



# Dear Future

Getting ready for you

An exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code, EIN 87-2958392, working to improve the lives of children **Globally.**

## **Our Vision**

*Education and Health for Every Child.*

## **Our Mission:**

*To eliminate the obstacles to great Education and Health for children living in Remote and extremely poor regions of the world.*



# The problem



According to UNESCO (United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization), more than 260 million children are out of school worldwide due to:

- **Poverty, long distances to school.**
- Formal and informal school fees, and the absence of inclusive education.
- No Food and hunger
- Slavery / Child labor



Students spend their day with incomplete bathrooms, hungry, barefoot and mentally affected by the long term effects of these conditions. This **unhealthy** situation leads to:

- Dropping out of school,
- Limiting their dreams
- Being unable to be children.



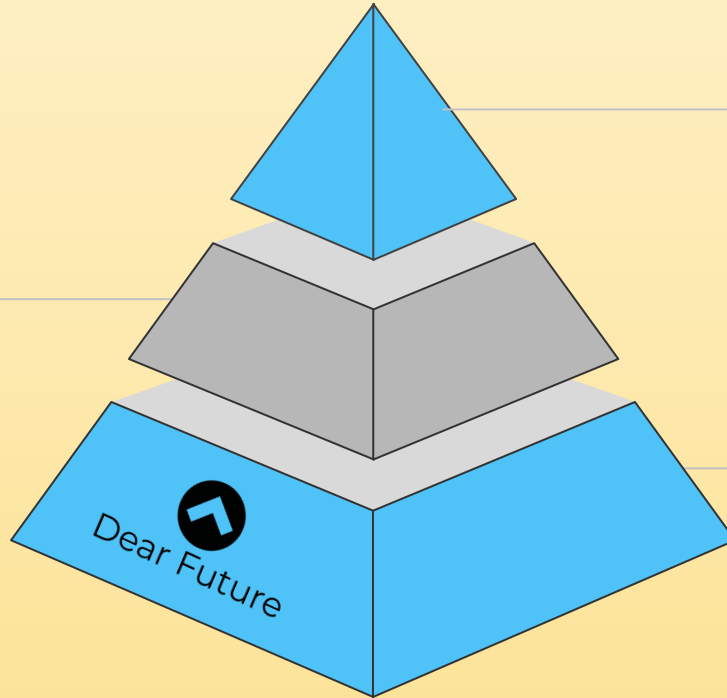
# Our Growth Plan:

## Keep kids in School, Validate the Data

NEVER lose focus of the goal to keep kids in school and improve their educational condition.

Add more Students!

Year to Year evaluate the effectiveness of the programs, change what is not working, launch new programs if needed, continue with what works.



## Perfect the Program, Add Students and Funding

Perfect what we do so it can be repeated anywhere in the globe.

## Focus on Recognized Needs

Research shows that School Materials are a common necessity, and a resource given directly to the student and/or the teachers (no middleman).

Create and maintain relationships with schools and children we work with.

## Our Priorities:

1. Children's interests first.
2. Uncompromising Fundraising.
3. Continuous learning.
4. Data.
5. Invest in programs that work.
6. Nailing our method.
7. Expand Globally.







# Our Approach

## Seek and Contact Schools | 1

Currently working in the Andes of Peru, we have partnered with local schools without basics, such as: pencils, paper, notebooks, coloring pencils, etc.

## Fundraise to Give | 2

Our ambitious goals are only matched by our proportional fundraising goals and our desire to double our school numbers and improve the quality and completeness of our packages

## Volunteers | 100%

A dedicated leadership team that works entirely on volunteer basis, projecting 100% of our funds to operational and admin fees absolutely necessary for growth.

## Listen and Understand Needs | 3

In cooperation with our school partners, we develop and approve an absolute list of needs that will enable students and educators to complete a successful school year.

## Deliver | 4

Always working in cost savings mode, Dear Future personally handles all the needs and delivers the goods quickly.

## Develop our Future | 5

We evaluate our work and other means we can help, Our future goals include: Mental health for our population, "If you can see it, you can be it" program, and ultimately to extend our work into Africa.



