



# STUDENTS' KITTY PROPOSAL

*Empowering students through  
compassionate financial aid*

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# About Us

The Association of Muslims in Universities and Colleges in Kenya (AMUCK) is a student-based, non-political organisation dedicated to representing and supporting Muslim students in institutions of higher learning across Kenya. Established to address the unique needs and challenges faced by Muslim students, AMUCK strives to be a unifying voice, fostering a sense of community and belonging. The organisation is committed to promoting the Islamic faith, advocating for the welfare of its members, and nurturing an integrated, contributing Muslim student community that embodies the principles of unity and excellence.

With a membership of over 30 universities and colleges, AMUCK unites Muslim students across Kenya, spanning regions from the Coast to Eastern, North Eastern, Rift Valley, Western, Nyanza, Central, and Nairobi. This reach reflects our commitment to fostering a nationwide sense of community and representation.

By empowering students with resources, guidance, and a sense of shared purpose, AMUCK remains steadfast in its mission to cultivate a dynamic and impactful Muslim student community that contributes meaningfully to society.

# About the AMUCK Students' Kitty

The AMUCK Students' Kitty is a transformative initiative established to provide financial assistance to university students facing economic hardships. This program reflects the values of compassion, unity, and shared responsibility within the AMUCK community. It also serves as a practical solution to alleviate financial challenges that hinder students from achieving their academic and personal goals.

In our recent findings, AMUCK identified an alarming increase in the number of students struggling to meet their basic needs. These struggles jeopardize not only their academic performance but also their mental and emotional well-being.

We invite you, as a potential sponsor, to join hands with us in addressing this pressing issue. Your contribution will directly impact the lives of vulnerable students and enhance their ability to thrive academically and socially.

# Findings on the students' financial needs situation

## Widespread financial hardships

A survey conducted by AMUCK revealed that over 60% of students reported difficulty paying tuition fees, with some at risk of deferring their studies.

## Basic needs crisis

Approximately 45% of students indicated they often lack access to essential resources such as food, textbooks, and adequate accommodation—all critical for their well-being and academic success.

## Increased dropout risk

Financial challenges were cited as the leading cause of dropout cases among university students, with many unable to sustain their studies due to mounting economic pressures.

## Mental health implications

Our findings show a strong correlation between financial insecurity and mental health issues such as anxiety and depression, which further hinder students' ability to focus on their education.

## Limited access to support

Despite the existence of bursaries and financial aid programs, many students remain underserved due to high demand and insufficient funding. The AMUCK Students' Kitty seeks to bridge this gap and reach those who fall through the cracks of other support systems.

# Objectives of the AMUCK Students' Kitty

## To alleviate financial barriers

By addressing tuition fees, accommodation costs, and other essential needs, the kitty ensures students can pursue their studies uninterrupted.

## To foster academic success

Financial stability allows students to focus on their studies, improving their academic performance and helping them realize their potential.

## To create a supportive and inclusive community

The kitty fosters a sense of unity and mutual support among students, ensuring no one feels abandoned during times of crisis.

## To promote ethical and charitable values

Through this initiative, students learn the importance of empathy, collective responsibility, and giving back to the community.

# Why support the AMUCK Students' Kitty?

## Immediate relief for students in need

Your contributions will provide emergency financial support to students, helping them access tuition, meals, and other basic necessities during times of crisis.

## Improved academic performance and retention

Financial stability contributes to better academic outcomes. Your sponsorship will enable students to focus entirely on their studies without the stress of financial insecurity, reducing dropout rates and promoting academic excellence.

## Enhanced well-being and mental health

By easing financial pressure, students are better equipped to manage their mental health and participate fully in university life, fostering a healthier and more productive student body.

## Recognition and visibility

As a sponsor, your organization will be publicly recognized for its contributions. We will highlight your support during AMUCK events, on our social media platforms, and in newsletters, showcasing your commitment to empowering the next generation.

## Support knowledge through sadaqah jariyah

The knowledge these students acquire will positively impact generations, ensuring your contribution becomes a lasting source of blessings for you, both in this world and in the Hereafter.

# Sponsorship Funds

All funds contributed to the AMUCK Students' Kitty are managed with transparency and accountability to ensure maximum impact. Below is an outline of the proposed allocation:

- **Direct financial aid**

The funds will go directly to students in need, covering tuition fees, accommodation, food, and learning materials.

- **Emergency relief fund**

A portion of the funds will be set aside for emergencies, ensuring we can respond swiftly to unforeseen crises faced by students.

- **Administrative and outreach costs**

A small percentage of funds will support the administration of the kitty, including outreach efforts to identify students in need and ensure equitable distribution of funds.

