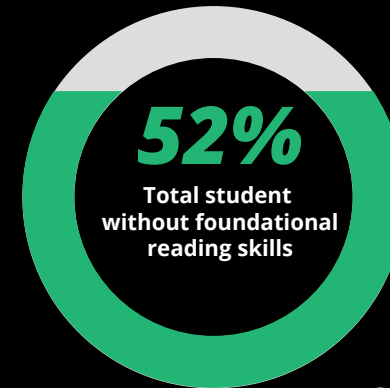




The Issue

The 2020 MICS-EAGLE Ghana Education Fact Sheet by UNICEF reveals that 52 per cent of children without foundational reading skills are from the country's poorest regions. Inadequate resources and poor facilities in rural schools contribute to this, demanding immediate improvement in literacy rates in rural communities in Ghana.

A 2022 report by the World Bank revealed that 7 in 10 of all children in low- and middle-income countries cannot read and understand a simple text by age 10. As a result, children without strong foundational literacy skills are less likely to gain the technical skills needed to succeed in society.



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Reading is the foundation for all other learning, and today's children require it in order to succeed in life.

MAKING AN IMPACT THAT MATTERS



Our Impact



23,000 +
children impacted
in the first year



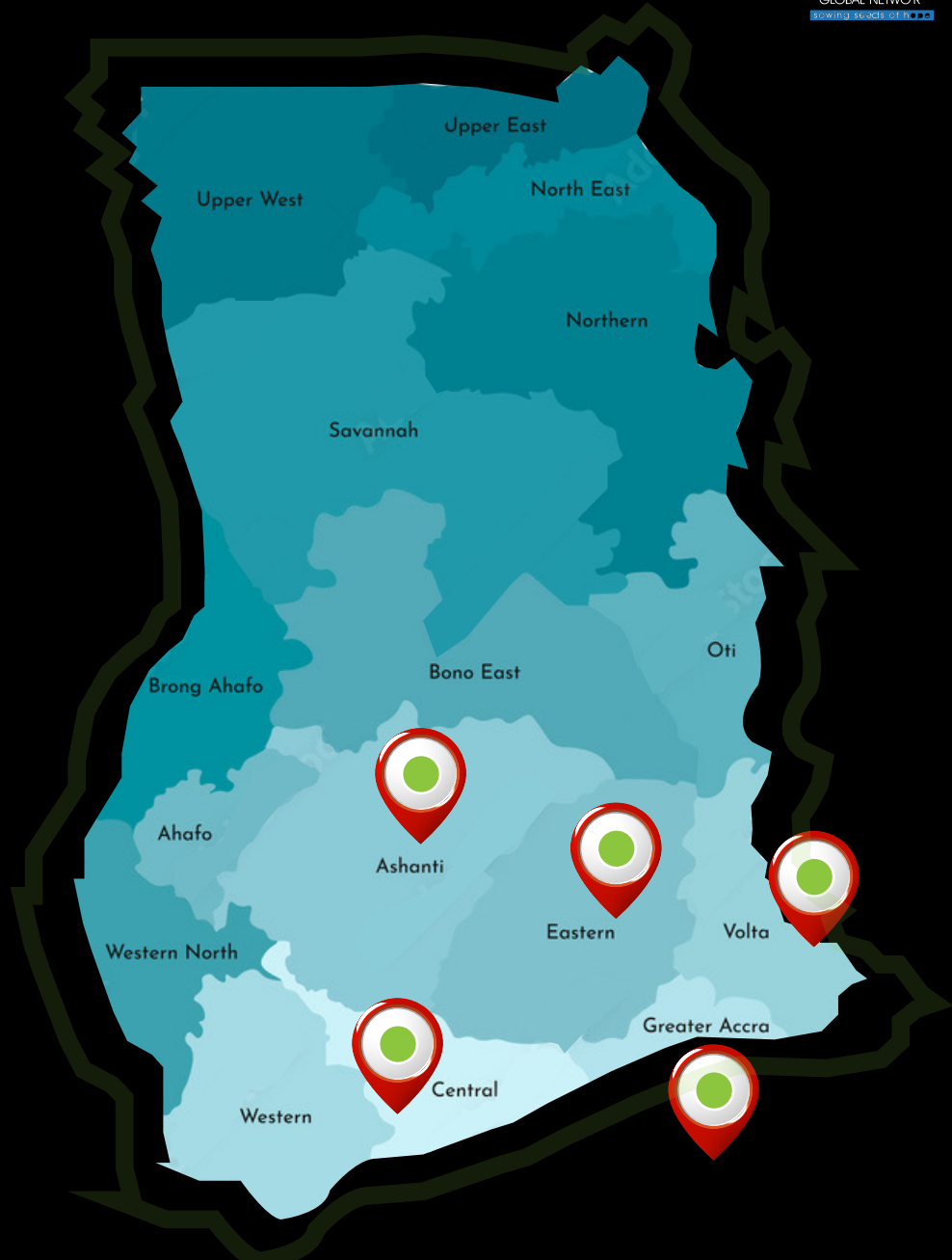
Eight
school
libraries



Across Five
Regions



Completed
in 20 months



Our Impact in first year - Deloitte WorldClass Initiative



3,902 children

at the Kwashieman
Cluster of Schools



2,053 children

at the Adweso Cluster
of Schools



3,829 children

at the Osu Cluster
of Schools



2,017 children

at the Achiase Cluster
of Schools



2,945 children

at the State Experimental
M/A Basic Schools



3,133 children

at the Hohoe East Cluster
of Schools



2,046 children

