



**Reaching Beyond Impossibility** 

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#### **Note from Founder**

2020 has been a very challenging time for Crimson Foundation and the world. COVID19 has stifled the progress and plans to educate and support community development initiatives. Amidst global shutdowns of economies and social interactions, Crimson Academy of Kagina was shut down for most of the year in 2020. A food program was created to feed the school staff and local community members. The school in Kagina reopened October 2020, with major restrictions in the number of students that can be taught at one time. Only the upper school students where able to return to school roughly 250 students.

In the beginning of 2021, MINEDUC allowed all students to return to school. Despite the challenges of parents' ability to provide food, shelter, and education for families, Crimson Foundation worked diligently with MINEDUC, local leaders and staff to create a new environment for learning. Some of the changes included installing a water filtration system and hand washing station. Temperatures of kids were taken daily to navigate the concerns of the spread. As a result of ebb and flow of the worldwide spread of COVID19, Crimson Academy shut down again for two weeks in 2021 based on MINEDUC mandates. The struggle was real as the effects of the virus and aftermath impacted many families and students.

BUT GOD! The school staff worked miracles to educate and manage all 750 students who returned to school. Although the Crimson Foundation and Crimson Academy saw drastic reductions in donations, all 30 plus staff members received salaries and students were able to attend school and learn. The community development initiatives suffered, as the foundation could no longer support the live-stock, micro-loan, and health insurance programs. As the school year continued, the National Exam testing loomed heavily over the school and staff. The P6 teachers and students performed wonderfully by earning highest marks with the Southern Province for the 8th year in a row. This year in particular was significant because the students earned the highest marks in school history.

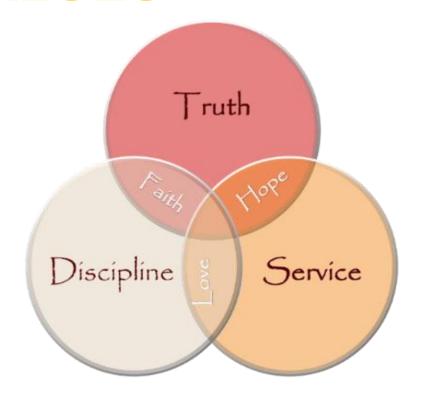
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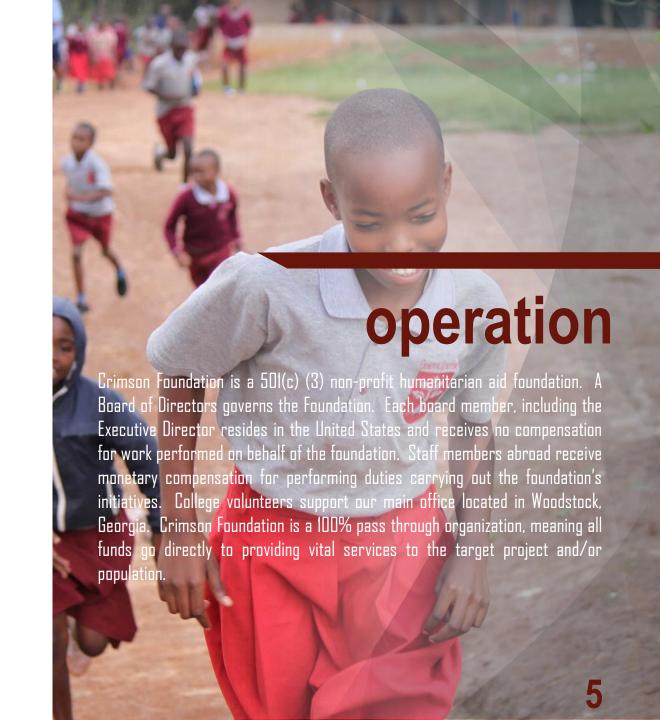




