

# STELLA'S GIRLS, INC



*Stella's Girls*

EDUCATE. EMPOWER. LEAD.

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## #ITS OUR ANNIVERSARY & WE ARE PRESSING FOR CHANGE



Stella's Girls, Inc has completed a full year of serving Okinawa, Japan; Liberia, West Africa; and Maryland, US. Our Founder, Kaprece James is extremely excited about the success of programs that have been picking up in the three service areas with empowering young girls and women. Stella's Girls in the last year has accomplished many goals.

We brought on a Program Manager for our Stella's Girls Club at the AmerAsian School in Okinawa. We recruited a full-time Program Manager for our sites in Liberia, and we supported girls in school in Liberia. None of this could be possible without the support of our donors, volunteers, partners, and supporters of our programs.

## WHAT'S IN STORE THIS YEAR

This year we are focusing our efforts on STEAM, leadership development, mentorship for military spouses, economic stability, advocacy training, and enhancing workforce development of our participants and volunteers. Providing opportunities to low-income and homeless students and women is also a priority high on our list.

## WAYS TO PARTNER WITH US

We are always looking for partners to join us in empowering and educating youth to become their best self. To join us you can do any of the following:

1. Become a Mentor
2. Support A Cause
3. Sponsor a Liberian Girl for School
4. Spread Awareness of our Work
5. Donate



## EMPOWERING AMERASIAN GIRLS TO LOVE THY SELF

Stella's Girls Club at the AmerAsia School has been in full swing for to years. Each month our volunteers spend a few hours empowering these girls to embrace their two cultures as being American and Okinawan no matter how society treats you. We remind them that the most powerful weapon they have is being bilingual and having a diverse education.



## LEAD: UNITE AGAINST VIOLENCE

With the rise of gang activity and bullying in the Frederick County School system, Stella's Girls Maryland launched a Unite Against Violence Day to bring awareness to parents and youth on the resources that are available to combat violence and bullying within the community.

Stella's Girls Maryland Chapter also launched its Mentorship Program to focus on the personal and educational development of young girls ages 11-18 in Frederick, Maryland as there is a few activities that are available for youth. To become a mentor, please email [stellasgirlsmd@gmail.com](mailto:stellasgirlsmd@gmail.com)

## EDUCATE: MISSION200: BACK2SCHOOL

Stella's Girls Liberia is on a mission to putting 200 girls back into school by 2020. The literacy rate for young women ages 15-35 years is 40% and we are pledging to help increase that rate by 20% by 2030 by providing girls with an opportunity to go school. Thanks to our donors and supporters we were able to provide 35 filled backpacks in our 1st Quarter to girls at the Mt Barclay Children's Rescue Mission. If you are interested in supporting, donations can be made on our website.

