MESHA'S VILLAGE

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$20 Soccer ball for Ngerasero	$20 Soccer ball for Ngerasero	$20 Soccer ball for Haradali	$20 Soccer ball for Haradali	$20 Large bag of beans for Ngerasero
~~$20 Biscuits (cooking) for all the MV kids~~	~~$20 Biscuits (cooking) for all the MV kids~~	$25 Backpack for MV sponsored kid	$25 Backpack for MV sponsored kid	$25 Coloring books and crayons
$25 Coloring books and crayons	~~$25 Pair of school shoes for MV sponsored kid~~	$25 Pair of school shoes for MV sponsored kid	$25 Pair of school shoes for MV sponsored kid	$25 Pair of school shoes for MV sponsored kid
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$30 Socks & underwear	$30 Socks & underwear	$30 Large bag of rice for Ngerasero	$80 Photo album/ printing for each MV kid	~~$50 Fresh fruit~~
$40 Sneakers for 2 MV sponsored kids	$40 Sneakers for 2 MV sponsored kids	$50 School shoes for 2 MV sponsored kids	$50 Educational workbooks	$50 Educational workbooks
$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 1)	$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 2)	$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 1)	$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 2)	$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 1)
$60 New uniform for MV sponsored kid (part 2)	$75 Chapter books for secondary school kids	$120 New uniform for MV sponsored kid	$120 New uniform for MV sponsored kid	$120 New uniform for MV sponsored kid
$150 pop beads for older MV girls	$150 soccer balls for older MV boys	$200 MV t-shirts for all kids (1 of 2)	~~$200 MV t-shirts for all kids (2 of 2)~~	~~$250 Pizza party~~

We're officially counting down the days until our trip to Tanzania this fall! We can't wait to share with you how much the kids have grown and all the exciting highlights of our trip.

Mesha's Village is thrilled to announce their 2026 edition of Back to School Bingo!

You can claim your squares by replying to this email, venmoing us, or by reaching out over social media @meshasvillage.

Don't forget to follow our instagram for live updates!

$10 MV goodie bags for kids	$10 MV goodie bags for kids	$10 MV goodie bags for kids	$10 MV goodie bags for kids	$10 MV goodie bags for kids
~~$10 Toothbrushes & toothpaste~~	~~$10 Toothbrushes & toothpaste~~	~~$10 Toothbrushes & toothpaste~~	$10 Hand soap for Ngerasero	$10 Hand soap for Haradali
$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid	$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid	$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid	$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid	$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid
$20 Pair of sneakers for MV sponsored kid	$20 Sanitary products for Ngerasero	$20 Sanitary products for Ngerasero	$20 Hand sanitizers	$20 Hand sanitizers
~~$25 Ice cream for all the MV kids (1 of 4)~~	~~$25 Ice cream for all the MV kids (1 of 4)~~	~~$25 Ice cream for all the MV kids (1 of 4)~~	~~$25 Ice cream for all the MV kids (1 of 4)~~	$25 Lollipops for kids

STAY CONNECTED

Can't get enough of our kids?

Follow us on instagram @meshasvillage to see more, and follow their school @haradalipreprimary.

The Mesha's Village family continues to grow! We are so excited to announce that we have had three new sponsors join us to sponsor Grace, Najma, and Razaki, who are all now enrolled in school at Haradali.

SPONSOR HIGHLIGHT

The Lyons Family

The Lyons first learned about Mesha's Village through existing sponsors in our community, and attending our annual golf tournament inspired them to get more involved. For them, becoming a sponsor comes down to helping those in need and offering their support. They are excited to officially sponsor 6-year-old Grace, the younger sister of Sylvia.

Thank you for sponsoring Grace. Every sponsorship counts!



BECOME A SPONSOR!

If you or anyone you know is interested in sponsorship, becoming a Mesha's Village member, or making a one-time donation please visit www.meshasvillage.com or email meshasvillage@gmail.com

TEAM UPDATES

TEAM WEEKEND

Our team recently came together in Austin for a jam packed weekend of trip prep before we head to Tanzania in September. We shopped for all 74 kids (+ some anticipated new kids!!), assembled all of their backpacks, wrote letters to the kids, and sorted through 1,000+ photos for their photo albums. It was truly a team effort to get through so much in one weekend!









Big shoutout to our interns Teo and Julia as they wrap up their time with Mesha's Village and get ready to head off to university in September! Thank you for everything you've done for the team, and we wish you all the best.



NEW TEAM MEMBER

My name is Annika, and I am an incoming tenth grader from New Jersey. Through my experience of being raised by two hardworking immigrant parents, I have learned the importance of education and the opportunities that it is able to give. This mindset ultimately drew me towards Mesha's Village, who was partnering with my school in an assembly. I look forward to helping kids in Arusha receive an education and I am excited to work with the Mesha's Village team as an intern!

Let's Celebrate!

We are celebrating many Mesha's Village birthdays this time of year!
Happy birthday to all!



Faithan
Turned 11 on 7/2



Jaydan
Turned 6 on 7/3



Arapha
Turned 5 on 8/10



Catherine
Turned 7 on 8/14



Aisha
Turned 13 on 8/20



Edson
Turned 9 on 8/21



Ibrahim
Turns 8 on 8/26



Abdul Hamisi
Turns 13 on 8/28

Swahili Sayings:

In conversing with the children and our local friends, we have learned a bit about Swahili, the native language in Tanzania. As an organization rooted in education, we want to share some of what we have learned with you.

Jua means "sunshine"