

# wunders

Keeping girls in school



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**One of the most vulnerable times in a girl's life is when she begins to menstruate.**



**Shame, embarrassment, and lack of access to education, proper sanitation, and period supplies marginalize girls and women.** If girls don't have supplies, they miss school, and often drop out.

These challenges reverberate into ongoing poverty and lack of access to educational opportunities, which are directly linked to human trafficking vulnerability, child marriage, and lifelong lack of adequate livelihood.



**500 MILLION+ GIRLS AND WOMEN**  
do not have access to menstrual supplies.<sup>1</sup>



**AN ESTIMATED 2.6 MILLION SCHOOL-AGED GIRLS**  
do not have access to sanitary pads.<sup>2</sup>



**65% OF GIRLS AND WOMEN IN KENYA**  
are unable to afford menstrual pads.<sup>3</sup>



**1 IN 5 GIRLS IN INDIA DROP OUT OF SCHOOL**  
after they get their periods.<sup>4</sup>

1: World Bank, Menstrual Hygiene Management | 2: UNESDOC, Puberty education & menstrual hygiene management  
3: Menstrual Health in Kenya, Country Landscape Analysis, FSG Report | 4: GlobalCitizen, Period Poverty, Stigma Are Keeping Girls Out of School



**We envision a world where every girl and woman has the confidence to thrive.**

**We equip girls and women** with locally made sustainable menstrual supplies and community-informed education **so that they can thrive.**

# Our theory of change:

By creating and distributing menstrual health supplies and culturally appropriate training through locally-led teams **we will keep more girls in school and equip the next generation of women leaders.**



## sustainable solutions

Wunders works through our partnership network to employ women in sewing centers, equip girls and young women, and prevent vulnerabilities associated with human trafficking by helping girls stay in school.



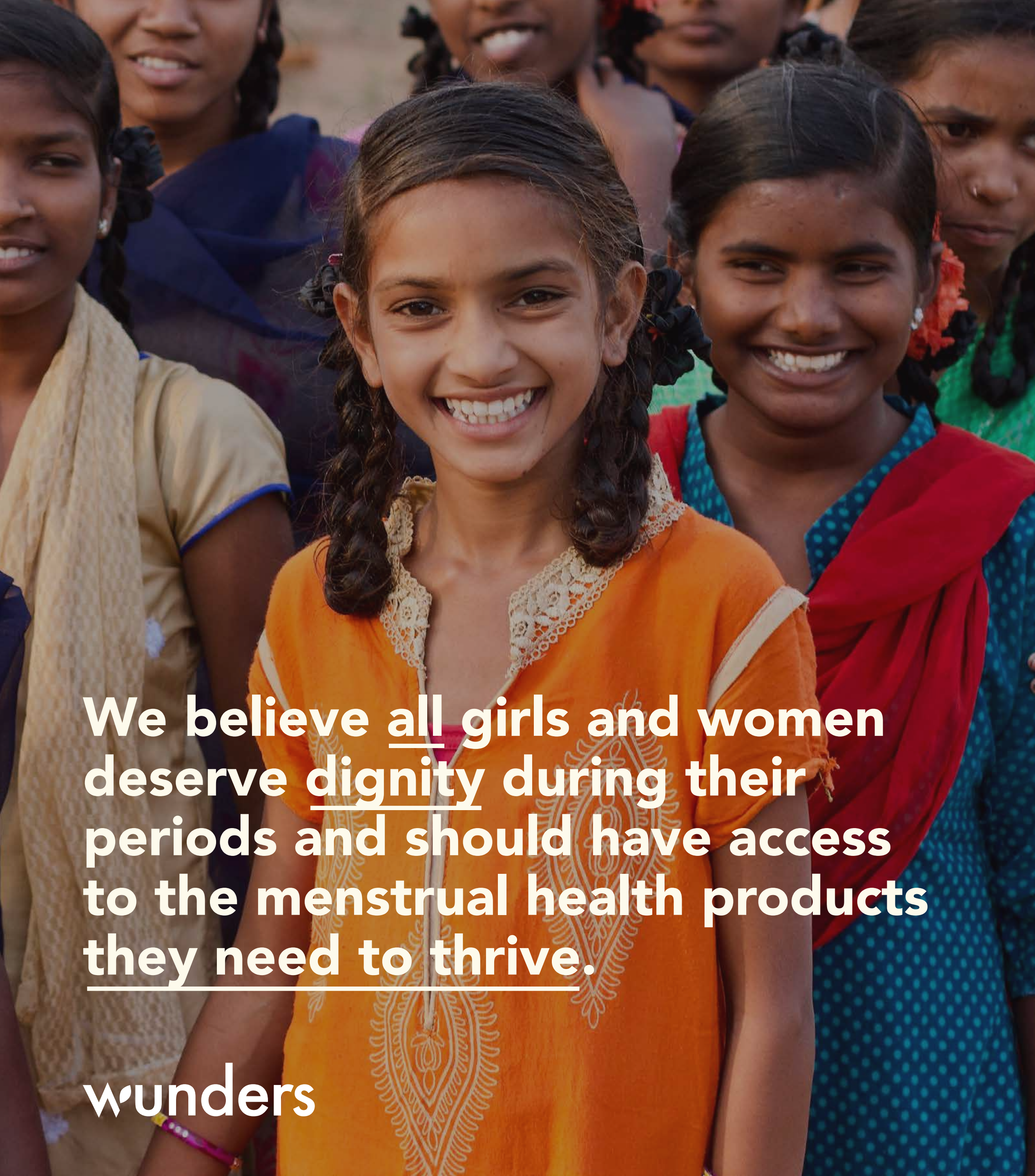
## community informed

Wunders develops reusable menstrual health supplies. We distribute kits to school girls and local women, and help to build a sustainable business selling kits and other goods locally. The fabric, kit designs, and curriculum are designed with local leaders to be culturally appropriate.



