



Our dream

It is our dream to bring together disparate communities by empowering them and breaking down boundaries through the power of technology & communications.

We want to thank you for standing beside us for almost three years now. You are a wonderful dream-maker! Empowered by your compassion and commitment, we look forward to bringing dreams closer in Afghanistan next year.

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Joining Together to Save Little Dreams

Our deepest gratitude to all our generous donors....dreamfly has an annual fundraising goal of \$52,000 which helps keep our schools and the Design Center open through our fiscal year. We are happy to report that we have raised \$49,993.54 to date through the generous donations of all our supporters.

Your donations do more than help us run our schools—they change the lives of the women and children who benefit from them. Suffering for years in an abusive marriage, one Afghan woman left her husband after participating in classes held at our Design Center promoting that she too has rights. Her family has rallied around her to help resolve the conflict, encouraging her to return to the marriage only if her husband promises to treat her with respect. With her family's support, the Center has offered her a job as a teacher if she decides to remain in Jalalabad. This is but one example of the powerful and transformative work you are helping to support.

We work with critical partners like Rubia to manage our schools. If you would like to help us reach our goal, please visit Rubia's site to make a donation at <http://www.rubiahandwork.org>

Announcing our new website!

We are proud to announce that our website, www.thedreamfly.org, recently underwent a major round of improvements. Not only did we update the look and feel, but we've added new sections, including Press and Newsletter areas where you'll be able to download our past issues. Please take a look and let us know your thoughts by emailing us at info@thedreamfly.org.

Very special thanks to Varun Bhartia and Jay Nargundkar for their hard work in updating our site. We couldn't have done it without you guys!

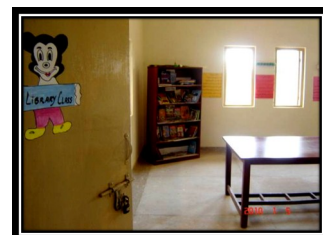
The dreamfly campus in Pakistan is encouraging a love of reading through a generous donation to their library



At our TCF Primary School - Dreamfly Campus in Pakistan, the library provides students an opportunity to explore their love of reading and increase their language skills. Each grade has a weekly library class where they are encouraged to utilize the numerous books at their disposal. In the weekly library classes, teachers often engage the students in storytelling; by reading half the story, they motivate the students to pick up where the teacher has left off and encourage them to look up challenging words and phrases in the dictionary. It is evident that for most students this is their favorite class of the week as they get to explore subjects that have personal interest to them.

From a learning perspective, the library is perhaps the most critical component of this school; it has encouraged the Dreamfly Campus students to develop their intellectual curiosity and has laid the foundation for meaningful future intellectual development. Through the power of books, students get to practice their English language skills, learn moral values and develop their view of the world.

Our library was made possible in part through a generous donation from Harvard Professor Gilmartin which furnished the school with much needed dictionaries and art books. We will have an interview with Professor Gilmartin in a future edition of the newsletter, so stay tuned!



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