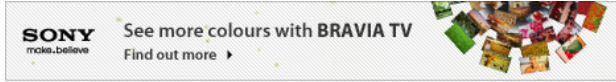


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## Scholarship foundation asks companies for help



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AN international organisation that sources for funds to educate needy children is calling on local partnership from companies to foster its dream.

Aiducation International commonly known as Aiducation, chief executive officer, Jeremiah Kiponda said they plan to sponsor 150 children to pursue secondary education and called on partnerships with companies to award scholarships.

In a press release sent to newsrooms, he said the foundation sponsor bright and needy students with 350 marks and above and its current focus is on Kenya.

"We are aimed at giving hope to children who are performing well but cannot proceed because of financial constraints. We have so far used over Sh80 million on needy children with 550 benefiting and are calling on well wishers to chip in," Kiponda said.

He said the organisation has impacted positively in the education of the needy children in the country and has given hope to children who perform well during Kenya Certificate of Primary Education examination but cannot proceed to secondary because of financial constraints.

Aiducation is headed by Matthias Meier a business consultant in Switzerland who founded it in 2007.

The scholarship-raising countries currently are Switzerland, Germany, United Kingdom and the United States.

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