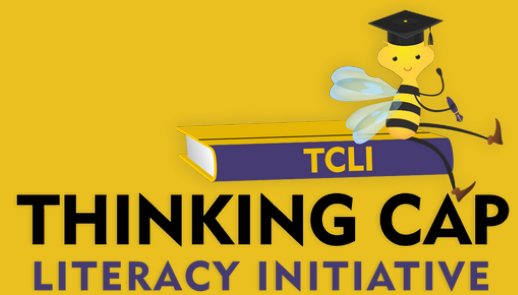


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Introduction

Who we are

Thinking Cap Literacy Initiative is a non-for-profit organization aimed at rolling back illiteracy among Nigerian children through the use of creative methods. Its goals and objectives are in line with SDG number 4 which is geared towards providing quality education. We have reached over 5,000 children since our inception in 2012.



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Aims & Objectives

1. To promote literacy among children and young people using creative channels.
2. To create literacy awareness.
3. To organize programmes, clubs, and literacy competitions.
4. Funding and stocking libraries with academic and inspirational materials.

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5. To encourage the development of core moral values, language and cultural heritage.
6. Providing educational and financial support in the form of scholarships.
7. Collaborating and networking with other partners.

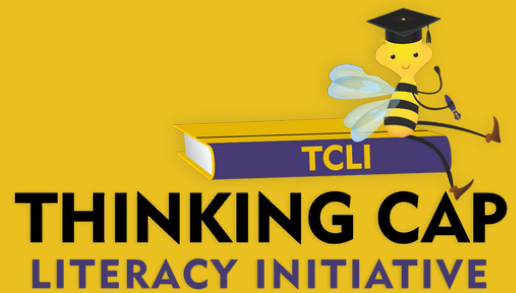
TCLI also engages in community interventions and offers humanitarian services to widows, single moms and orphans.



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October '24

- We gave financial support to a menstrual hygiene project organized by Pam Yeneh Davou

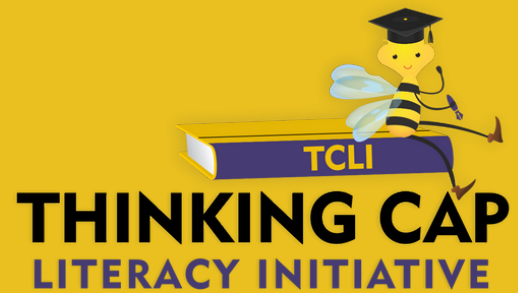
November '24

- We had a community engagement meeting with the stakeholders of the Nabor-Hwoll Community where our library is located. We went alongside the team from Community Outreach for Educational Change (COEC) to meet with the Chairman and other Executive Committee members of the community who received us with warmly and pledged their total support for the initiatives we plan to bring to the community.
- Our Free Community Library & Educational Resource Center re-opened its doors to the community on the 19th of November, 2024 with about 60 children in attendance from the Nabor-Hwoll Community. Since the reopening of the library, we have had an average of 65 children visit the library every library day (Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays). Our activities at the library include individual reading, group reading, games, etiquette lessons and screen time where we show educational videos.

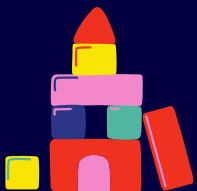
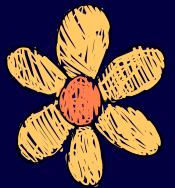


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- We onboarded a full-time project manager for TCLI in person of Kefas Dan Afan who will be in charge of all the projects at Thinking Cap.
- o We onboarded a library manager for the community library in person of Cynthia Kubas. She will be in charge of running the community library on a regular basis.
- o A team of 4 volunteers from TCLI visited CLAPAI Orphanage on the 8th of November to make a donation of back-to-school materials (12 dozen of exercise books, 7 dozen of pencils and 150 pens) and some clothes.
- o Our Executive Director represented TCLI at a Humanitarian Development Practitioners Training organized by ActionAid in collocation with Nasarawa State University, Keffi for one week, returning as a certified HDP Practitioner, which is a big win for us at TCLI.



December '24

- The library closed for the year on 14th December, 2024 with a special Christmas party. Activities included a film show featuring a Christmas movie, games, and a festive meal. The proposed reopening date is 13th January 2025, with plans to build on the successes and address the challenges noted during the period of our re-opening in November–December 2024.
- We also sent some financial support to our sister organization and the host of our community library -- Community Outreach for Educational Change in support of its Christmas funfair for rural children.



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Our Needs

- More books that reflect the children's cultural context
- Educational resources/games (Scrabble, flash cards)
- Stationery supplies for educational and creative tasks (pencils, crayons, erasers, exercise books)
- More volunteers during library days
- 30 plastic chairs for the library
- 5 plastic tables for the library
- Android tablets for the library (5)
- Printing of 500 branded exercise books



WHAT'S NEXT FOR US?

- Fundraising for android tablets for the library
- Launch of our chess club
- 13th anniversary celebration: Spelling bee competition, Chess competition & Gala/award night
- Volunteer's retreat
- Non profit leaders bootcamp

Conclusion

We are sincerely grateful to all our ADVISORS, donors & partners alike. none of these would have been achieved without you. Thank you for supporting the vision!



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How You Can Partner with Us:

- Choose a project of your choice to specifically support
- Sponsor a child's education under our scholarship scheme
- Donate exercise books and other stationery to our free stationery bank
- Donate new or used books to our community library
- Recommend us for opportunities
- Partner with us monthly by making a pledge to donate N5,000 and above to help us fund projects and partnerships.
- Pray for us and wish us well!



ACCOUNT DETAILS:

Naira Account

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