



Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything

JIJENGE YOUTH ORGANIZATION PROFILE





Organization Background

Jijenge Youth Organization is a registered youth lead non-profit organization founded in 2018 initially as a Youth Group devoted to making the world a better place through various initiatives designed to ensure that institutions & communities are safe and hospitable.

In our operations, the organization realized that the vulnerabilities were far-stretching and solving this problem needed a much broader approach.

These approaches incorporate; the promotion of health through awareness creation on MENTAL HEALTH and SEXUAL REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH , advocacy for SOCIAL PROTECTION, promotion of EDUCATION and LITERACY, promotion of PEACE and promotion of Sustainable ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ACTION.

We work in 5 counties in Kenya namely: Kisumu (Headquarters), Nairobi, Siaya, Kericho and Mombasa.

Meet Our Board



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Meet Our Programs Team



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Vision , Mission & Value



Vision

To have a equitable and inclusive society that helps young people realize and actualize their full potentials and aspirations



Mission

To provide a safe space for young persons and community members to develop a collective power that will bring out effective social change for economic and social development.



Value

Jijenge Youth Organization has developed guiding principles that we endeavor to integrate into all our activities.

1. Inclusiveness - We respect people, value diversity and are committed to equality.
2. Participation - We value and recognize the contribution of volunteers within organisations and communities.
3. Quality- We strive for excellence through continuous improvement.
4. Openness - We are committed to a culture of teamwork and collaboration.

PROJECTS

Wezesha Stude Mentorship Program

School Mentorship Programs seek to instil knowledge, power, and influence of the mentor for the personal development of the mentee (Student).

Our mentorship program focuses on students in Rural and Slum Schools. We are engaged in 5 schools reaching out to Approx 1200 mentees every week.



Us For The Street Foundation

It focuses on street-connected children's psychosocial support, health & wellbeing, books club and read-aloud storybook session. The program seeks to reinforce the intellectual capacity and skills of street-connected youths and children. These are critical as it helps to enhance knowledge, improves life skills, and enhances concentration and understanding of the surrounding.

Current Population: 254 Children and youths



Sustainable Environmental Justice Actions

Environmental Justice and conservation have become one of the core issues that need to be addressed to battle climate change and global warming.

Through Our tree planting initiative dubbed Jitokeze Tupande Miti, we created green spaces in 15 schools by planting over 10,000 seedlings and conducting environmental education and training for learners.



Story Yangu Wellness Program

Story Yangu platform seeks to provide a safe space for young people to be able to share their stories and ordeals so as first to be able to get past them and focus and soldier on, to be able to be an inspiration to those currently under the shadow and to show that what it takes to heal and be whole again.

Real Personal experience shared creates much more impact in the healing process.



PROJECTS

Chapati Festival CSR Program

The festival provides a platform and an opportunity to serve the underserved in our community, especially children, women and youths in care institutions

We believe that the festival provides an opportunity for those we visit to share and feel loved, feel included and feel like they're actual members of the society as we share foodstuff, toiletries, shoes, clothes and other donations to help better their living at the institutions.



Pad 4 Her Keep A Girl in School

Most female students are not able to afford the purchase of sanitary pads. Using other means, these girls are left uncomfortable and often unhealthy during their menstrual cycle.

Due to the lack of sanitary products, most girls miss school for a few days each month. Through our Initiative Pad 4 Her, we have been able to provide over 2000 school-going girls with menstrual products and Knowledge on Sexual Reproductive health



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I Vote Peace Digital Campaign

Jijenge do acknowledge that social media is used the most by young people and it's also a critical tool that can help spread peace, encouraging dialogue among people from different ethnic backgrounds and nationalities.

The I Vote Peace campaign is currently being embraced by both the young and old with estimated insight of approximately 30,000 viewership across board. twb.nz/votepeace



