



ADAMAWA STATE SCHOLARSHIP TRUST FUND

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Sourcing and providing the financial support to educate the indigenes of Adamawa State



Office of the Executive Governor

Adamawa State Scholarship Trust Fund

Dear Donors

SUPPORT FOR ADAMAWA STATE SCHOLARSHIP TRUST FUND

Adamawa State Scholarship Trust Fund is a parastatal of the Adamawa State Government of Nigeria, established by state law No 10 of 2008. The law at part iv, 12 (g) mandated the trust to **source for funds and scholarships** from within and outside Nigeria, and utilize same in line with operational procedures in the discharge of its mandate.

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The insurgency has severely affected the economy of the State, it affected school enrolment and drew education and child development decades backward.

In the present post-conflict period, close to 70% of the student populace of about 800,000 in the state, requires one form of support or another to be able to stay in education.

The fund decided to concentrate on 30,000 of the most vulnerable over the next 3 years.

We will require your support as a partner to raise the N2 billion (\$6.4 million) to provide scholarships and bursaries to the most vulnerable pupils in Adamawa State. Your support is critical to keep these pupils in education.

Thank you,

Mallam Abdu Zumo

Executive Director

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INTRODUCTION:

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“In its brutal crusade against western-style education, Boko Haram is robbing an entire generation of children in northeast Nigeria of their education,” said [Mausi Segun](https://www.hrw.org/news/2016/04/11/nigeria-northeast-children-robbed-education), Nigeria researcher at Human Rights Watch. <https://www.hrw.org/news/2016/04/11/nigeria-northeast-children-robbed-education>

MANAGEMENT:

The Trust is administered by a Board of Trustees, comprising of a Chairman and 13 members. The members include representatives from; the Universities, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Higher Education. The Executive Director, Mallam Adamu Abdu Zumo is the Secretary of the Board and the Chief Executive Officer of the Trust Fund.

The management comprises of the Executive Director and Directors of; Finance, Administration, Student Affairs, Procurement and Planning and Strategy.

Consultants: Yamaguchi International Network Limited / Solomon Global Solutions UK Limited act as advisers.

EDUCATION IN ADAMAWA STATE:

The situation was best described by the UN report in 2012 “Nigeria has the largest number of children not enrolled in school in the world, and the majority of the children missing out on their rights to education are girls (UNESCO, 2012). Within Nigeria it is the North East Zone, including Adamawa State, which has the lowest enrolments – with over 50% of girls not in school (Akyeampong et al., 2009; National Population Commission (NPC) and ICF Macro, 2009). Adamawa State Primary Education Research 2011”

“Most states in Africa's most populous country (Nigeria) are highly leveraged when compared with revenue, leaving them vulnerable to the price volatility of crude oil which serves as the biggest contributor to the revenue basket.

Crude oil price came under intense pressure at the tail end of 2014 as



The insurgency has affected us more than we can talk about, your support will allow us to stay in education and make the horrors of the past a testimony in the future

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the growth of demand trailed off and overproduction created a glut in the market.

The down tide significantly affected the revenue of states and basic

commitments such as payment of salaries, utility bills, procurement of medical kits (Education) among others gradually became difficult.

Adamawa state relies solely on the Federation allocations. The insurgency has dampened her economic outlook but a clear path to sustainability *is possible.*" -- www.yourbudgetit.com/data/adamawa



That was our school-Providing scholarships and qualitative education is a stand against the insurgency.

The insurgency had a devastating effect on the State's economy and education. In 2016 His Excellency, Governor Mohammed Umaru Jibrilla, the Executive Governor of Adamawa State declared a state of emergency in the educational sector.

