

UNICEF High School Clubs February Resource Calendar

Featured Topic: Education and Gender Equality

Around the world, UNICEF is committed to full and complete access to free quality education for every girl and boy. Still, there are currently an estimated 57 MILLION primary school children who are not in class, over half of whom are girls. UNICEF aims, through its country programs, to promote the equal rights of girls to an education and support their full participation in the political, social and economic development of their communities.

Learn More

- Explore TeachUNICEF to learn about UNICEF's work in education and gender equality
- Learn about current education efforts in Gaza and Syria
- Watch and share this video on how UNICEF aims to educate the hardest to reach children
- Read the Voices of Youth section on education and gender equality

Take Action

- Host a film screening of "<u>To Educate a Girl</u>" and share the accompanying <u>resources</u> with viewers
- Take an <u>e-brief</u> learning course on gender equality
- Show OneMinuteJr Videos on Education in <u>Bangladesh</u>, <u>Afghanistan</u>, and <u>Madagascar</u> at meetings and on school television
- Host a fundraiser for Schools for Africa or Schools for Asia or the Kids in Need of Desks Fund
- Set up a book discussion group at your school and discuss "I am Malala". Ask students to read 1-2 chapters per week

Get Connected

Sample Facebook Posts

- "Education is a fundamental human right, yet 57 million primary-school age children are out of school. Support @UNICEF in their efforts to provide education to children around the world: http://bit.ly/1iipznl"
- "In many parts of the world, girls are far less likely to be enrolled in school than boys. The _____ UNICEF Club believes that ZERO girls should be denied an education: http://bit.ly/1sdYkCM"

Sample Twitter Posts

- "The ____UNICEF Club believes that ZERO girls should be denied an education. #StandWithMalala"
- "_____High School supports @UNICEF's efforts to provide access to education for children around the world"

Follow @UNICEFHSC on <u>Twitter</u> and Like UNICEF High School Clubs on <u>Facebook</u> for more posts you can share during the month of February!

UNICEF Tap Project Is Just Around the Corner!

Last year's UNICEF Tap Project was a tremendous success thanks to the hard work of all of our volunteers! Join us on Tuesday, March 3rd from 7:00-8:00pm EST for a special <u>UNICEF TAP Project webinar</u> where you can ask questions about this year's campaign and how YOU can get involved. We will also be covering other priorities and exciting ways you can get involved with UNICEF this spring! <u>Sign up today!</u>