

ABOUT US

For girls and women living in poverty, education is not only the key to a brighter future—it is also a key to survival.

For more than 50 years, World Education has helped girls and women harness their talents and potential in 26 countries around the world, including the United States. Our programs use education to address literacy, health, economic, agricultural, and civic development.

Study after study has shown that investing in girls' and women's education is one of the most effective ways to ensure long-term, meaningful global development.

“How have we changed? We have more **control over our lives** and more **respect for ourselves.**”

— KANCHI LASEM, Nepal

KANCHI LASEM, center, 50, a member of World Education's Women's Economic Empowerment and Literacy Program, Nepal



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“World Education is **smart, principled, and focused on results.**”

— CHARLES ELLIS, World Education board member, Girls' & Women's Education Initiative Leadership Donor Group

OUR SUCCESSES

Women's Economic Empowerment and Literacy

More than 16,000 women in Nepal learned to read, write, and perform basic math allowing them to manage 500 credit and savings programs that on average increased assets by 240% over three years.

Combating Trafficking, Exploitation, and Worst Forms of Child Labor through Education

More than 65,000 girls have acquired basic and practical vocational skills that reduce their vulnerability to trafficking and exploitation in “learn by doing” programs rooted in strong community support.

Helping Women Go to College

Women in the United States make up the majority of low-income adults who attend adult literacy programs. Many of these programs prepare adults to enter and succeed in college through transition projects that equip them with the academic, math, and financial strategies they need to succeed. Nearly 80% of program graduates have gone on to college.

“I want to make an **investment in the future, not just temporary relief for immediate needs.**”

— JANET JACOBS, Girls' & Women's Education Initiative Leadership Donor Group



JANET JACOBS, an educator and mother, is a champion for girls' and women's education.

OUR VISION

Using education as a primary strategy, we aim to unleash girls' and women's deep instinct, drive, and potential through groundbreaking programs that build the skills, talents, and confidence of people at the community level.

“We are opening the eyes of our husbands and children... they will **finally see women for who we are.**”

— AMINATA MANÉ, Senegal

AMINATA MANÉ, in partnership with World Education, launched Senegal's first women-led radio station to promote peace and prosperity.



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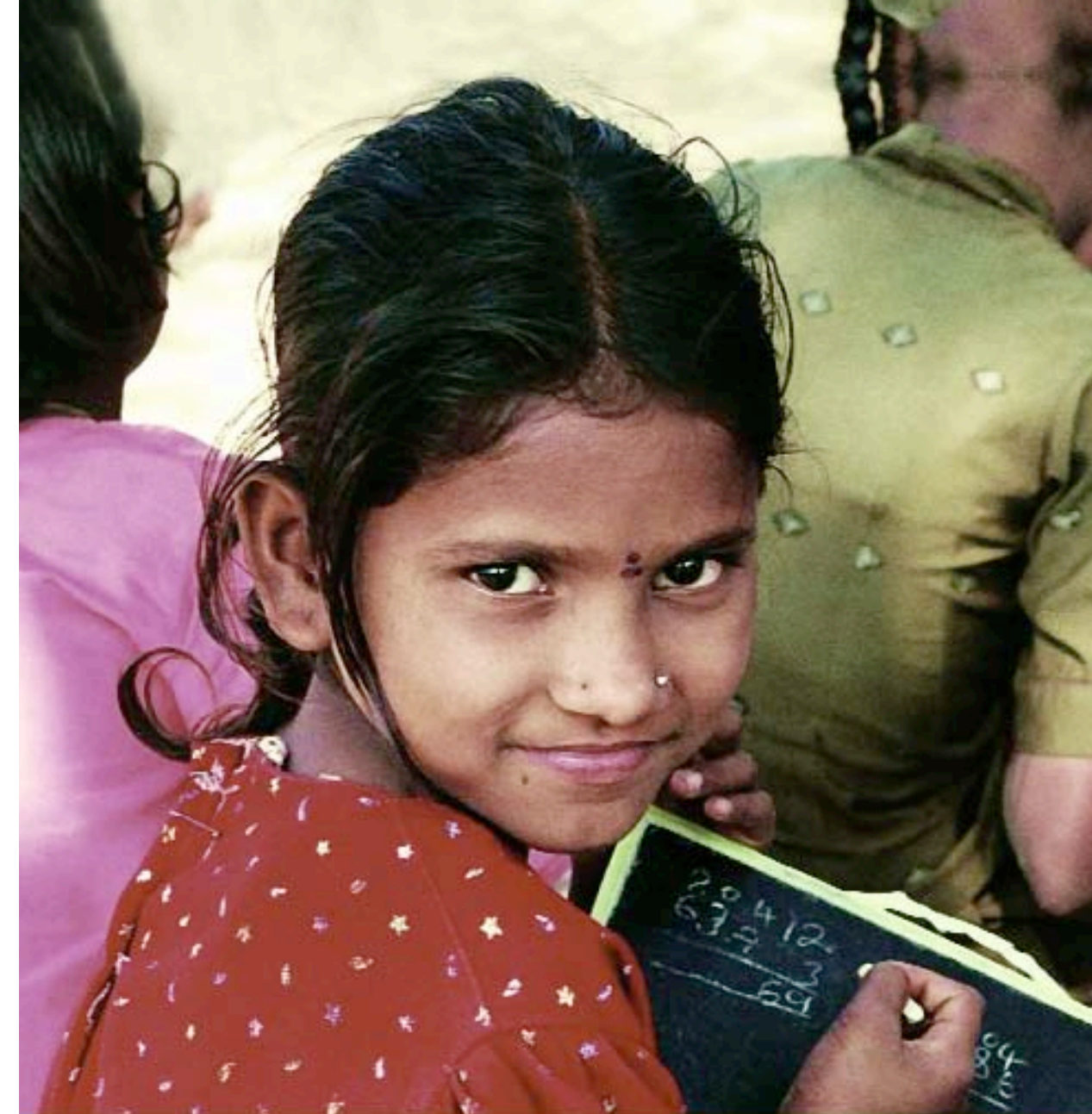
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