

**PILGRIM LTD.**



# **A YEAR IN REVIEW**

**Annual Report 2019**

I leave with both my parents.  
I have two siblings plus me three, I am the first born.  
I was born in 2007 1<sup>st</sup> Jan. My brother is in primary five and my sister in Top class.

My mother has a small job of selling charcoal.

My father is aboda boda rider. He makes small money where we buy food and other basic needs sometime they are not enough for us. I have two cousins whom live with

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I want to be an Air Hostess because it is a good job which can earn money and living to my life.  
My best subjects are English, Entrepreneurship Education, Geography, Art, Biology, Mathematics, chemistry.

I thank God for giving me my parents.

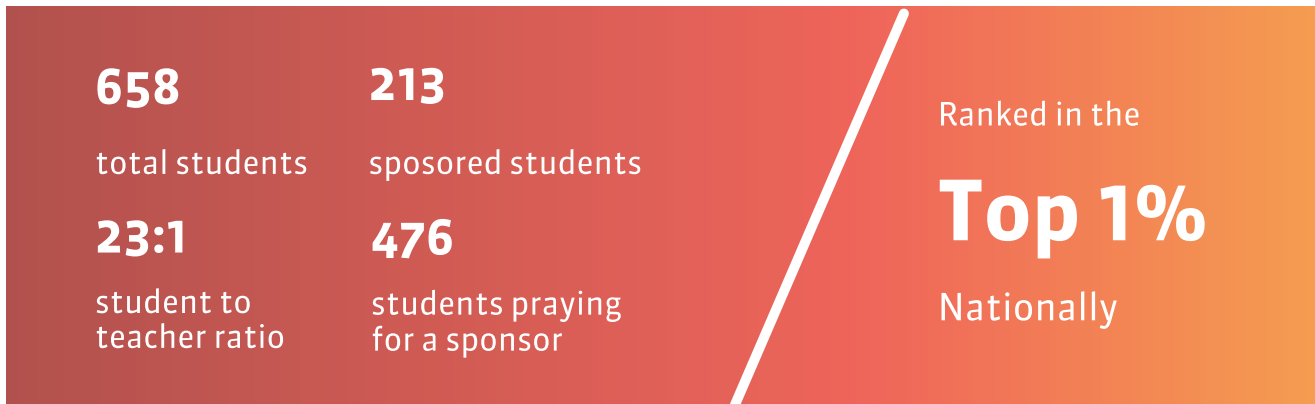
And I pray that the almighty God protect you and add you the more. For the sponsorship you have done in pilgrim Organisation.

# PROGRAMS: Education

## Beacon of Hope School

### Goal:

Our vision in education is to provide young Ugandans an excellent STEAM education that makes them competitive, entrepreneurial and creative in a global, digital world. At the heart of our work is our commitment to bring Christ into every aspect of our teaching.

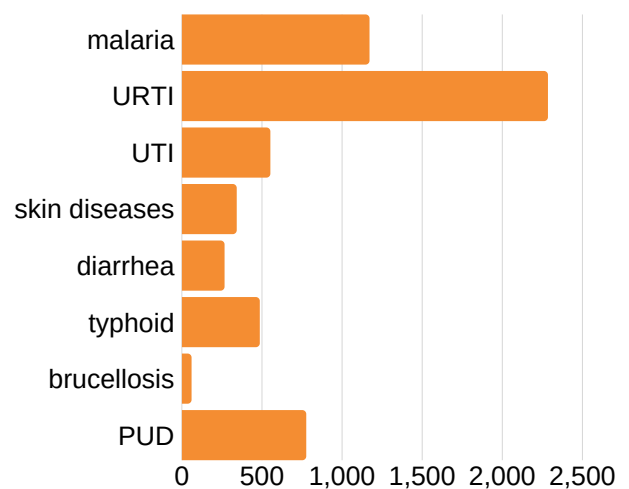


### Beacon of Hope School Highlights:

This year buildings on annex land began renovation and repair in order to create more dormitory space at BOH. This will enable us to expand our enrollment numbers, giving more students access to secondary education in a country where there's a steep drop-off rate in attendance from primary to secondary school. Many students have never experienced the softness of a mattress or pillow before coming to Beacon of Hope, and we are excited to be providing this opportunity to more students than ever before.

### Beacon Medical Clinic

The staff of BMC make it possible for the community of Soroti and our students to live full and healthy lives, aiding them on their journeys toward bright futures. In 2019, BMC treated 5,424 patients in Soroti, 3,188 of whom were students from Beacon of Hope. Between October and November, BMC recorded a nearly 300% decrease in malaria cases. During this peak of malaria season, 2 out of every 5 students had malaria. After treatment at BMC and preventative spraying from Beacon of Hope, this number dropped to less than 1 case in every 10 students.



# PROGRAMS: Public Health

## Katakwi Rotary Malaria Project

### Goal:

Katakwi Rotary Malaria Project (KRMP) is a 6 year, 2 phase project that aims to make malaria control cheaper, faster, and more effective. We integrate community-led vector (mosquito) control and medical care to produce the largest impact, with the ultimate goal of eliminating malaria.

### Project:

Uganda is a high burden country averaging 15 million cases of malaria per year. We have made incredible strides over the last 10 years, but progress like this is fragile and hard to maintain. We have seen it resurge in country after country when people start to let their guard down. We did have an upsurge this year when the mosquito nets wore out before the next net distribution took place. Our experience has shown us that Indoor Residual Spraying (IRS) dramatically drops the malaria burden.

