a secondary school (6 grades). Only 10.8% of Rwandan population attends a secondary school. Robin is first Head of School.
- 2010 Rwamagana school licensed by the Ministry of Education.  
Ten-room classroom building completed; later named Founders Hall in honor of Robin.
- 2012 Built Sorenson Dormitory to house 44 students.  
All 16 of our Senior 3 students pass national exams.  
Parent Teacher Association formed.
- 2013 Built Kitao Hall, our cafeteria.  
All 23 of our Senior 3 students pass national exams.
- 2014 Built Tally Labs, our science lab building.  
A Princeton in Africa Fellow helps develop a sustainability curriculum.
- 2015 Celebrated the first graduating class of 16 students.  
Built a 100-bed dormitory.
- 2016 Established a LEARN. EMPOWER. LEAD fund to help in the transition from Rwamagana Leaders' School to a university.  
Pacifique Mucyo received a complete full scholarship to University of Nebraska–Lincoln.
- 2017 Adopted a five-year master plan to complete the building projects to make us financially sustainable.
- 2018 Amani Simbayobewe, student speaker from our first graduating class, formed a nonprofit foundation, *Rukundo* (meaning love), to help street kids in Rwanda.  
Moses Ssenyonjo hired as our second Director.
- 2019 Five from our first graduating class graduated from Kepler University.  
COVID shut down our school in March.
- 2020 We fed students, their families, and community during 8-mo. shutdown.  
Built a 45-bed addition to Sorenson Dormitory.  
We opened after COVID as a boarding only school.
- 2021 We built a biology lab which increased the available combinations.  
During the closure, we built a library and an administration building.

# 2021 Annual Report



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### 2021 MILESTONES

- Educated 189 students.
- Employed a staff of 36 in Rwanda including 17 FTE (full-time equivalent) teachers.
- Changed the school year from the calendar year to a typical school year, October-July.
- Completed an addition to the boys' dormitory giving us a capacity of 200 boarding students (100 female and 100 male students).
- Completed a biology lab which expands our curriculum to offer additional combinations
- Completed an administration building.
- Completed a library building.

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## OUR MISSION:

*To provide high quality secondary education in Rwanda by offering a secure and nurturing school environment that transforms vulnerable youth into future leaders and problem solvers who champion environmental sustainability and social change.*



### 2021 Fiscal Year Financial Summary

Income:	\$407,222
Expenses:	\$372,510
Net Change:	\$ 34,712

Budgets and detailed financial information are public information and available on our Website: [www.rwandaschoolproject.org](http://www.rwandaschoolproject.org)