

ACTION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE (ACYP)
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Dear Friends

I greet you in the name of the Lord the Most High. I congratulate you upon those areas where you have registered success and regret for where you have not. I thank the Lord that He has been our God in all situations and conditions no matter what. I thank Him for the gift of life. Thank you for the prayers to Mrs. Shelagh who is under God's favor for the operation, healing and quick recovery.

I am writing also to thank you for your prayers for the education of orphans and HIV/AIDS infected children. Although Education is a basic right, for many orphans it is not the case in many of our poverty stricken families. This is why I give a standing ovation for you who have made it possible the education of hopeless orphans especially [Franciscan Aid](#).

We celebrate the number of orphans who passed their National Primary Leaving Examination they sat in 2015. The results were released on 08th Jan 2016 and we waited anxiously for messages to reach our office. The results were received with great joy when all of our orphans passed in good grades compared to the previous years. A total of 17 orphans sat for the examination. [Franciscan Aid](#) supported 15 of them to complete their basic education. This makes us give a godly appreciation to the [Franciscan Aid](#) Charity. You are aware that [Franciscan Aid](#) supported 70 orphans and HIV/AIDS infected orphans in primary school and secondary in 2015. The charity has been the sole sponsor of orphans' education with ACYP in Uganda. We have continued to pray to God that these orphans don't drop out of school. The only hope for them at the moment is receiving an education. They have never given up coming to our offices at every beginning of school term for scholastic materials. All they need are exercise books, mathematical geometry sets, science kits, school uniforms, rulers, coloured pencils, pens and a school meal.

We are now waiting patiently for the Uganda Certificate of Education results due in February 2016. About six young people sat for these final exams and we are awaiting results. Our patron Shelagh as you are aware will be in recovery process so we might find it hard to contact her. Also we need to pray for Madam Angela the secretary at [Franciscan Aid](#) and all the entire Board of the Charity who do the tremendous work for the sake of our children here in Uganda.

Prayer Request

I am writing to request for your prayers as these children's education might come to a standstill unless intervention for year 2016 is done. Many of these orphans have nobody to run too for help. ACYP has been available for their health, feeding and education. The children come from Elderly headed households, child headed households, disabled headed household and some from HIV/AIDS widow headed households. This has made it hard the accession of daily basic needs. So please pray that God's provision come our way for their education.

God Bless you

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