at the Konongo Mines
M/A Basic Schools



3,394 children

at the Aburi Cluster
of Schools



Libraries Restocked with approximately

9,400
New books



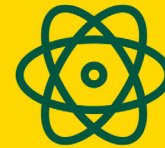
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23,319

Children impacted in year one

The Deloitte WorldClass Initiative has provided **eight (8)** libraries and impacted **23,319** children in five (5) regions in Ghana within **twenty (20)** months.



OUR FUTURE INNOVATORS

Investing in education and skills is the answer. It is the foundation of opportunity and progress and creates better futures for all.



LEADING
EDUCATIONAL
ORGANISATIONS
AROUND THE
WORLD

The Library Project iRead iLead Campaign

The iRead iLead Campaign is a 10-year strategic educational programme launched in January 2020 by Spring-UP Global Network, including the iRead iLead Library Project and the iRead iLead Literacy Programme.

The iRead iLead Library Project focuses on renovating and building new libraries in rural and deprived schools in Ghana, while the iRead iLead Literacy Programme is focused on establishing Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (STEAM) Clubs in schools to improve foundational literacy and equip learners with 21st-century skills to get them prepared and excited about pursuing STEM disciplines at the Senior High School level. With financial support from volunteers and social media followers, SUGN refurbished two (2) libraries between 2020 and early 2022.