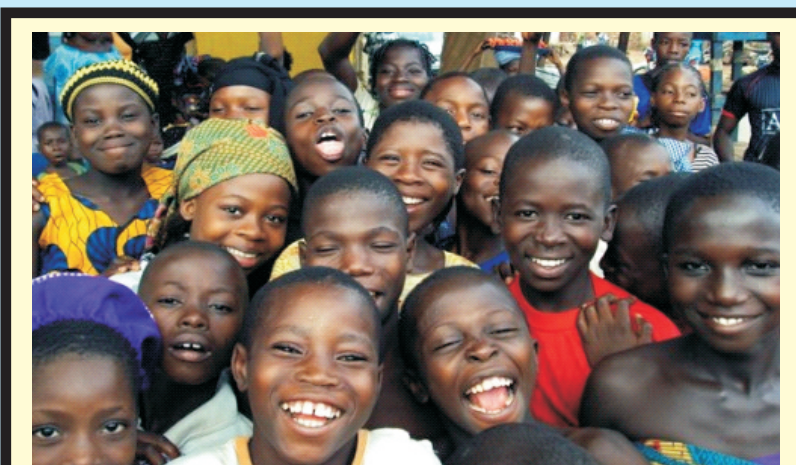
Part of the plan is to retain and encourage the students in basic and tertiary institutions by providing scholarships and bursaries to the most vulnerable.

To be able to achieve the objective, the government decided to work with partners and make philanthropy and fund raising an important part of the funding plan.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT.

The devastating effect of the Boko Haram conflict on the north eastern states of Nigeria, especially Adamawa state requires both national and international efforts for reconstruction and development.

It was recorded that over 500,000 people (about 14% of the population of 3.7 million), were displaced in Adamawa State, with a roll over effect on production, agriculture, family life and most importantly education. An estimated 136,000 are in Internally displaced camps-International Displacement Monitoring Centre.



There is hope in our hearts, your support will harness the talents and resources that would have been wasted or turn destructive into positive, productive and creative use.

The conflict resulted in emotional, physical and psychological damages in adults and severe traumas in children. The urgent need for recovery, re-integration, reconstruction and counselling cannot be over emphasized. It has affected school enrolment and drew education and child development decades backward.

The insurgency was characterized by the annexation of territories, incessant suicide bombings and massive attacks on civilian targets. The human cost and the effect on women and children was enormous.

The state government had to redirect all its resources and attention towards the

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provision of relief materials and other humanitarian services alongside alternative security measures for the growing numbers of civilian casualties

The repercussions of the insurgency and its tedious re-construction, and resettlement under economic recession have driven Adamawa state down the lane of serious socio-economic and educational trauma whose severity translates into governments` inability to finance scholarship activities.

The Adamawa State Scholarship Trust Fund requires take off grant, gifts, and donations to fund our scholarship program for disadvantaged students.



Without massive investment in education and scholarship support, North East Nigeria risks the radicalization of a new generation. This will have a cascading effect not only on Nigeria but the whole of Africa.

OBJECTIVE:

- To develop appropriate facilities that are sustainable, resilient, and effective for the provision of scholarships.
- To raise Two billion naira (N2 billion/\$6.4 million) in allocations, grants, and donations from governments, individuals and corporations from, within and outside the country.
- To give out 11,500 scholarships to students in Adamawa for the 2017/2018 academic session and 30,000 scholarships over the next three years.
- To provide transparent services with appropriate monitoring and evaluation to meet international best practice and meet the criteria and requirements set by the Government, donor partners and other stakeholders.

METHODS

As a Trust Fund we are accountable, which means that Adamawa State Scholarship Trust Fund is allocated resources to accomplish specified results, and is expected to report on how the resources have been used and what has been accomplished.



Sometimes all we need is a chance at life, just like others.

We have developed facilities that are transparent, and accountable to our donor partners and we work with the consultants Yamaguchi Nigeria/Solomon Global Solutions UK Limited to develop our Communications, Monitoring, Evaluating and Reporting facilities.

Our website www.ad.asstf.gov.ng provides all information on our activities and it is a platform for secure information exchange with the recipients, donors and other stakeholders. Our application process is transparent, our background checks and the poverty measuring criteria (World Bank Group) allows us to identify the most vulnerable within the community.

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Applicants will be able to fill forms online, upload documents, and monitor their applications online.

Donors will be able to monitor disbursement activities and have secure access to monitoring and evaluation reports.

We embark on capacity development courses for our staff to improve their expertise on Accounting, Monitoring, Evaluation and Reporting.

