



# Impact Report

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR FOUNDER

Reflecting on the last year, we are grateful to the Datooga families who chose education over traditional FGM practices, and to our donors, for your vision and generosity - you make it all possible!

Let's continue to embody the "Hawega Effect" this year - the idea of helping others without expecting anything in return.

## A YEAR WITH UNIQUE MILESTONES

In 2023, significant progress was made as the new students began school, marking their first time leaving their villages. Prior to arrival at Silverleaf, the girls had no previous formal education or exposure to Swahili or English. However, within just 12 months, all of our students have begun learning language skills, along with reading, writing, math, and art. We are proud to announce that all 15 students are advancing to the next grade.

## IMPACT SNAPSHOT

15

Girls sponsored for the 2023 school year

100%

Of our girls enrolled at Silverleaf advanced to the next grade

"A"

The class of 2023 maintained an A average

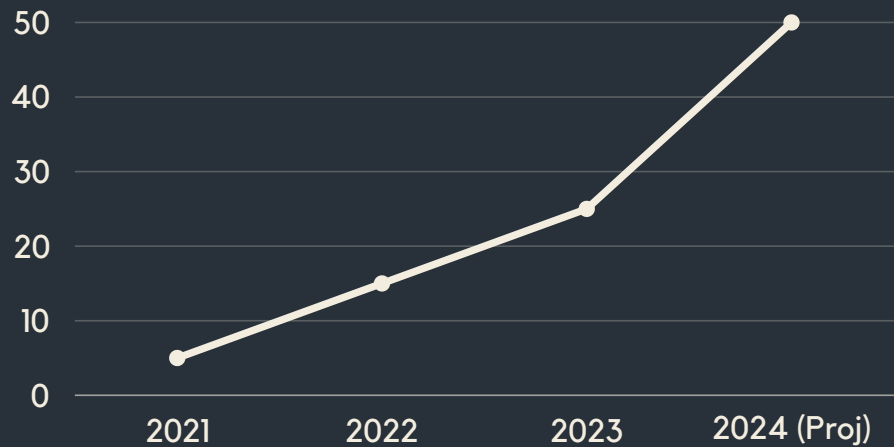


## FUNDS RAISED IN 2023

# \$39,811.89

Through the generous contributions amounting to \$39,811.89 the foundation was able to sponsor the education of 25 Datooga girls for the 2024 school year. This was a 40% increase year over year, as displayed in the graph on the right.

Our goal is to increase funding to \$75,000 this year to sponsor 50 students in 2025.



\*shown above is the number of students enrolled per year

### MAJOR MILESTONES

500% more students enrolled

### DETAILS

5 girls enrolled in 2022  
15 girls enrolled in 2023  
25 girls enrolled in 2024

### OUTCOME

- The response within the tribe has been overwhelmingly positive with many more families interested in joining

100% retention rate of students

All of the girls who have been enrolled have returned to school the next year

- The girls are learning at an impressive rate and look forward to returning to school each year

MONAT Gratitude Grant received

We we're awarded the MONAT Gratitude Grant in September 2023

- \$5,000 donation per month for one year to Hawega Foundation to support our work

We couldn't have  
done it without your  
generous *support.*

Thank you  
to all our donors  
and volunteers.

Special thank you to MONAT for  
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