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CAN I CHOOSE THE CHILD I SPONSOR?

Yes of course. When you get in touch to sponsor a child you can give us some details and we will send you children who are in need of sponsorship along with a small story from each one. You can then choose which one you feel the most connection to.

HOW LONG SHOULD MY CHILD SPONSORSHIP LAST?

Our child sponsorship programme offers you the opportunity to stay with a child for a number of years, usually through the school year in which the child reaches the age of 18-22. While we hope that you will be able to continue your support of your sponsored child until he or she completes the programme, we recognise that circumstances sometimes change. You may discontinue your child sponsorship at any time.

IF I DISCONTINUE MY CHILD SPONSORSHIP WHAT HAPPENS TO THE CHILD I SPONSOR?

If you need to discontinue your child sponsorship; we will immediately look for a new sponsor for your child and continue the child's sponsorship support without interruption.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO SPONSOR A CHILD?

£25 however this can be split between as many or as few people as you wish.

MAY I SEND A GIFT TO MY SPONSOR CHILD?

Yes, we encourage you to give additional gifts for special occasions, to address specific needs, or simply as an act of love. These gifts are another effective way to reinforce your care and commitment to your sponsored child. However if you do wish to send a gift we encourage you to ask us before hand as some may be deemed inappropriate.

Gifts you send should be inexpensive items such as photos, stickers, balloons, ribbons, bookmarks, pens, paper etc.

Gifts that are not appropriate include clothes, liquids, electrical or any item which appears expensive.

HOW CAN I COMMUNICATE WITH THE CHILD I SPONSOR?

Once you become a sponsor, we encourage you to send your sponsored child a personal or family photograph and a short introduction letter. You can do this by sending it to our Ugandan P.O Box. We know that sending an email is so much easier these days however it means so much more to these children to have handwritten letters and feels much more personal to them.

CAN I VISIT MY SPONSORED CHILD?

Yes. Visiting your sponsored child is a fantastic opportunity and will be a day you will always remember. You will meet and spend time with your sponsored child and family and see how our work is making a real difference in their community. The one day fully supervised visit will leave you both with treasured memories, a closer bond and an insight into our community development work. Contact us for more details.

WHAT PERCENT OF YOUR DONATION IS USED

100% of your donation is used to achieve our goals and carry out our programmes. As the founders we do not take any salary from the charity and we use our own funds to live in Uganda.

CAN I SPLIT MY SPONSORSHIP?

Absolutely! We encourage this and already have a number of different combinations of sponsorships

WILL I RECEIVE A TAX RECEIPT?

In countries where applicable, donations are tax deductible as allowable by law. Tax receipts are sent at the end of each year.

HOW CAN I PAY FOR MY SPONSORSHIP?

You can sign up for automatic monthly payments through your Credit Card or bank account, or send checks monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or yearly.