

# Gender Equality and Education

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# Gender Equality

- Between inequities in secondary education to protection issues, adolescent girls are uniquely impacted by violence, poverty, and prejudice.
- The practice of marrying young girls further prevents many girls around the world from receiving any education.
- UNICEF has created a gender action plan (GAP) that outlines the steps UNICEF is taking to gain equality for girls around the world.
  - Promoting adolescent girls' health care
  - Advancing girls secondary education
  - Ending child marriage
  - Addressing gender based violence



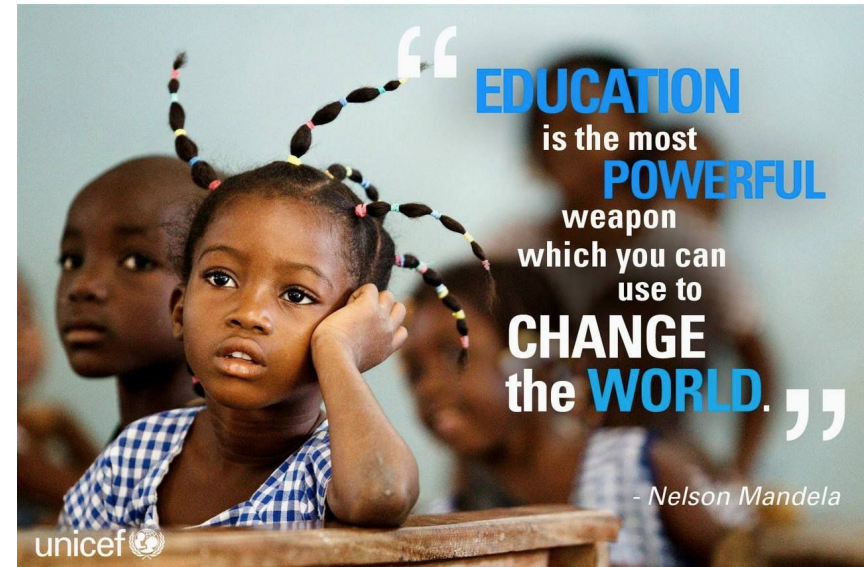
# Education



- All over the world children are denied an education because of gender inequality, monetary shortcomings, or violence.
- Yet, nearly half the world's children – especially girls from marginalized populations are denied an education every year.
- For every 100 children who start primary school, only 36 will finish in Southeast Asia. This is the highest rate in the world.
- UNICEF is working towards equal education opportunities by aiding with children's readiness for school; schools' readiness for children; and the readiness of families and communities to help children make the transition to school.

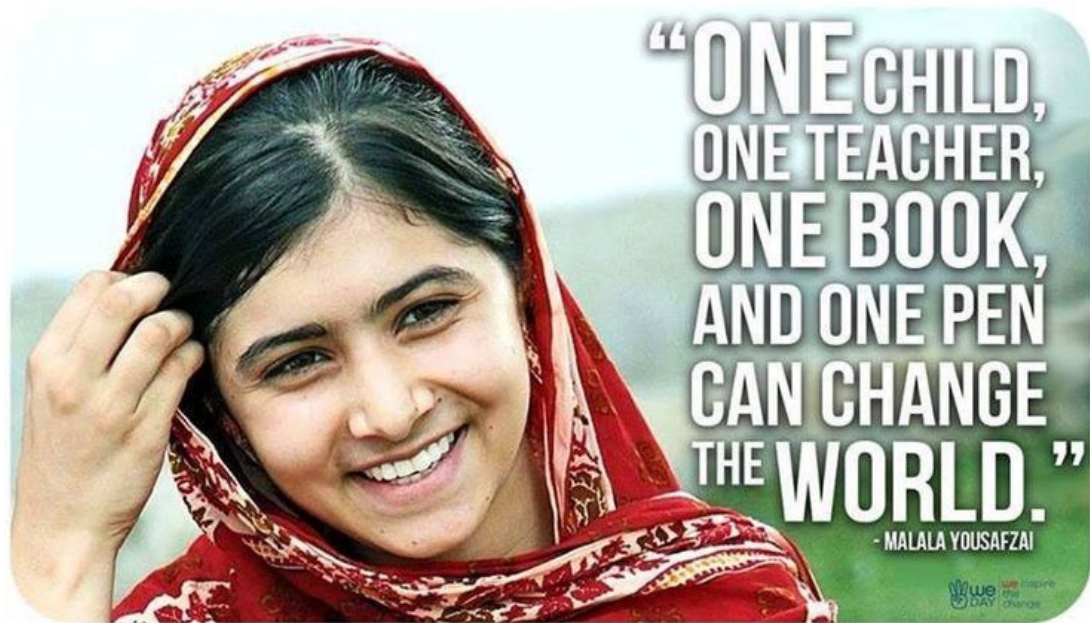
# Child-to-Child Approach

- UNICEF developed the Child-to-Child approach in partnership with the Child-to-Child trust.
- A child-to-child approach' is an innovative and cost-effective way of preparing preschool-aged children and their families to enroll on time in school and to succeed once enrolled.



# He Named Me Malala

- Malala Yousafzai has made incredible strides in getting the public's awareness of the disparity of global education.
- We are going to be watching her movie on the 24th.
  - Bring food for 1 hr
  - Bring a non-club member friend= 1 hr



# Important Dates

- **March:** Tap Project
- International Night (3/11)

# Videos

Education  
Child Marriage



Next Meeting: March 10th

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