



Ripple Effect Project routinely receives emergency aid requests from the Korando Education Center, though the size and scope of the requests in 2020 were exceptional. The COVID-19 pandemic affected our friends at Korando considerably.

Sanitization and social distancing requirements, implemented by public health organizations and the Kenyan Ministry of Health, prompted the purchase of additional disinfectant supplies, infrared thermometers and masks for all students and staff.

Residential students, who previously had been sharing beds in the limited dormitory space, were now

required to have their own beds to permit social distancing. This prompted the construction or renovation of four additional dormitories.

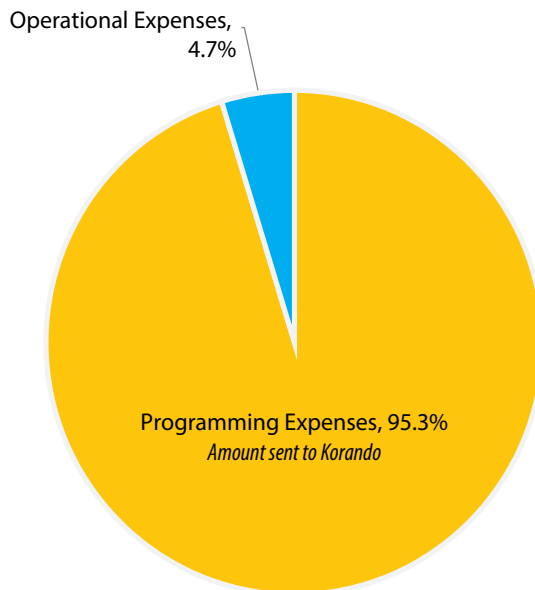
The temporary closure of the school cut off a vital source of food for many students, prompting Mama Dolfine to implement an unprecedented food assistance program for her students and their families, regularly delivering supplies to many families.

Ripple Effect Project provided financial support that allowed the Korando Education Center to retain all its staff throughout the pandemic, while lockdowns and business

closures forced many local Kenyans to become unemployed.

Our ability to respond to these urgent requests for assistance was made possible through the generous contributions of donors like you.

In the figures below, you will note that over 95% of contributions received by Ripple Effect Project went directly to the Korando Education Center to support these emergency and regular programs. We strive to be responsible stewards of your contributions and faithfully support the important work of our friends at Korando providing education and living support to so many students.



Operational and Programming Expenses, 2020

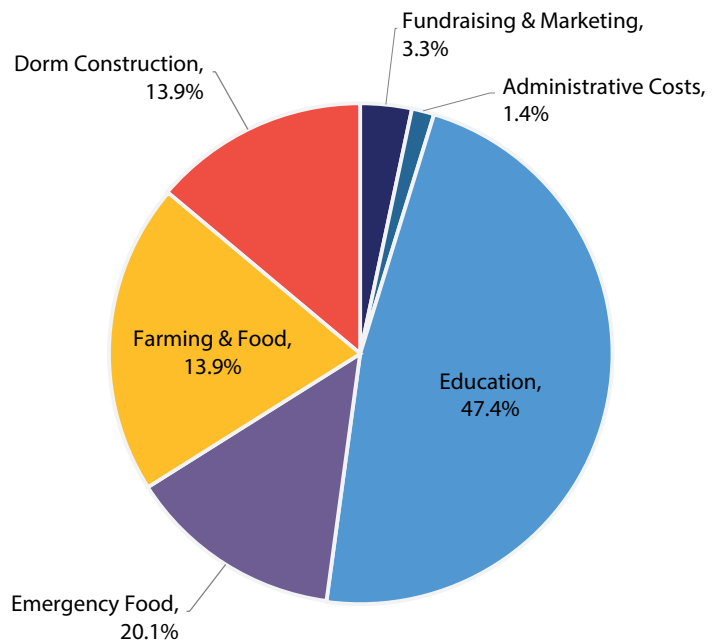
Fundraisers and Marketing: Includes expenses that were directly related to fundraising events and website hosting.

Administration: Includes expenses related to printing, postage, accounting services and any expenses for Ripple Effect Project to continue to operate and maintain 501(c)3 status.

Education: Includes expenses such as high school fees for KEC graduates and partial stipend payments to the educators and supporting staff at KEC.

Emergency Food: Includes expenses for emergency food during COVID-19 shutdown and food expenses for students living at the center

Farming & Food: Includes regular food allowances and operational expenses for



Detailed Expenses, 2020

KEC's farm and special equipment needed for the farm.

Dorm Construction: Includes construction costs for new dormitories required by the Kenyan government to adhere to COVID-19 codes and standards.

If you have any questions regarding our projects or expenses please feel free to contact Donna (donna@rippleeffectproject.org) or Vin (vin@rippleeffectproject.org).