# Dear-Future.org

*We set off to build something great, something we could be proud of and something that had the ability to grow.*

*We all give as much as we can, but our focus is always in our mission. There is always a place here for you!*



**Ric  
Juarez**

Founder and CEO of  
Dear Future.

TX -USA



**Fernando  
Juarez**

Founder and COO of  
Dear Future

Trujillo - Peru



**Pam  
Baird**

CFO  
Board Director

CA - USA

## **Backed by:**

**Our School Partners (Peru): 6 Schools**

**Our NGO partners in Uganda:**

Namugga Mable Foundation

Empathy Children Initiative - UG

**An experienced Directors Board (US/PE):**

Ricardo Juarez, MBA - US

Fernando Juarez - PE

Pam Baird, MBA - US

Raegan Welch, MBA, Director of Communications - US

Jacob Mulcahey - US

**Our Volunteers (US)**

Erin McMurtrey - Writer - US







# Our Values



# Faith

To believe, to feel  
confident, to trust in the  
abilities or goodness of  
someone or something.

# Honor

An uncompromising  
code of integrity, even  
when no one is  
watching

# Fortitude

Practice what is good  
and just, even when it is  
difficult

# Empathy

To understand and  
share the feelings of  
Others

# Resilience

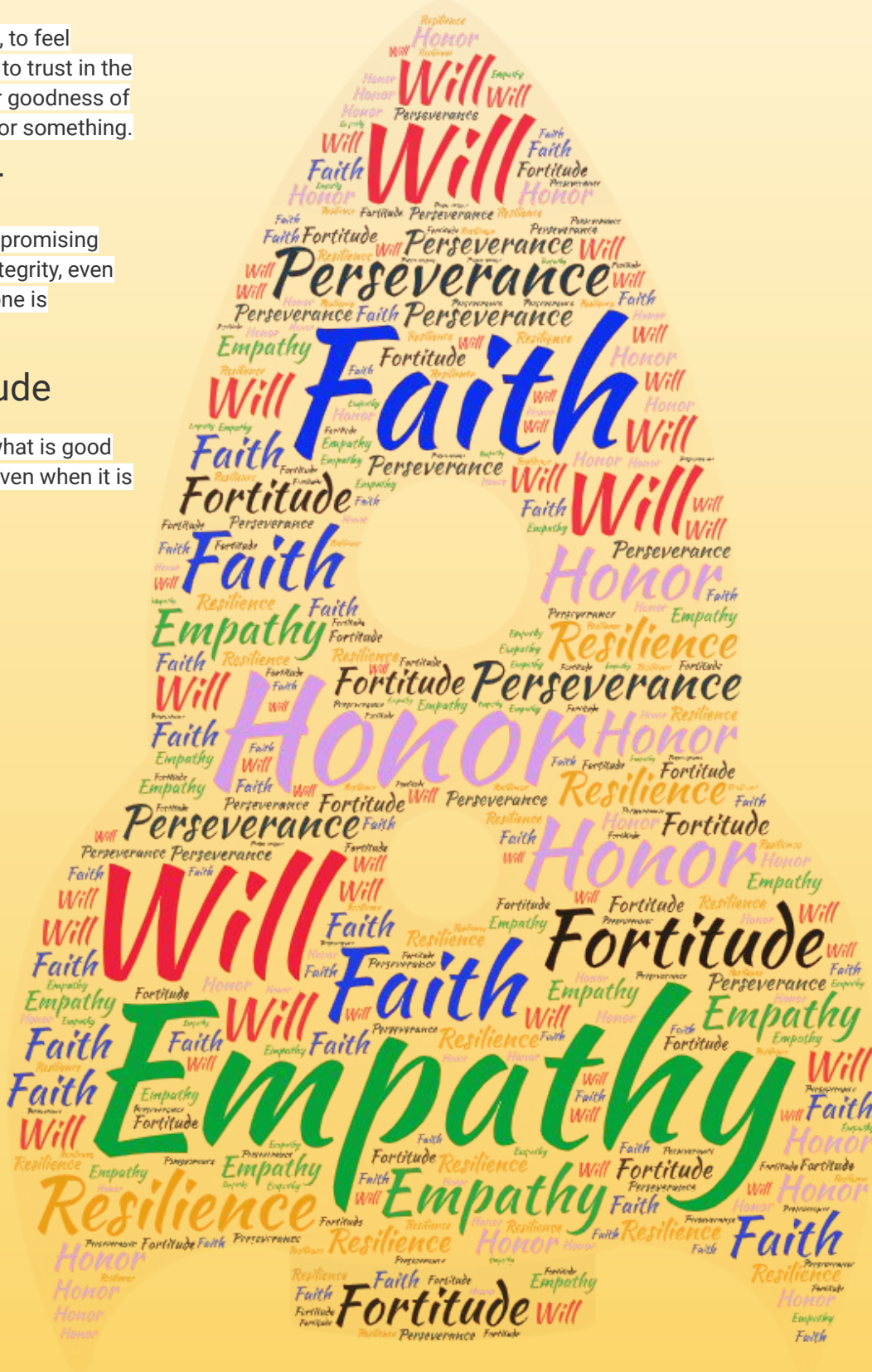
To adapt in the face of  
adversity

# Perseverance

Persistence in doing  
something, despite  
difficulty.

# Will

To pursue our goals  
with conviction, and  
fortitude, giving us the  
power to persevere.







# Our Programs





# Getting Kids to School - Our school Materials Program

We provide the basic school materials to children living in our support demographic.

Children both in Peru and Uganda will normally show up to school empty handed, and place the responsibility on the school teachers to figure it out.

Some of these children in both countries are not even able to afford shoes.

Dear Future believes that education can break the chain of poverty, and enable our children to live a full life and one day contribute to the global efforts to make our world a better place to live.



