

Help us!

- For just 4€ each month, you can help a child in South Africa to attend one of the pre-schools we support.
- For 30€ each month you can sponsor a child. With your help, a stability and hope can be restored for an orphaned child. This includes providing the means for sufficient nutrition and financing a school uniform, school shoes and tuition fees. Thanks to your sponsorship the child is then able to attend school and can reap the benefits of a better education.
- Besides the financial support of children, there is also the opportunity to become actively involved in South Africa. Become a Go Ahead! volunteer and use your individual skills and abilities – everyone can help in their own original way. Become a member of Go Ahead! and support our work!



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(Nelson Mandela)

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”



Vision

Lack of education is one of the key problems in many developing countries. In order to offer lasting aid, specifically to children, we focus on providing them with the opportunity for education. Education is the only effective and sustainable method help people to help themselves.

Our goal is to give children, deprived of a positive future by HIV/AIDS and poverty, a chance through education.



Background

Go Ahead! is a group of young people who all volunteered to work in the aid and development organisation, God's Golden Acre (GGA), in KwaZulu Natal, South Africa. Working with GGA we were confronted by extreme poverty, hunger, the HIV/AIDS epidemic and its shocking impact. Once back in Germany we realised that it was our task to become active in the struggle against poverty. The number of orphans and teenagers without an adequate chance in life is constantly growing – we need to act *now*.



A whole generation of South African children is in danger of growing up in poverty without sufficient support and care.

Grandmothers are forced to take care of up to 10 orphans, and adolescents often raise younger brothers and sisters as well as their own children. What seems like unfortunate circumstances is no rarity in South-Africa. On the contrary, this is cruel reality.

Our projects

The focus of our organisation is to support educational projects for children. Thus, we work together with influential organisations in South Africa such as God's Golden Acre, Sethani and Heartbeat.

Supporting educational institutions

The Pre-schools we support bring children into contact with the English language at the early age of 3 years, provide them with at least one nutritious meal a day, and treat trauma through dance, singing, painting and pedagogic care.



'Sponsorship for a child in need'

Sponsors help pay for tuition fees and school uniforms of the orphans. Food parcels provide an entire family with sufficient nutrition.



Volunteer Programs

The volunteer program offers the opportunity to combine individual skills and personal commitment to either help in South Africa or to support our work in Germany.

„Homes of Hope“ – Project

With 'Homes of Hope', Go Ahead! sends a group of young Germans to South Africa for approximately 3 weeks to build houses for families in need, allowing the opportunity to get to know the South African culture as well.

