



CONGO4TOMORROW

NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2021



WHAT'S INSIDE

NEW *Congo4Tomorrow Magazine* available now!

Your impact

Future activities

Financial impact

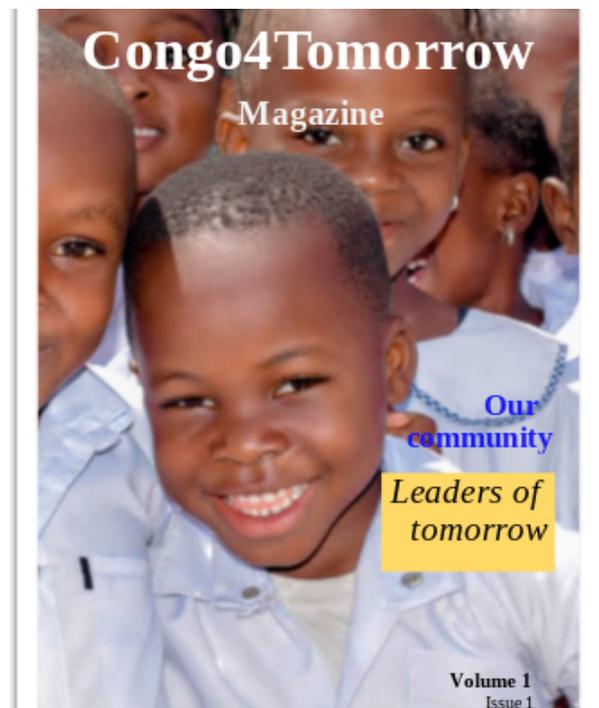
OUR NEW MAGAZINE IS NOW AVAILABLE!

BY THE MARKETING/COMMUNICATIONS TEAM

Our new magazine, *Congo4Tomorrow Magazine*, was published in May 2021. Its main purpose was to provide you with important updates regarding our activities as well as answer your burning questions.

In 2020, Congo4Tomorrow instituted a programmatic approach to the delivery of its services to low-income school communities in the Democratic Republic of Congo. The Magazine provides a brief overview of the objectives of each program and the main approaches taken to meet each program objectives.

Please access a full copy of *Congo4Tomorrow Magazine* Vol. 1 Issue 1 on our [website](#).





YOUR IMPACT

BY THE MARKETING/COMMUNICATIONS TEAM

The success of our mission depends on your contribution. Between 2019 and 2020, thanks to your generosity, we have helped **2,777 children** and **81 teachers** in **six low-income schools** across the city of Kinshasa, DRC. In 2020, new didactic materials were provided to equip teachers for the 2020 - 2021 school year. In light of the current COVID-19 pandemic and to prevent the negative impact of children's illness on the good advancement of their learning process, we also provided health prevention supplies. In addition, our volunteers led interactive hand hygiene demonstration sessions for the children. A detailed report of your impact in 2020 is provided [here](#).

WHAT'S NEXT?

Our visits to our partner schools helped us identify additional challenges that they are facing. [Le Monde](#) newspaper reports that 4 million children have joined public schools since the end of 2019 following the new mandate making schools more affordable and accessible to all (*French article*). This slew of pupils has increased the challenges our partner schools are facing due to their currently limited resources.

The urgent needs we identified include the scarcity of didactic materials for teachers and children and the shortage of desks available to accommodate the growing number of children. We also noted the unsanitary conditions of the sanitation facilities, which are currently presenting an environment favorable to the transmission of diseases.

To meet the needs of our communities, we are currently building a [Mobile Library](#). The first phase of this project is ongoing and involves the collection of books and manuals, from generous donors like you. We are also working towards providing additional desks to accommodate the additional number of children, and to [rehabilitate](#) those schools' sanitation facilities to prevent the transmission of diseases on school grounds.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Our detailed [financial report](#) for fiscal years 2019 and 2020 provides you with a summary of our operational and project-related expenses. We continue to count on your support to help us successfully and positively impact our communities.