PLAY & LEARN FOUNDATION · EST. 2013 · ACCRA, GHANA

Empowering Ghana’s Future

One Space. Endless Possibilities.

Who we are. What we've built. Where we're going next.

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Our Mission & Vision

Play & Learn Foundation, since 2013

MISSION

To empower undeserved Ghanaian boys and girls through a combination of academics, athletics, professional mentorship, and community contribution to develop the skills needed to become leaders in their local and global communities.

VISION

A world in which all African youth are supported in their pursuit of academic excellence and skills development, so that they may become the leaders of their generation.

OUR CORE VALUES · L.E.A.D

- **Love**
- **Empowerment**
- **Accountability**
- **Dedication**

How We Work: Programs & Activities

Delivered across four focus areas: Education · Mentorship · Community Development · Athletics



Community Tutoring



Mobile Library



YAGEP — Girls Empowerment



Brothers in Growth



PAL Tech (Digital Literacy)



Follow My Lead — Dance & Drama



Athletics & Football Program



Mama Africa — Single Mothers (MASMEP)

Our Journey: 2013 → Today

From one football field to a movement across Greater Accra

2013

- 15 children, 1 volunteer
- No structure or funding
- No university support
- Informal tutoring, no facilities

2026

- 250+ children served annually
- Structured programs with grants & CSR support
- Partnership with University of Ghana (3 departments)
- Mobile Library & curriculum-based tutoring
- Land secured for AstroTurf & Container Library

A Decade of Impact & Trusted Partnerships

The numbers behind twelve years of work, and who stands with us

10,000+
Cumulative Child Engagements

250+
Students in Community Tutoring Annually

1,000+
Children Reached via Mobile Library

30+
Girls Empowered through YAGEP

45+
Active Volunteers Each Year

3
University of Ghana Departments Partnered

OUR PARTNERS

Academic: University of Ghana (Social Work, Psychology, Performing Arts) · International: CIEE, AFS, ISEP, UCEAP

Sports & Corporate: San Diego Soccer Club, Vive Create Future, PAL USA · Community & Arts: EducArt, Nubuke, Urban Design League

The Challenge in Okponglo

> *"Talent is everywhere. Opportunity is not."*

In Okponglo, Accra, children are full of talent — but their environment holds them back.



No Safe Study Space

Children have nowhere quiet or well-lit to study, read, or do homework after school.



No Digital Access

Zero access to computers or the internet cuts an entire generation off from opportunity.



No Books or Materials

A shortage of reading materials makes self-directed learning almost impossible.



No Community Venue

No dedicated space for youth to gather, be mentored, or participate in programmes.



The Solution

The PAL Okponglo Community Hub — a refurbished container learning centre for our community.

Reading and Literacy Centre
Curated books and mobile library

Digital Learning Lab
Computers and internet access

After-School Tutoring
Mentorship and life skills

Girls' Empowerment
PAL-YAGEP programmes

Youth Workshops
Vocational and entrepreneurship

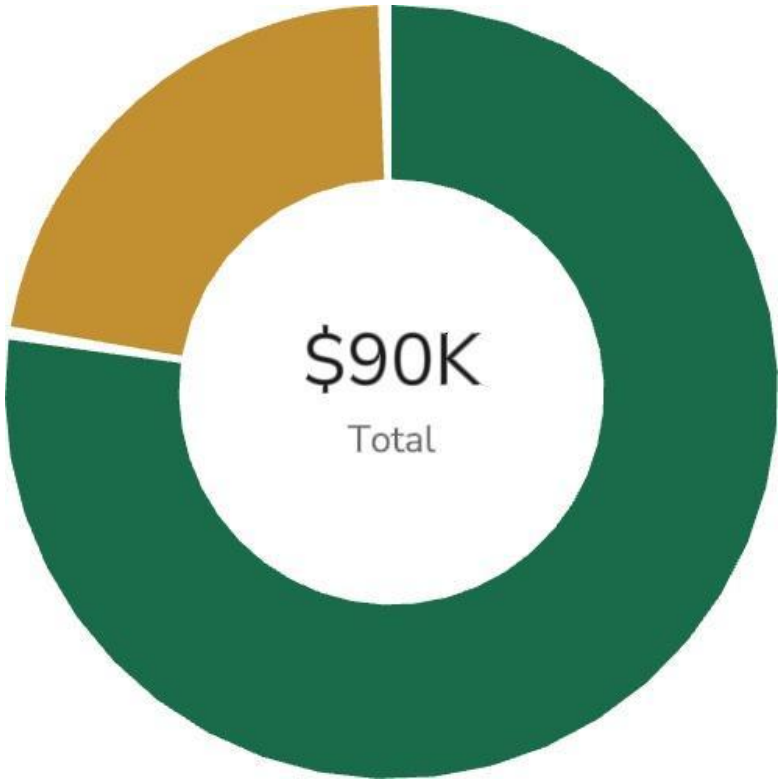
Community Venue
Family and community events

Serving 300–500 children every year

Budget at a Glance

Revised Bill of Quantities

TOTAL PROJECT COST
$90K



Container Library (78%) U-Drain (22%)

CONTAINER LIBRARY BREAKDOWN — $70K

Substructure and Shell Works	**$10,486**	11.7%
Insulation, Roofing and Cladding	**$13,738**	15.3%
Windows, Doors and Tiling	**$7,929**	8.8%
Ceiling, Painting and Finishes	**$4,305**	4.8%
Electrical, Plumbing and Water Tank	**$7,000**	7.8%
Furniture, Equipment and ICT	**$12,917**	14.4%
External Works, Prelims and Contingency	**$13,384**	14.9%
U-Drain Infrastructure (Drainage)	**$20,000**	22.3%

Why Invest in PAL

Three reasons this investment creates lasting change

01

Proven Track Record

A decade of grassroots impact, 10,000+ child engagements, and university-backed partnerships. PAL delivers — reliably and transparently.

02

Permanent Infrastructure

This is not a programme — it is a building. A community-owned asset that will serve generations of children long after 2026.

03

Replicable Blueprint

The container model is fast to build, low-cost to maintain, and designed for replication across Ghana.

Corporate Partnership Tiers

Higher tiers include every benefit below plus exclusive additions

Community Builder
$1,000+

Silver Partner
$5,000+

Gold Partner
$10,000+

Platinum Builder
$20,000+

BENEFIT	Community	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Digital certificate of recognition	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Named listing on PAL donor wall	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on physical donor plaque	—	Yes	Yes	Yes
Logo on Hub signage and materials	—	—	Yes	Yes
Dedicated Hub zone naming rights	—	—	—	Yes
Public social media thank-you	—	Yes	Yes	Yes
Annual written impact report	—	Yes	Yes	Yes
Quarterly updates and volunteer day	—	—	Yes	Yes
Annual VIP in-person impact summit	—	—	—	Yes

Be a Founding Builder.

Help us build the PAL Okponglo Community Hub for the children of Okponglo.

DONATE

Give at any level — every dollar builds the Hub

PARTNER

Corporate tiers from USD 1,000 to USD 20,000+

SHARE

Introduce us to your network & peers

"It is the young trees that make the forest." — Ghanaian Proverb

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