



Mercy's Blessing

ONLINE WORKSHOP

Dear teachers,

Being aware of the current situation of remote teaching, and the difficulties encountered, the Unity Foundation team wishes to lend its support to teachers and actors in the educational field.

Therefore, we adapted our awareness campaign into a ready-to-use package for remote teaching. It will enrich your lessons with a reflection on the values enabling youth to become protagonists of social change.





Who are we

Unity Foundation (UF) is a NGO that supports educational projects in Asia, Africa and Latin America, with the purpose of empowering local communities to take charge of their own development.

Since 2016, UF has been running an awareness campaign in Luxembourg that seeks to empower youth to become protagonists of positive change in their environment.

The awareness campaign



Since 2016, UF has offered workshops in schools and socio-professional institutions across Luxembourg where some 1,100 youth (secondary students and young professionals) participated.

The workshops are based on the short film "[Mercy's Blessing](#)" by [May Taherzadeh](#).

The participants watch the film followed by workshop questions, which explore principles such as justice, compassion, mutual support and equal opportunity.

The workshops aim to help young people analyze their own environment and reflect on how to apply these principles in their own lives.

The film

Synopsis: In a rural village in the heart of Africa a teenage boy has a dream: to raise his young sister and himself out of poverty. But when a twist of fate shatters his hopes, everything seems lost and he is faced with the ultimate choice.

For more information:

<https://mercysblessing.com/>

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Is there always a choice?



MAYFLOWER CREATIONS in collaboration with FILM ASSOCIATION MALAWI and BAMBINO FOUNDATION present
ALLICK CHAVULA HAZEL ROBERTS FEBBIE MZUNGU LINESS BANDA with MUTISUNGE MZUNGU 'MERCY'S BLESSING' music by SHEMU JOYAH and OVERTON CHIMOMBO
sound designer IVAN MIHOCI editors HEINRICH NÜBLEIN LUIS DECHIAR director of photography SASHA PROCTOR camera assistant LAWAI NUJESSLEIN
assistant producer EMILY BAILEY executive producers MARTIJN KERSTEN and MAY TAHERZADEH written and directed by MAY TAHERZADEH



Mercy's Blessing at home

We have adapted the format,
and made it possible for
students to watch the movie and
explore the related concepts.



READY TO USE

a complete online
package (movie +
workshop activities)



EASY TO USE

accessible for everyone
from home through
online link and google
form



MEANINGFUL

explores principles like
justice, compassion,
mutual support, equal
opportunity



CREATIVE

helps students to
internalize the
concepts through
artistic means

The online workshop



STEP 1

Viewing the 30 min. film (alone or with family members) via a link provided to the students



STEP 2

Answering questions on themes such as choices in life, privilege and sacrifice via a google form that they fill out and submit



STEP 3

Undertaking a creative activity of their choice based on one of the themes

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