

# School Aid



Happy Christmas from the children of Koeberg Primary School who made this wonderful Christmas tree in their library!

2016 has been an outstanding year for School Aid with great achievements for our African partner schools and libraries as well as in the UK operation.

We have sent **9 shipments** with **184,860 books** to **127,014 students** in **168 schools** across South Africa, Tanzania, Malawi and Lesotho.

We would like to take a moment to thank you for your continued and amazing support which has helped empower young African learners, widen horizons and allow dreams to grow.

Our work in Africa would not happen without the commitment and hard work from all the team in the UK; the warehouse staff, trustees and most importantly volunteers.

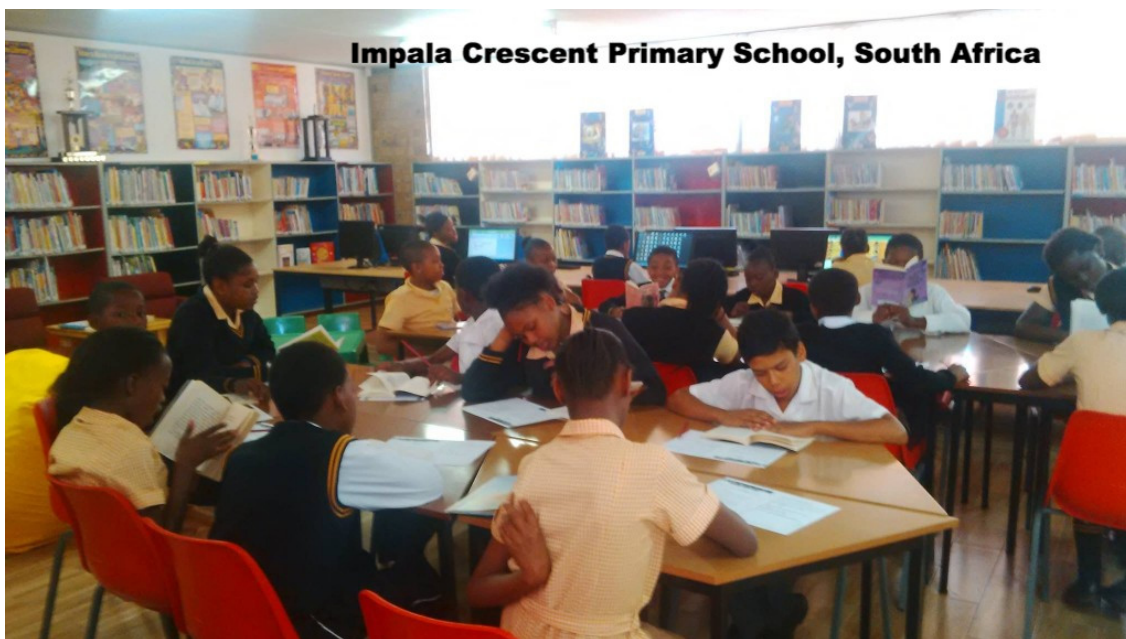
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2017 is set to be a busy year again with the launch of our Reading Clubs in Lesotho, eight shipments scheduled and plenty of fundraising activities.

"I enjoy reading fiction books, it has helped me with my English and complete my projects. I would like to be a teacher when I leave school."

Chloe Leo, Heatherdale School, South Africa



"My vocabulary has increased, I now want to be a bank manager."

Mussa Shaibu, Kafulafala Primary, Malawi

The words of these children sum up their aspirations. We hope you agree they bring a hopeful Christmas message for us all.

Merry Christmas and thank you from

Joy Baker, President of School Aid  
and all the School Aid team

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