

YOUR IMPACT in 2018!

6,566 farmers (68% women) received **FARMING INPUTS, TRAINING and SUPPORT** and are now growing more food to eat and sell; getting better prices at market for their crops; and earning more household income

46 new **CLASSROOMS** built or renovated, **92** schools supplied with **BOOKS and TEACHING TOOLS** and **566 TEACHER TRAININGS** have improved educational quality and outcomes



21 Indigenous communities in Canada are reducing hunger and increasing the availability of healthy, affordable and culturally-appropriate food through **LAND-BASED EDUCATION and LOCAL FOOD SYSTEMS**



792 household, school & community **GARDENS** are lowering the cost of food, creating greater dietary diversity and improving family nutrition

BETTER EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES

LESS HUNGER



2.8 million **HEALTHY MEALS & SNACKS** reduced malnutrition, increased attendance and lead to better behaviour and learning outcomes



LESS POVERTY

589 **LIVELIHOOD GROUPS** with 14,053 members (75% women) have increased household savings and income, and enabled women to contribute to household and community development

MORE RESILIENT COMMUNITIES



COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION, GENDER EQUALITY TRAINING have increased women's participation, increased family income, increased community resiliency, and is leading to sustainable development

BETTER HEALTH & WELLNESS

28 youth groups (779 students, 91% girls) have been established focused on the rights and health of children and youth



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The amount of food available in donor-supported communities has increased thanks to you!

- Climate-smart agricultural training and inputs have increased yields, reduced post-harvest loss, and increased market value
- Food expenses have been reduced by 15%; gardeners have diversified and introduced more variety into their families' diets (Bolivia)
- Land-based education has made affordable, fresh produce available year-round in Indigenous communities (Canada)
- Farmers (89% women) reported average increases in crop yields of 20% to 50% (Ghana)
- 85% farmers (42% women) now have enough food to feed their families and 90% are feeding their families at least two meals daily (Uganda)



Gardens are growing around the world! See more at: canadianfeedthechildren.ca/the-feed/how-does-your-kitchen-garden-grow/



Empowered women empower other women! Women's livelihoods are game changers for themselves and for their families. See more at: canadianfeedthechildren.ca/the-feed/empowered-women/

Because of you, Income generation groups (IGGs) and Village Savings & Loans Associations (VSLAs) have increased family income and savings.

- Women now comprise 75% of IGGs/VSLAs and are increasingly stepping in to leadership positions (Ethiopia, Ghana, Uganda)
- New livelihoods options have increased household income three to eight times on average (Ethiopia, Ghana, Uganda)
- Women's income now comprises 40% of household income (Bolivia)
- VSLA participants have increased their savings more than 16% over three years (Uganda)

Thank you! Your generous gifts for teacher training, classroom renovation, and supplies are leading to better educational outcomes for children.

- Early childhood education has increased the number of children who enter and succeed in primary school (Bolivia, Uganda, Ethiopia)
- Learning supports have resulted in 100% of children deemed "on alert" to successfully progress in school (Bolivia)
- School infrastructure, learning materials and teacher training have improved annual examination scores (Ghana)
- More plentiful textbooks and school supplies have increased reading rates: in one community, 85% of children in upper primary classes are now able to read (Ghana, Uganda)



School nutrition programs continue to be the foundation for positive outcomes in children's health and education.

Your commitment to school nutrition, nutrition education and health has reduced hunger and malnutrition, improved learning and kept kids in school. Thank you!

- School attendance improved from 68% to 92% thanks to school food and better water/sanitation (Uganda)
- Drop-out rates are less than 3% because of daily meals/snacks (Ethiopia)
- 90% of children attained improved nutritional status in early childhood education centres (Bolivia)
- Educators reported increased energy, fewer behavioural incidents, and improved attendance due to nutritious food available daily (Canada)
- Teen pregnancies have been reduced to zero in one high-incident community thanks to community education and awareness (Ghana)
- Peer education and counselling programs have decreased drop-outs from early marriage and teen pregnancy and reduced absenteeism among girls up to 70% (Uganda, Ghana)

Families, communities and the local partners that work with them are all stronger and more resilient because you care.

- Workshops on gender, parental responsibility and toxic masculinities are addressing domestic violence (Bolivia)
- VSLAs and IGGs include gender role analysis for dialogue and action on gender-based violence (Ethiopia)
- Community awareness and gender sensitization is changing the status quo re household roles and responsibilities for a more equal distribution of labour, income and assets (Ghana, Ethiopia)
- Parents who attended gender awareness training report greater participation by men in children's education; greater voice of women at home and in community; better family relations and income (Ghana, Bolivia, Uganda, Ethiopia)



Aquaculture has scaled up economic development in northern Ghana, improving income, nutrition and women's livelihoods. canadianfeedthechildren.ca/the-feed/casting-for-innovation/



Youth groups focused on sexual and reproductive health, children's rights, and girls' education provide practical supports and the opportunity for dialogue to counter gender-based violence. See more: canadianfeedthechildren.ca/the-feed/girls-school-period/