#### **VALUES**



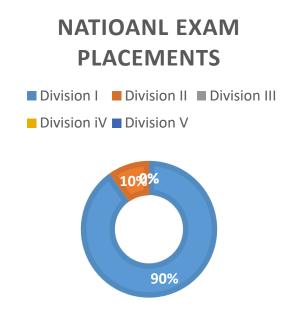


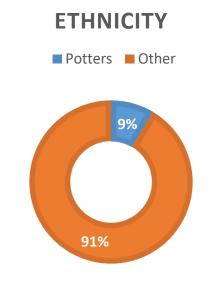


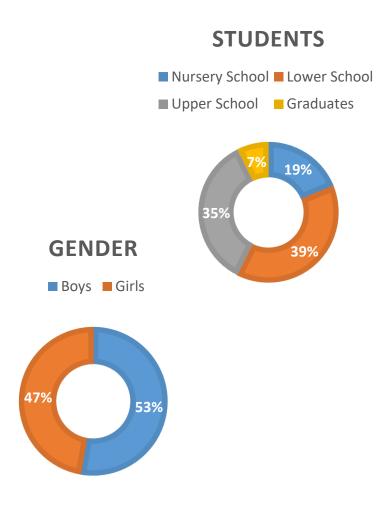
#### COUNTRY PROFILE **COUNTRY POPULATION** RELIGION 11.6 Million 92% Christianity 6% Indigenous Beliefs 5 2% Muslim **URBAN POPULATION** CAPITAL CHILD LABOR (5-14) Kigali 1118,385 - Equivalent to 4.4% **AGE STRUCTURE** MAJOR INFECTIOUS DISEASES 0-14 years 42% 19% 15-24 years Hepatitis B and C, 33% 25-54 years Malaria, 55-64 years 4.4% HIV, and 2.6% 65 years and older **Tuberclosis ETHNIC GROUPS MOST URGENT NEEDS** Child Educational Resources Hutus 85% 14% **Economic Development** Tutsis Health Care Twa 1% Water & Sanitation

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Crimson Academy of Kagina is located in the Southern Province, Kamonyi District, Runda Sector, Kagina Cell in Rwanda. We provide quality education serving 774 students.







Crimson Academy of Kagina is the top performing school in the Southern Province for 8 years consecutively. Our students matriculate into the best secondary schools in the country.

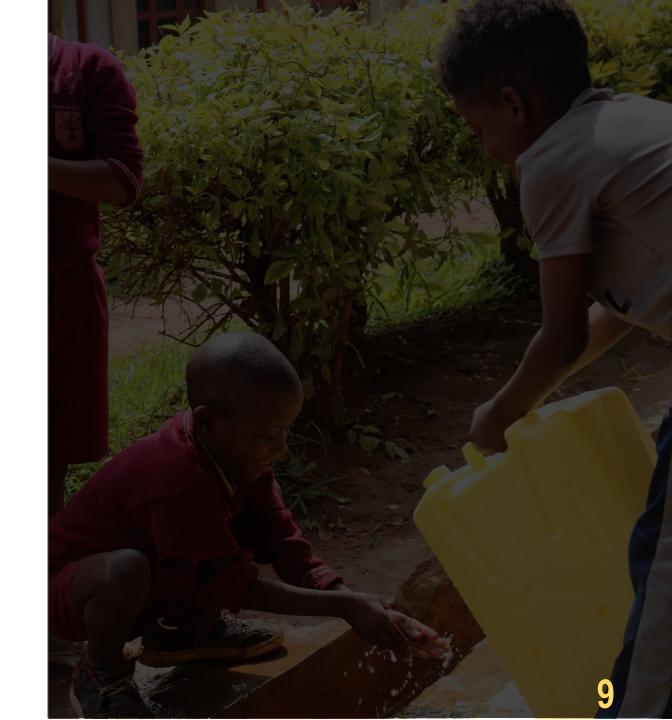
## **School Benchmarks**

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	Benchmark	Actual	Status
Average Marks	70	70	Met
Pass/Fail Rate	70	76	Met
Enrollment Rate	90	98%	Met
Dropout Rate	10	2%	Met
Transition Rate	90	53%	Not Met
Repetition Rate	15	29%	Not Met
Student Gender Parity	40-60%	54% Male	Met
Staff Gender Parity	40-60%	65% Female	Not Met

# Our impact

- # Educate 774 students
- \* Graduated 61 Grade 6 Students
- Sponsored over 66 primary "Batwa" students
- \* Transport 120 students daily
- \*We feed 150 students participate in the food program





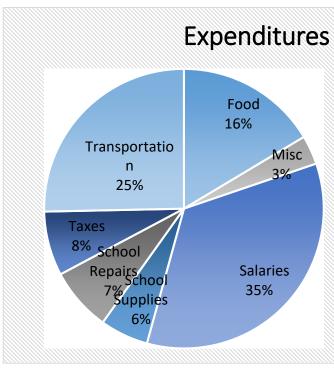
# FINANCIALS

Crimson Foundation is a 100% pass through organization, meaning all funds raised were distributed to the Foundation's projects. The Executive Director and other  $\operatorname{US}$  based staff receive no compensation and work as volunteers in performance of the Foundation's mission and initiatives.

Funds Raised

\$68,743.00

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	Expenditures
Food	11,290.00
Misc	2,308.00
Salaries	23,709.00
School Supplies	3,846.00
School Repairs	5,057.00
Taxes	5,117.00
Transportation	17,416.00
Total	68,743.00



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