



RUKIA

Rukia is 15 years old. She is the first child in a family of two, one girl and one boy.

Rukia is in form two at Butere Girls Secondary School and will complete her high school level in 2026.

Rukia is not just a student, but a beacon of hope. Her academic achievements and unwavering dedication to her studies are a testament to her potential. She dreams of becoming a Physician, a dream that we can help turn into a reality.

Rukia's parents, the sole providers for their children, are facing severe financial hardships. Her mother, a dedicated housewife, and her father, a former office messenger who was unfortunately laid off, are struggling to make ends meet.

Things have become so hard for them. They even sleep on an empty stomach, and she is always sent home to collect school fees.

"When I look at my father struggling, I see myself not progressing with my education since he has no money to send me to school," says Rukia.

"I need your help to continue my education,"Rukia earnestly appeals. Her words echo the struggles of many underprivileged students, who are often forced to abandon their dreams due to financial constraints.

She is a good dancer; her favourite subjects are English and Mathematics.