**250** Children in Peru



**250** Children in Uganda



**19** Orphans in Peru





# Bring back the pen pal Program!!! A Dear Future Education Activity -

In Collaboration with  
Mckamy Middle School  
(LISD) and Kent  
Elementary (CFBISD) we  
have connected our  
children in PERU,  
UGANDA, and Zambia  
through a come back of  
the pen pal program!

Twice a year, children in  
north Texas connect with  
our children living in much  
different situations,  
learning about their areas,  
their culture and their  
wishes for the future.

Children share what they  
want to be when they  
grow up and exchange  
art.

This beautiful program  
has taken a life of its own,  
and spread kindness in a  
beautiful way.



**2000+** Postcards





# Dear Future - Health Hygienic Pads to girls in Primary Grades.

We provide hygienic pads to girls in the country in Uganda to ensure NOT another day of school is missed because of not having access to this basic necessity.

Children in this region are forced to stay home when their period begins, they do not have the ability or the tools to learn how to manage their lives.

Important national tests are missed and they become outcasts on a frequent basis. If a girl NEEDS to go to school they resort to using wadded up cotton, hey or even used and old, dirty sponges.



**700+** In 2023 so far.



**500+** Oct to Dec 2022



**.98c USD** Cost of 7 Pack



# Veteran Program Patriots for Children

When we leave the military service we leave behind our immediate ability to serve with a global reach and our veterans are suffering in a multitude of ways.

Dear Future was founded by a US Navy Combat Veteran, and aside from serving extremely poor countries, we wanted to also serve our veteran community.

Patriots for children is a fundraising program designed to help local US school districts that exist in extreme poverty. Funded, Operated and sustained by military veterans.