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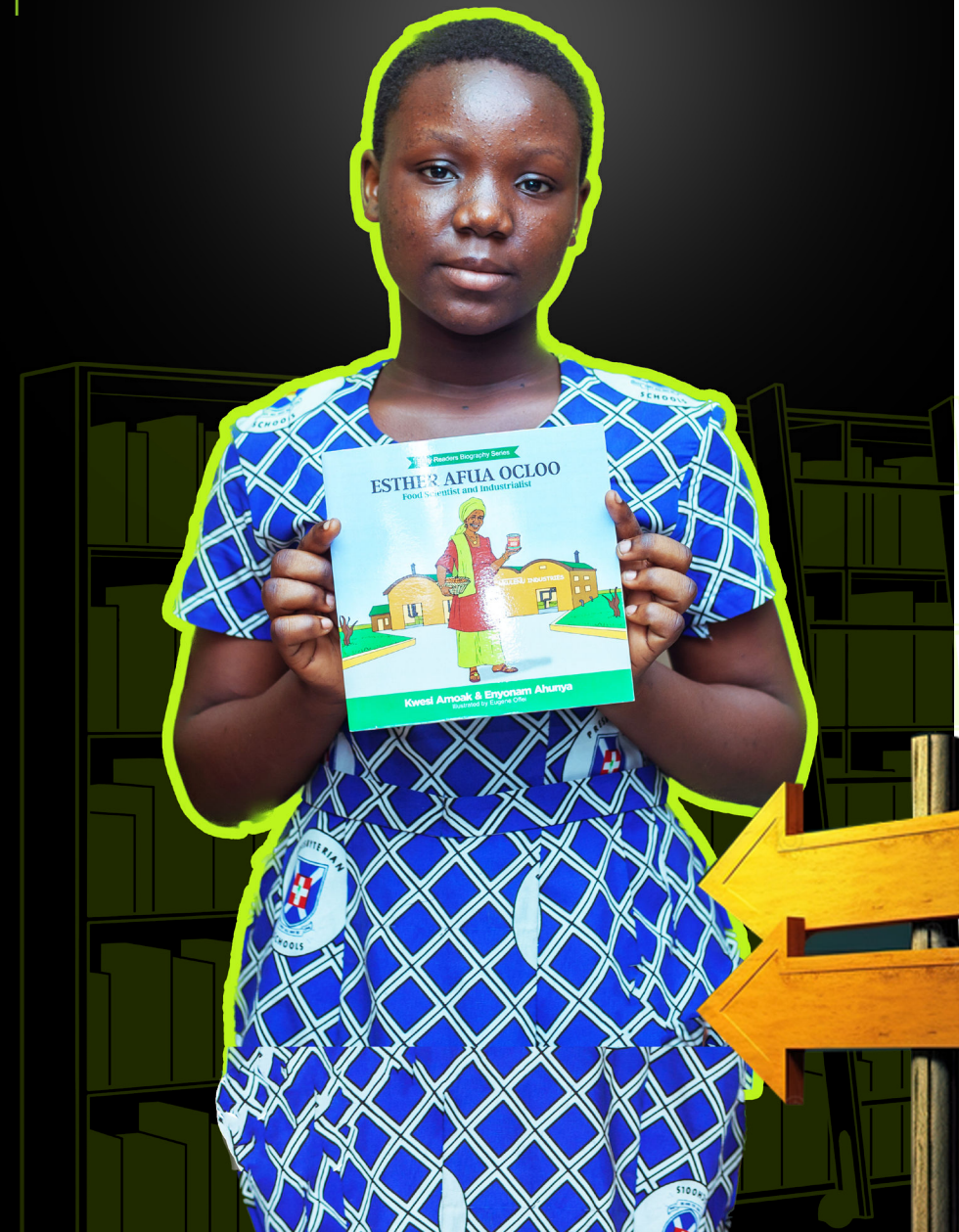
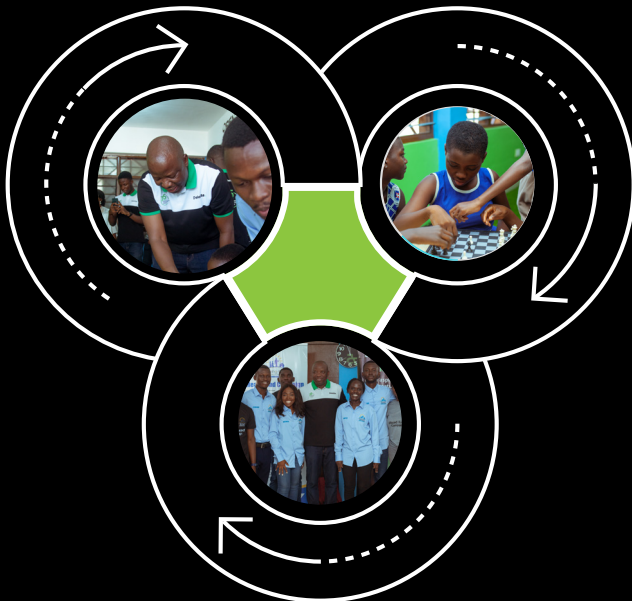


The Library Project - iRead iLead Campaign

\$ 55,000.00 Project Worth

In September 2022, Deloitte named SUGN as a partner to realise its WorldClass Initiative

This partnership has seen both organisations refurbish and restock **eight (8)** school libraries, making secure and conducive school libraries accessible to over **35,000** children in Ghana.





Our Impact
Stories



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About Deloitte WorldClass

WorldClass is Deloitte's organisation-wide global initiative, which seeks to prepare 100 million futures for a world of opportunity by 2030. This bold ambition exemplifies how we live our Purpose, making an impact that matters by addressing global challenges in society. By aligning around a common goal and mission, Deloitte is inspiring increased commitment and investment in education, skills development, and access to opportunity.



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