FUNDING:

We require the sum of N2 billion/\$6.4 million to fund scholarships for the next three years.

We request your donations in the form of full scholarship and/or cash to enable us to meet our objectives.



Scholarships and Bursaries will allow vulnerable girls and orphans to go back to school. This will have a tremendous impact on the security of the nation and the world at large.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:

In the present post-conflict period, close to 70% of the student populace of about 800,000 in the State, requires one form of support or another. The Fund decided to concentrate on 30,000 of the most vulnerable, these are:

- (a) Internally displaced persons (Students)
- (b) The Girl child.
- (c) Orphans
- (d) Students from single-parent
- (e) Disable students
- (f) Students from difficult economic background and others most affected by the conflict
- (g) Other students studying science and technical courses with CGPA 3.00 and above

VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIP

- (1) All university students are expected to receive forty thousand naira (N40, 000.00/\$127) each per annum. Being tuition fees (N30, 000/\$95) and study materials (N10, 000/\$32) only.
- (2) All polytechnics and mono-technics students are expected to receive (N25, 000/\$80) Twenty-five thousand Naira each which translate to tuition fees N15, 000/\$48) fifteen thousand naira only and study materials (N10, 000/\$32) Ten thousand naira only.
- (3) Basic education students will receive (N20,000/\$64) per annum for study materials.

PARTNERSHIP:

To achieve the set objectives, we require your support as;

Donor Partners: Partners that would provide funds for scholarships and bursaries to sustain the students in basic and tertiary education.

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There are 5 levels of partnerships; please select an appropriate level to support our program.

- **Principal Partners:** Organisations and individuals who make commitments in cash and/or support of N50 million/\$158,800 and above.
- **Special Care Partners:** Organisations and individuals who make commitments in cash and/or support of N25 million/\$79,400 and above.
- **Unique Care Partners:** Organisations and individuals who make commitments in cash and/or support of N10 million/\$31,760 and above.
- **Care Partners:** Organisations and individuals who make commitments in cash and/or support of N1 million/\$3,176 and above.
- **Unique Partners:** Organisations and individuals who make any commitments in whatever form, or show care or support with scholarships and/or cash.

In-kind Partners (Scholarships): Educational institutions within and outside the country, that can provide scholarships in undergraduate and post graduate courses (up to Ph.D) that are important to the socio-economic development of the state. Most importantly, courses that will quicken our post conflict reconstruction and development efforts.

Priority areas are:

- Engineering Courses
- Computing Courses
- Medical Courses
- Technical Courses
- Geology and Mining Courses
- Architecture
- Disaster Management and Conflict resolution
- Agriculture
- International Development and NGO
- Post Conflict Reconstruction and Development

Development Partners: International development organizations that can provide the expertise, catalytic funds and appropriate support, which would help to achieve our set objectives.



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The humanitarian crisis in northeastern Nigeria is so bad that almost all children under 5 have died

Malnutrition Wiping Out Children in Northern Nigeria, Aid Workers Say
Medical workers have seen few infants and toddlers in refugee camps in Nigeria's Borno State and fear that many have died of starvation and related diseases.
nytimes.com

The damage done by the insurgency, has unleashed unthinkable humanitarian crises that is already a blot on the collective human conscience-It is time to act.

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Donor Appreciation Program

We appreciate all donors and our Donor Appreciation Program does not depend on the level of partnership. All donors and supporters can select any form of appreciation.

- All donors will receive a Thank You letter from the Board of Adamawa State Scholarship Trust Fund and will be listed on our website www.asstf.ad.gov.ng.
- Donors can use our Donor Logo on their stationeries and websites.
- Donors will also be listed on the Thank You billboards that will be erected in Lagos, Yola and Abuja.
- Donors will receive a plaque or a framed certificate.
- Donors can also be invited to a dinner with His Excellency, Sen. Mahammad Jibrilla Bindow in Abuja.

To donate;

Fill the enclosed form.

Visit www.asstf.ad.gov.ng/donate.html

Transfer your donation into any of our banks and use your name as the reference.

Call or email us for more information.

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