Katakwi Rotary Malaria Project Goals (KRMP) - The goals of this project are first, in Phase One, to accelerate and use IRS as a big accelerator against malaria and in Phase Two, to sustain the gains after withdrawing IRS. When you bring the burden down very quickly as we have done with IRS, you significantly reduce the extent of the spread of the disease and reduce the costs of keeping incidence low.

What we know from the past is that when you remove IRS in Uganda, as we did in ten Northern districts, you see a resurgence immediately. So, the goal of Phase Two, which we just started, is to determine the best way to prevent that resurgence.



# EXECUTIVE CIRCLE DONORS

*Your generosity impacted thousands of children, families, and communities in some of the more difficult areas of eastern Africa.*

*Thank you for creating hope in Africa!*

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Executive Circle donors have given at least \$2,500 . Many give much more.



# OUR PARTNERS

*Working together to end malaria in areas where the disease is widespread, and to bring an excellent STEAM education to rural Ugandan youth.*

*Thank you for helping to create a lasting hope!*

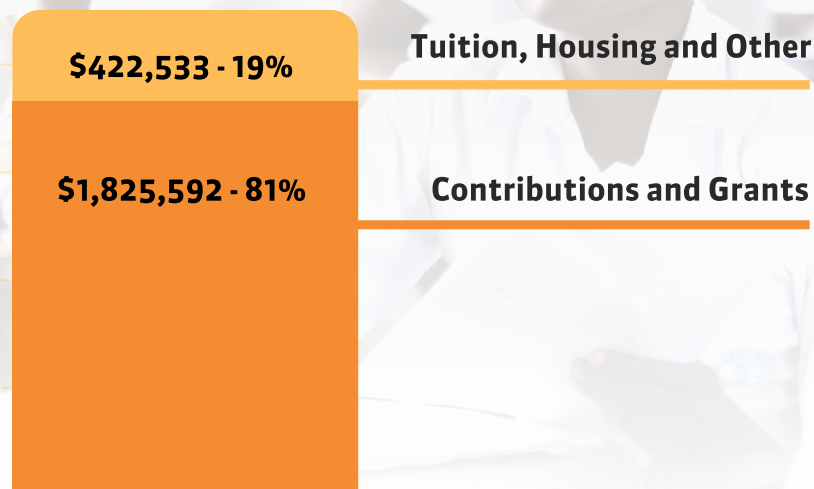
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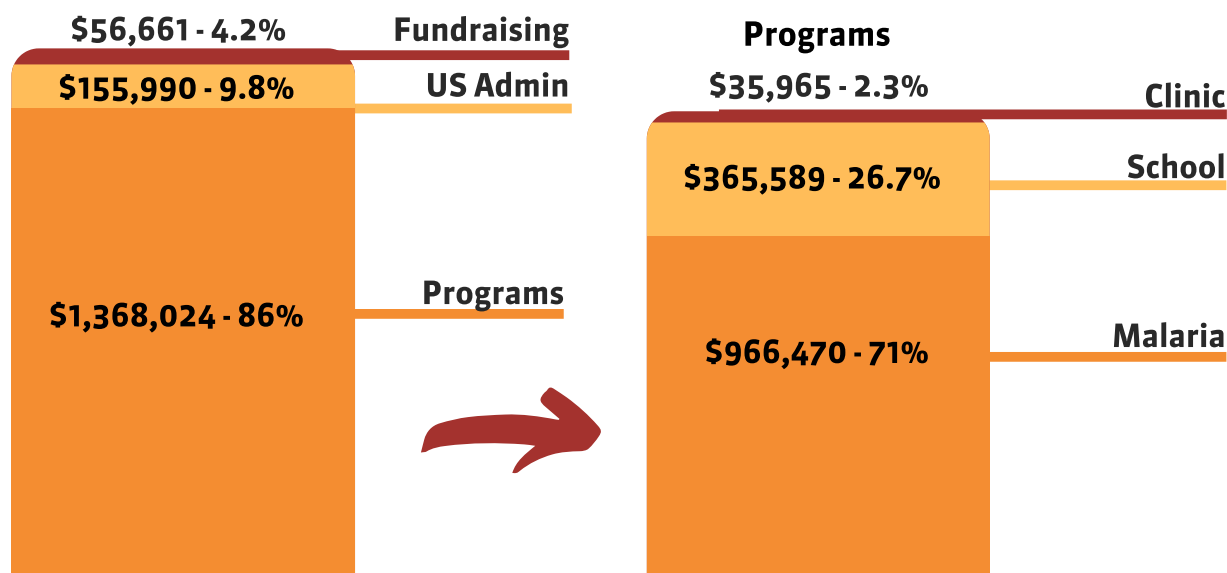


# FINANCIALS

## Income



## Expenses



Pilgrim Africa was blessed with significant giving at the end of the fiscal year which is reflected in income being higher than expenses for the year. This will balance itself out in the following year as restricted funding is distributed to our field work in eastern Africa. The numbers shown on this page are for 2019, the most current audited numbers.



# ABOUT US

## Our Mission

To challenge despair, to love boldly, and to create a future of sustainable prosperity and health in Uganda. We give ourselves in service to others regardless of economic, religious, or social standing, working to empower and love others to the glory of God.

## Our Values

### Dignity

We demonstrate respect for essential human dignity and are willing to offer and accept true friendship. We give ourselves in services to others regardless of economic, religious, or social standing.

### Bold Love

We challenge apathy and despair with courage, ingenuity, and authentic relationships.

### Indigenous Investment

Founded by and for Ugandans, Pilgrim Africa today has strong African leadership throughout the organization.

### Catalytic Change

Integrated, cross-sector transformation is necessary to revitalize the core aspects of African society.

### Partnership

Pilgrim Africa pursues partnerships at local, national, and international levels.



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