[www.dear-future.org/veterans](http://www.dear-future.org/veterans)

**JOIN NOW**

# VETS EMPOWERING EDUCATION



**2023 CAMPAIGN ENDS AUG 10 - In time to 1st day of school.**  
Support Our Veteran Founded Nonprofit and Transform Education in the USA! 🏠

-  **\$100.00** by Josh Krieg 5 days ago
-  **\$100.00** by Kevin Valdez 6 days ago
-  **\$50.00** by Ricardo Juarez 13 days ago
-  **\$100.00** by Shawn Hoover 25 days ago  
Keep up the amazing work Ricardo.
-  **\$100.00** by J. 1 month ago
-  **\$100.00** by Ricardo Juarez 1 month ago  
Thank you Raegan!
-  **\$100.00** by R. 1 month ago
-  **\$300.00** by Homero Carrillo 1 month ago
-  **\$100.00** by Alineo, LLC 1 month ago  
Awesome Campaign!! Love to see veterans working together for our education!!
- No more donations



**Ric J - Model your Future Today!!**

**Team \$600.00 raised**



**Team Raegan - Empowerment Through Education**

**Team \$200.00 raised**



**Team Jake**

**Team \$50.00 raised**



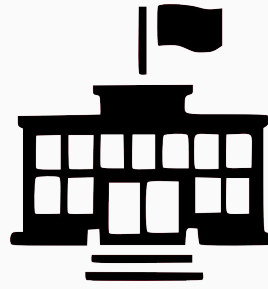




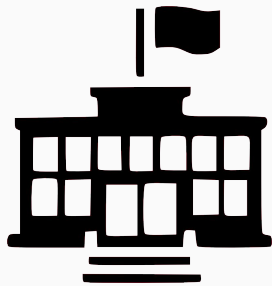
# Our Impact







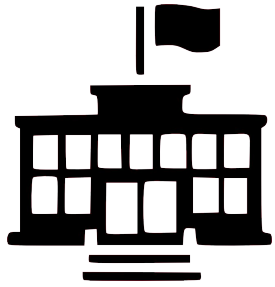
- 5 Primary Schools
- 5 Initial (K)
- 1 Secondary
- **288 Students served - 2023**
- **19 Orphans served**
- 2 Laptops donated to staff
- 1000+ postcards exchanged.



- 1 School Built  
Trey Jr. Initial and  
Primary School  
serving 120  
students.
- **250 Students served - 2023**
- **16 Orphans served**
- 1 Laptop donated to staff
- 1 Projector donated
- 1000+ postcards exchanged.



*We built a school!!*



In October of 2022 we set off to build a school in Uganda due to an emergency, 120 children would've been left out of school. Dear Future, in collaboration with Smile I Stutter from Dallas, TX joined forces to build the children a dream school.

Trey Jr. opened started teaching February 6, 2023.

