

Who We Are:

Our Mission is simple: to end the book famine in Africa.

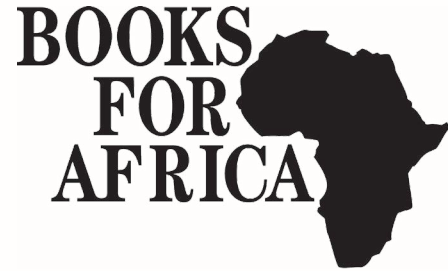
Books For Africa is the largest shipper of donated books to the African continent in the world. We have shipped more than 29 million books to 49 African countries since we were founded in 1988.

As a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization based in St. Paul, MN, Books For Africa has received the highest ratings from Charity Navigator and the Minnesota Charities Review Council for our efforts in ending the African book famine.

What We Do:

BFA collects, sorts, ships and distributes books to communities all over Africa in 40-foot sea containers of about 22,000 books. Recipient organizations distribute the books to the schools and community libraries that need them most across the continent.

We receive high-quality book donations from individuals, schools, libraries, and publishers. Volunteers sort these books for quality & content, then organize them by subject and reading level so all of the books at our expansive warehouse in Smyrna, GA, are ready to be sent to schools and libraries in Africa!



Why Books?

At Books For Africa, we believe that education is the great equalizer of the world, and that useful books are the foundation of a strong educational system. Useful textbooks improve school performance because they give teachers the tools they need to empower young learners and to instill a culture of literacy that will lead to a more peaceful tomorrow.

How You Can Help:

{ *Make a donation* }

It costs about 50 cents to send a book to a child in Africa. Books For Africa relies on donations to further our mission of ending the book famine in Africa.

{ *Donate books* }

We accept books that are in great condition and that are less than 15 years old at our warehouses in Minnesota and Georgia.

{ *Send a container* }

Are you affiliated with an organization in Africa that needs books? You can start a project to send them a full sea-container of 22,000 books through Books For Africa.



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