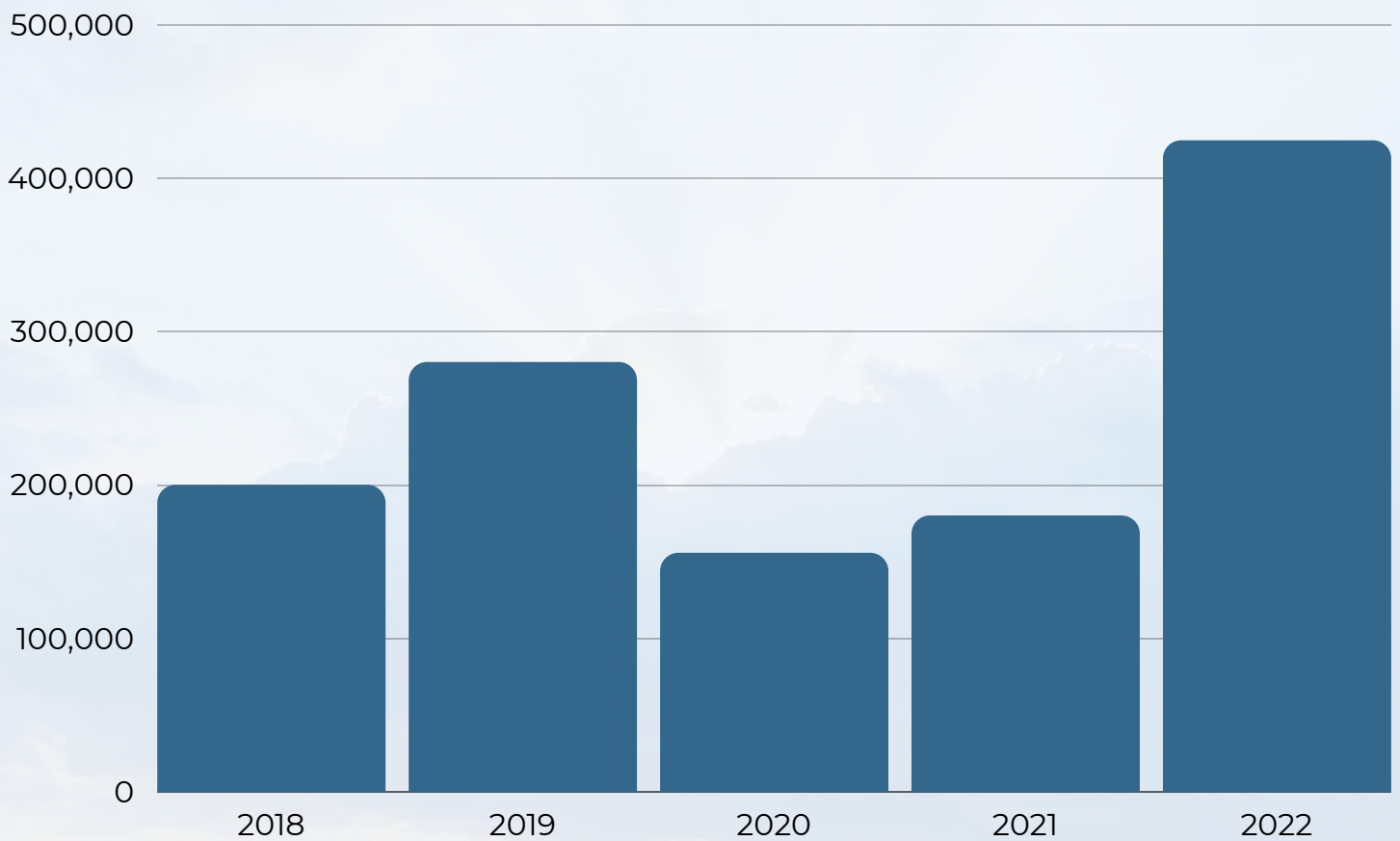
World Clean-Up

Since September 2019, we have been at the forefront of organizing a cleanup with individuals, governments, corporations and organizations.

It's an event that seeks to highlight sanitation situations in the county as we seek to find solutions to tackle mismanaged waste and raise awareness of the waste segregation crisis by mobilizing all spheres of society to participate in cleanup actions



Annual Budget



The approximated annual budget for this year 2021 -2022 is high due to the systematic inclusion of valuing community and volunteers contribution.

The valuing was guided as per the proposed salaries of staff, stipended and transport facilitation fees, consultation fees, and office operations costs among many more.

Impact Analytics

2000+ PADS

DISTRIBUTED TO 250 TEENAGE GIRLS IN 5 SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES

1200+ MENTEES

MENTORED THROUGH OUR WEZESHA STUDE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM 5 SCHOOLS IN RURAL AREAS

10000+ TREES

PLANTED IN 15 SCHOOLS, 1 PRISON AND KAJULU FOREST RESERVE

30000+ INSIGHTS

THROUGH THE I VOTE PEACE DIGITAL CAMPAIGN

5 EDITIONS

CHAPATI FESTIVAL SHARING WITH 5 CARE INSTITUTIONS AND SHARING SMILES WITH OVER 1500 BENEFICIARIES

HOSTED ERASMUS+

PROJECT TEAM MEMBERS FOR PLAY 4 SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM IN OUR 3 PROJECT SCHOOL NAMEDLY YAGO PRI, CHULAIMBO PRI AND ST TERESIA GIRLS




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