



Sponsor a child!

If you are thinking of making a regular donation to charity, child sponsorship is one of the best ways to do it. Here is where you can join the best grass-roots movement to help children gain confidence through Artistic and Cultural Education!

By sponsoring a child for Rs 650 per month or Rs 7,800 a year (about 195€), you can help provide creativity sessions for vulnerable children and help them nurture a sense of self-worth as well.

You can support our programme from anywhere in the world by sending us your donations. Your support through child sponsorship will help provide the children and their community with :

- Creativity classes with a variety of artistic material during the whole school period
- Fun and creative activities which foster the development of life skills, self-confidence, participation and critical thinking
- Art festivals where the children's and community's artistic talents are valued and where our national culture is celebrated !

TIPA (Terrain for Interactive Pedagogy through Arts) is an NGO founded in 2008 whose mission is to empower vulnerable children to become active citizens in the Mauritian society by favouring their development through the promotion of interactive pedagogy and education to art and culture.

“Frequently Asked Questions”

How does it work?

Your sponsorship, through a regular monthly Direct Debit of Rs 650 (approx. 16 € or 22 \$) or Rs7,800 per year (approx. 195 € or 260 \$) or more, can help us provide the vulnerable children with:

- Artistic and cultural educational activities during school hours that will foster their self-confidence and self-esteem.
- A value-based assessment program that will empower children in the development of soft skills
- Yearly art festivals where they can: exhibit their artworks to the community, discover and try new artistic disciplines with their parents, meet and discuss with Mauritian artists.

Which information will I get?

With privacy issues involved, we cannot send out details of the children to potential sponsors. However, we shall keep you informed of the evolution of our action, the activities in which the kids are involved as well as their general progress. You shall receive reports every trimester as well as our newsletters, and yearly financial report with our audited accounts.

Could I sponsor more than one child at a time?

Yes, you can! Consider contributing to our Program Sponsorship Fund (*see more details below*).

Where does the money go?

100% of your sponsorship money goes towards the TIPA Sponsor a Child fund. Since the children are in classes of 20 to 30 children, we do not split budgets down child by child, so that all the children can benefit from the program. The money will be spent on the running of our activities. For more information concerning our activities, you can visit our site web: www.tipa.mu

And when there are school holidays?

The money is spread over twelve months and covers for field and logistic costs as well.

How long do I have to be a sponsor for?

To provide stable support for the artistic and cultural education of these children, we do ask that sponsors complete at least a given year's commitment once started. If, for whatever reason, you may no longer continue or renew your support, please write to us about it.

Can I write to and/or visit the kid(s) I am sponsoring?

The children will surely like getting letters. However, we do not make children reply to every letter or write a thank you letter for every gift. We would like the child to feel that the love and support they are getting is unconditional. Unfortunately, visits are difficult to organize. However you are most welcome to join us for the festivals to enjoy the children's artworks and shows.

Indirect Beneficiaries: your sponsorship will also benefit the teachers who work in collaboration with the TIPA Facilitators, offering them the opportunity to discover and experiment interactive and participatory teaching methods as well as creative ideas that may then be used to support academic teaching.

How do I proceed?

To sponsor a child, fill in the sponsorship form and send it with your cheque to:

TIPA Association

A, Abbé de la Caille street
Curepipe
Mauritius

Or you can email it to us at: admin@tipa.mu and proceed to a bank transfer to our account (see the National and International Bank Transfer details included on the subscription form).

Other ways to support our action

Sponsoring our TIPA Programme

Alternatively, you can choose to sponsor our Programme. This will help to ensure that all our projects receive enough funding and that more children are able to enjoy a happy and creative educational environment and can look forward to a brighter future.

Can I benefit the CSR Program with TIPA?

TIPA is accredited by the CSR Committee, (N/1182) and is recognized by the NEF, as part of the "National Program". If you wish that your company sponsor our program, please contact our Project Manager at: management@tipa.mu

Can I participate to TIPA activities?

During the Art Festivals, we need involved and trustful volunteers, to facilitate the smooth running of the project. If you want to be a volunteer, please contact us at: fieldteam@tipa.mu

Put a smile on their Faces!

TIPA depends on your financial support to implement our Programme and achieve our goal of empowering vulnerable children. To donate, fill in the form :

I wish to donate

- Rs 650 per month during one year
- Rs 7,800 for the whole year
- Any other amount of Rs

by

- Standing Order (*please attach standing order form*)
- Cheque to the order of T.I.P.A.
- Bank transfer,
to TIPA's Account **MCB 380522861**
IBAN No : **MU49MCBL0938000000522861000MUR**
The Mauritius Commercial Bank Ltd
Sir William Newton Street, Port Louis
Republic of Mauritius
Swift Code : MCBLMUMU



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To be sent to:

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Once we receive this coupon you will be provided a receipt for the donation. Thanks for your Help!

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