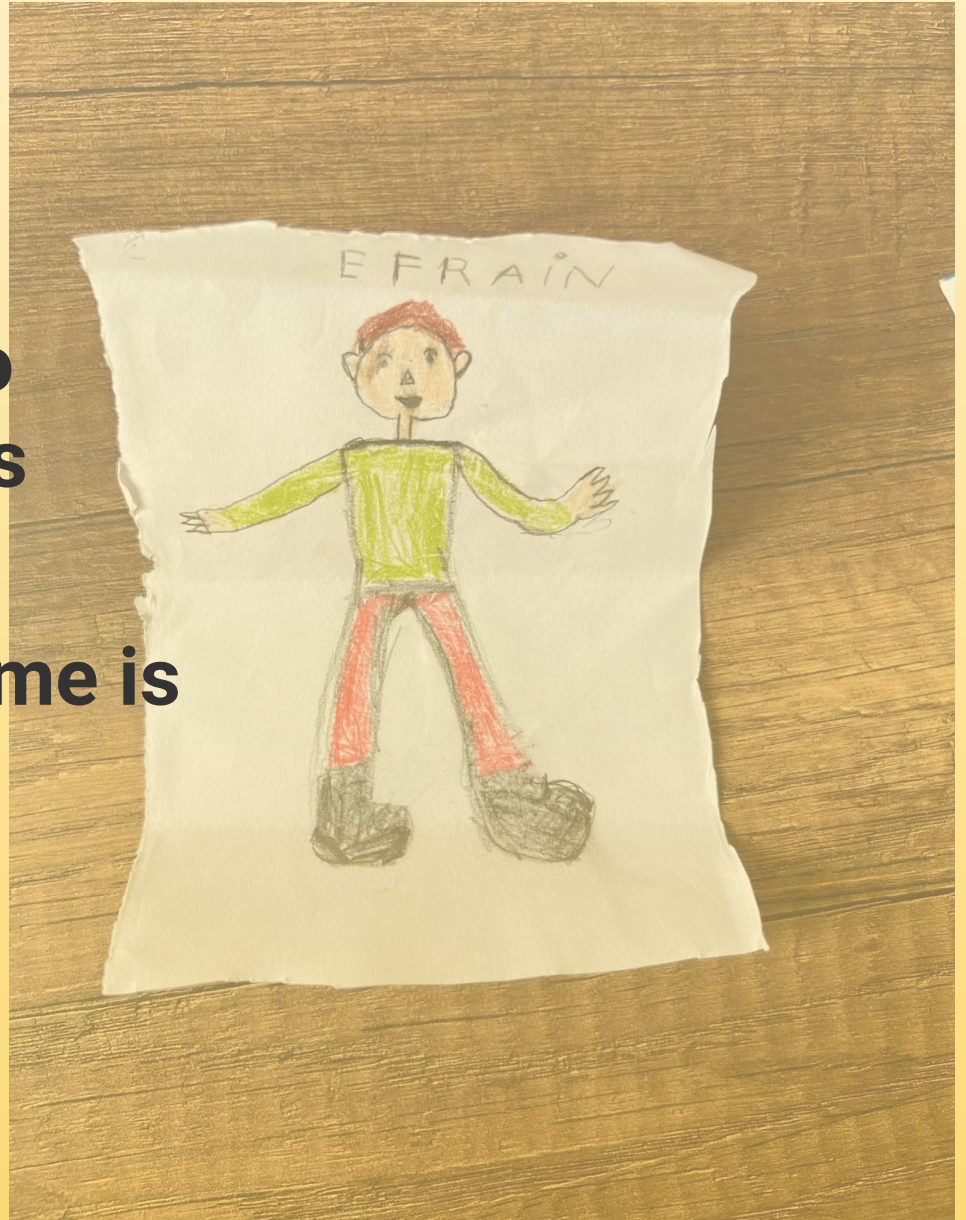




**Why now?**

**The best time to  
plant a seed was  
yesterday.**

**The next best time is  
today.**



# Why now? Why this?

For many years, after I retired from the uniformed services of the U.S., I found myself hearing the continuous call to duty. Many veterans in our country find challenges when away from the service, some of us find that nothing fulfills our lives more wholly than a life of giving. But when is the right time?

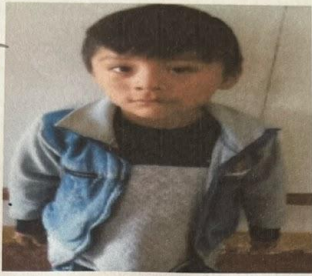
Now? As many children find themselves unable to meet the world at their highest potential, and the inequality of education widens, it only makes sense to us, at Dear Future, to dedicate our lives to **their future**, it does not belong to us.

~ Ric, Founder





Miseck



Buen día señora Mari Ellen Strickland muchas  
gracias por tu ayuda tendre que escribir por tu  
ayuda haor llano molestare a mi mamá muchas gracias  
Te amo mucho ♥

Dici Sarai Janel Alejo Zambrano ♥

GRACIAS



8 en 1 libro de  
Buen día a toda la  
familia gracias  
Dios que les va  
quiere mucho

Dici Naomi

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Para la familia Radford  
Buen día con toda la  
familia Radford, estas  
son una familia buena  
porque se preocupan por  
nosotros los niños, me  
alegra mucho que  
nos regalan nuestros  
utiles escolares un día me  
gustaria irles y  
ayudarles y decirles  
las a todos.

De Efrain

SEÑOR OMAR MORALES  
LE AGRADEZCO MUCHO  
POR EL REGALO  
SOY DIEGO  
1º GRADO

We got much more work to do!

