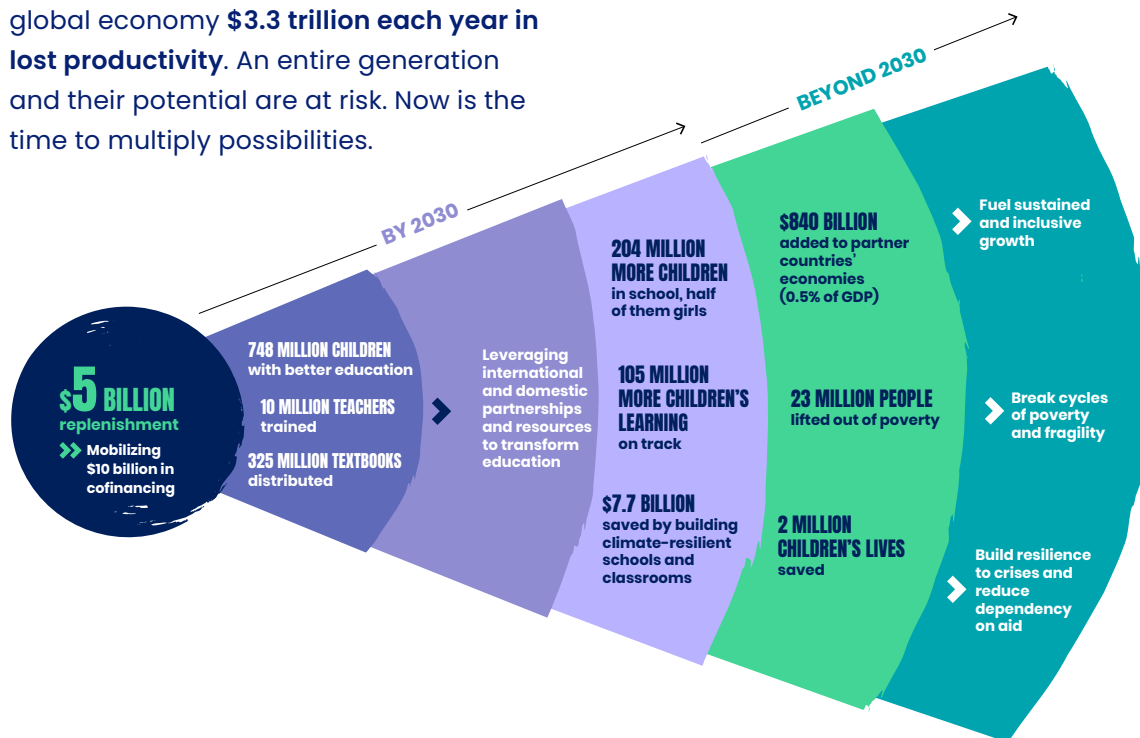


Together with Italy and Nigeria, the Global Partnership for Education (GPE) is launching a US\$5 billion education financing campaign to unlock an additional \$10 billion in cofinancing and turn the tide on the global learning crisis. A fully funded GPE will transform education systems and multiply possibility for 750 million children in 96 countries.

## THE COST OF INACTION

Education drives progress across all development goals including economic growth, jobs and skills, peace and stability, resilience, health and equality. But today, more than **270 million children are out of school** and conflict, instability, climate shocks and hunger disrupt learning for millions more. The learning crisis costs the global economy **\$3.3 trillion each year in lost productivity**. An entire generation and their potential are at risk. Now is the time to multiply possibilities.

The largest generation of children and youth in human history is coming of age, with most living in low- and lower-middle-income countries, especially in sub-Saharan Africa. Investing in GPE is a chance to spark the shift to sustainable financing that's needed to deliver quality education and a better future for all.



## GPE'S FUTURE-READY MODEL

As the only partnership and largest fund dedicated entirely to education, GPE is built to respond to today's education challenges. GPE's model brings together governments, civil society, multilateral organizations, teachers, the private sector and philanthropy as well as financing behind country-led reforms to transform education systems at the pace and scale the world's children need.

With **\$5 billion**, GPE will unlock **\$10 billion in cofinancing** from development banks, the private sector and philanthropic partners to generate a total of \$15 billion to improve education for almost 750 million children in partner countries.

## FINANCING EDUCATION EXCEPTIONAL RETURNS

By leveraging domestic financing and cofinancing, every \$1 invested through GPE will result in more than \$33 in increased lifetime earnings for children in partner countries. Over five decades, this could add as much as **\$840 billion** to partner countries' GDP, lift 23 million people out of poverty and save 2 million children's lives.

## Key Results 2021–2025

### QUALITY



**372 MILLION**

children supported with better education

**4.7 MILLION** teachers trained

**272 MILLION** textbooks distributed

### ACCESS



**10 MILLION**

more children enrolled in school, half of them girls

### LEARNING



**85%**

of GPE grants that measured learning reported improvement

### EQUITY AND INCLUSION



**51%** of children supported by GPE implementation grants are girls

**70%** of children reached are in countries affected by conflict and fragility

### FINANCING



**\$4.7 BILLION** innovative financing raised at a ratio of 1:4, from more than 70 partners

**60%** of partner countries maintained their education budget at or above 20% of total spending, or increased it

### RESILIENCE



**\$2.5 BILLION**

in potential damages saved for partner countries through climate-resilient schools

Source: GPE Methodological Note on Key Results (2025).

**Multiply possibility. Fund education. Fund GPE.**