## curriculum & training

Our curriculum emphasizes that we are each valued and all wonderfully created in the image of God. It covers vital menstrual health education, anti-human trafficking safety information, and how to care for their Wunders kit. Each training is customized for the local context.



We believe all girls and women deserve dignity during their periods and should have access to the menstrual health products they need to thrive.

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## We have a bold vision for Wunders.

YEAR  
1-3

- **Continue to strengthen** Wunders Kenya
- Launch Wunders' **second location** in Africa and/or Asia
- **Build a "train the trainer"** system for the Wunders curriculum
- **Solidify a distribution network** to ensure access to kits for more girls

YEAR  
4-6

- **Expand Wunders** into four or more locations
- **Train 5+ trainers** per location
- **Establish bulk order** sales through distribution network & NGOs
- **Scale production to 8,000+** kits being made and distributed a year

YEAR  
7-9

- **Strengthen Wunders** locations with training, resources & coaching
- **Scale production to 15,000+** kits being made and distributed a year

YEAR  
10

- **10 Wunders locations established** (a mix of sewing centers and distribution sites) producing much needed kits & livelihood opportunities
- **100 artisans and trainers** supported within the Wunders' network
- **Scale production 30,000 kits** made and distributed a year

# Invest in girls' futures

Year 1: 2022



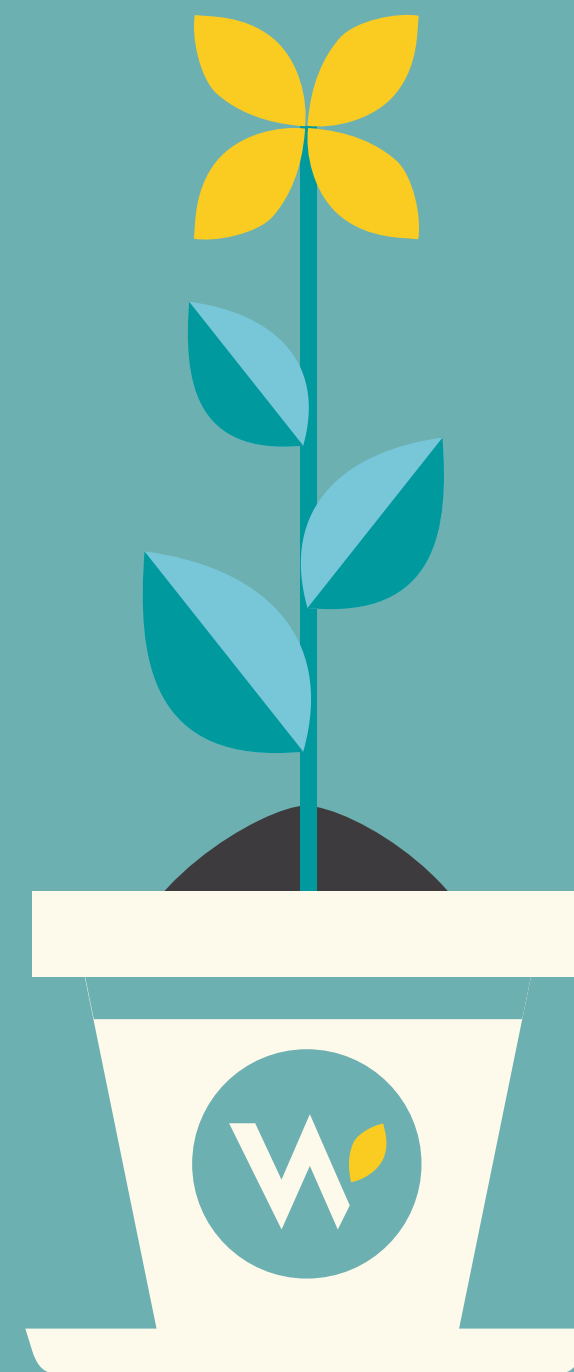
**700+** Total kits made  
**7** Sewers and trainers  
**1** Location

Year 5: 2027



**8,000+** Total kits made  
**50** Sewers and trainers  
**4** locations

Year 10: 2032



**30,000+** Total kits made  
**100** Sewers and trainers  
**10** locations



**\$35**

Cost of training and kit that will last a girl at least 3 years (and education that will last a lifetime)



**\$2,000**

Average cost to outfit an entire school in Kenya.



**\$40,000**

Estimated cost of starting Wunders' second location

**Total needed for 2023: \$185,000**

Wunders has big plans for creating positive ripple effects in communities around the world, **will you join us?**

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