## The impact of your support

By partnering with the AMUCK Students' Kitty, you are not just offering financial assistance—you are empowering dreams and building a brighter future. Your sponsorship will:

- **Change the lives of students, enabling them to complete their education and pursue their aspirations.**
- **Strengthen the AMUCK community, creating a legacy of care and mutual support.**
- **Showcase your organisation as a champion of education, youth empowerment and social impact.**



# Students' Information

## Nairobi Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Abdiwahid Sheikh Osman	Mount Kenya University (Thika Main Campus)	Pharmacy	4	70,920
Hamza Billow Osman	Mount Kenya University (Thika Main Campus)	Computer Science	1	33,500
Mahmud Ibrahim Abdullah	International University of Kenya	Education	2	171,000
Sultan Hussein Bule	International University of Kenya	Education	1	171,000
Athar Rahoy Abdi	International University of Kenya	Education	1	171,000
Amina Chizi Matandi	University of Nairobi (Kikuyu Campus)	Education	2	98,000
Qadra Edin Diba	University of Nairobi (Kikuyu Campus)	Education	1	20,000
Fatuma Ibrahim Kormayu	Kenyatta University	Education	1	40,000
Zubeda Yahya	Catholic University of East Africa	Political Science	3	17,205
Abdi Hassan Hussein	Catholic University of East Africa	Veterinary Medicine	1	52,000

<b>NAME</b>	<b>INSTITUTION</b>	<b>COURSE</b>	<b>YEAR OF STUDY</b>	<b>AMOUNT (KES)</b>
Sahara Bonaya Qampicha	Kenyatta University	Education	1	40,000
Ali Issack Ibrahim	University of Nairobi (KNH Campus)	Medicine & Surgery	6	1,614,500
Iqra Abdikarim Hussein	University of Nairobi (KNH Campus)	Dental surgery	1	288,000
Ismael Kimeu	Cooperative University	Human Resource	1	91,800
Ibrahim Maalim Edin	Catholic University of East Africa	Nursing	2	14,000

## Rift Valley Region

<b>NAME</b>	<b>INSTITUTION</b>	<b>COURSE</b>	<b>YEAR OF STUDY</b>	<b>AMOUNT (KES)</b>
Said Lukman Abdulrahman	University of Eldoret	Civil Engineering	2	82,740
Khamis Mwingi Furaha	Laikipia University (Main Campus)	Communication and Media	2	65,700
Aus Kassim Mwazinga	Laikipia University (Main Campus)	Applied Technology	2	76,071
Omar Joram	Laikipia University (Main Campus)	Applied Technology	2	82,920

## Coastal Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Saida Kaschana	Taita Taveta National Polytechnic	Business Management	1	32,969
Masud Hamad Malachu	Taita Taveta National Polytechnic	Electrical Engineering	1	14,720

## Eastern Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Abdia Ahmed Agey	Kenya Methodist University	Nursing	2	88,000
Nasteha Weli Aliow	South Eastern Kenya University	Health Records	2	56,000
Rama Ibrahim	South Eastern Kenya University	Education	2	29,000

## Nyanza Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Otaha Charles	Maseno University	Medical Biotechnology	2	13,550
Swadiq Murondo	Maseno University	Information Technology	2	24,700

## Western Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Hussein Guyo Jarso	Masinde Muliro University	Civil Engineering	2	32,050
Hamisi Weyula Khamda	Masinde Muliro University	Commerce	2	15,000
Alali Sharrif	Masinde Muliro University	Commerce	4	12,100

## Central Region

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT (KES)
Salwa Hussein Abdi	Karatina University (Main Campus)	Sociology	4	61,200
Fatuma Boru Rarate	Karatina University (Main Campus)	Education	2	75,968
Safia Kushun Mamo	Karatina University (Main Campus)	Community Development	1	50,400
Mubaraka Baya Charo	Kirinyaga university	Education	1	24,480
Feisal Mohamed Jelle	Murang'a University of Technology	Education	2	122,400

NAME	INSTITUTION	COURSE	YEAR OF STUDY	AMOUNT
Ladhan Ali Abdullahi	Murang'a University of Technology	Education	2	118,640
Nasibo Salesa Jilo	Murang'a University of Technology	Education	1	122,400

<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>KES 4,093,933</b>
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# Account Information



<b>ACCOUNT NAME</b>
Association of Muslims in Universities and Colleges in Kenya
<b>ACCOUNT NUMBER</b>
0870006701



<b>PAYBILL NUMBER</b>
4123109
<b>ACCOUNT NAME</b>
Fees

# Conclusion

The AMUCK Students' Kitty is a transformative initiative that addresses the critical financial challenges faced by university students. Many struggle to afford tuition, learning materials, and basic necessities, often leading to stress, academic setbacks, or even dropping out. Our findings highlight the urgency of providing a structured and sustainable solution to support these students, ensuring they can focus on their education and future.

Supporting this program goes beyond offering financial aid—it is an investment in the potential of our youth and the future of our society. By empowering students to overcome financial barriers, the AMUCK Students' Kitty will help create a generation of educated, capable individuals who can positively contribute to their communities. This initiative reinforces the values of solidarity and shared responsibility, fostering a culture where students uplift one another.

We implore you to join us in making this vision a reality. Your support will not only change the lives of individual students but also create a ripple effect of positive impact across families, communities, and the nation. Together, we can ensure that financial challenges do not hinder the aspirations of our youth, securing a brighter and more equitable future for all.



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