



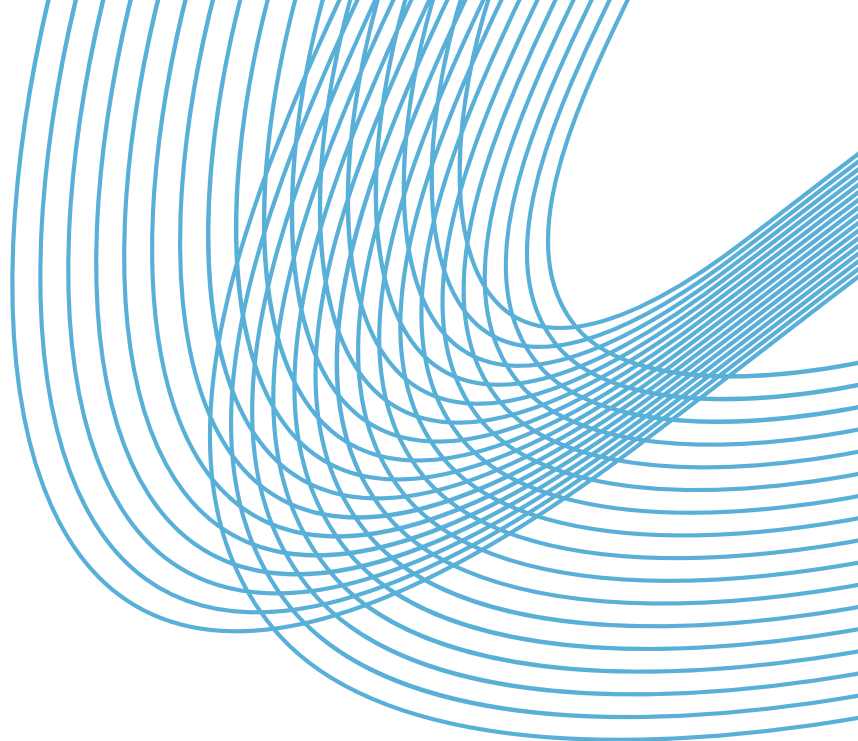
Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund



Annual Report

2025

*...Supporting educational achievement for the children of Berekuso
towards a brighter future for the community...*



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A Message from the Board Chair

The mission of the Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund is to support the educational achievement of children from Berekuso and South Akwapim, toward a brighter future for the community. When I was reviewing the Beneficiary Profiles and Photo Gallery in this report, which share updates on past beneficiaries and photos from our 2025 scholarship awards ceremony, school visits, and teacher training programs, I see progress toward the mission in the cumulative impact of nearly 10 years of service to the community. It is a gratifying feeling and a testament to you—our donors, board members, and partners. Thank you!

For me, a highlight of 2025 was the weeklong early childhood literacy training program for KG teachers from 17 area schools held at Ashesi University in May. The trainers provided by Ghana Education Service Early Childhood Education Unit were knowledgeable and enthusiastic, and teachers left with many hands-on literacy activities and engaging ideas for teaching phonics to take back to their classrooms.

The Akwapim South District supported the effort with follow-up visits to observe teachers in action implementing what they had learned. We know that foundational literacy and numeracy skills are weak among pupils in our schools, and I am optimistic that through continued trainings and partnerships the Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund can make a dent in the problem.

Looking ahead, 2026 is the 10th anniversary of the founding of the Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund. The management team and governing board are working hard to secure the fund's long-term sustainability through fundraising, improve our organizational processes and efficiency, and think creatively about income generating activities. Thank you for your past and continued support! Please read through this report for a full update on our 2025 activities and financials. If you're in a hurry, skip to the Beneficiary Profiles and Photo Gallery. I guarantee it will give you a gratifying feeling!

Warm regards,

Dr Rebecca Awuah



Dr. Rebecca Awuah

Board Chair

About the Fund



The Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund is a not-for-profit organization licensed by the Registrar General as a Company Limited by Guarantee. The fund was established in 2016 by Nana Oteng Korankye II, Chief of Berekuso and Twafohene of Akwapim, to mobilize resources in support of students, teachers and schools within Berekuso and the surrounding communities of South Akwapim.

Since its inception, The Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund has fulfilled this mandate by funding secondary school scholarships, organizing teacher training programs, supporting school refurbishments, and organizing learning enrichment opportunities, such as essay competitions, for pupils.

Our work is guided by core values of **commitment and hard work, impartiality, accountability and transparency, and innovation through action.**

Our Mission

To support the educational achievement of children from Berekuso and South Akwapim, towards brighter future for the community.

Vision

Berekuso and South Akwapim are a centre of excellence for education and purposeful development

Objectives

- 1. Scholarships:** Defray the cost of secondary education for the most promising pupils from Berekuso and South Akwapim. We do this by providing secondary school scholarships to top BECE performers from 14 basic schools in the traditional area.
- 2. Teacher Training:** Organize training programs for local teachers to improve their teaching and learning competencies. We do this by partnering with Ashesi University, Ghana Education Service, and educational non-profits to provide tailored programs to meet local needs.
- 3. Support to Schools:** Offer enrichment programs to stimulate childrens' curiosity and love of learning and support small-scale refurbishments. We do this by organizing programs such as essay competitions, providing updated teaching and learning materials, and supporting small-scale refurbishments.

Our Governing Board



The Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund is governed by a thirteen-member Board.

The Board exists to:

- Set the mission, vision, and strategic direction of the Fund.
- Raise the needed funds to achieve the mission and vision of the Fund.
- Act as the Fiduciary Responsible Agent of the Fund.
- Set policies, review and approve proposals, and evaluate the Fund's impact.



Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II
Founder
Chief of Berekuso &
Twafohene of Akuapem



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Senior Lecturer,
Ashesi University



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Committee
Former Senior Deputy
Registrar and Head, Test
Administration Division,
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Board Member
Senior Finance Officer,
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Chair, Communications
Committee
CEO, Kess World Group



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Chair, Governance Committee
Head, Legal & Marketing,
Institute of Chartered
Accountants



Nana Addo Oto Afari
Board Member
CEO, Marvin-Marvin
Enterprise, Kumasi



Mr. Patrick Akanyedi
Board Member
Key Accounts Manager,
Kasapreko PLC

Scholarship Program Update

In 2025, 10 new secondary scholarships were awarded to Form 3 pupils who performed well on the BECE exam. This brought the number of students under the scholarship program to 42. Since its inception, the Fund has provided secondary school scholarships to a total of 127 pupils from 14 basic schools in Berekuso and surrounding communities.

Below are some key highlights of the scholarships awarded during 2025:

1. The best BECE aggregate score was 20.
2. The average score among 514 pupils from the 14 schools who took the BECE exam in 2025 was aggregate 41. This poor performance is similar to 2024 and reflects a trend of school overcrowding, severe resource constraints within schools, teaching and learning failures, poverty, among others.
3. Secondary school scholarships were awarded to the top ten performing pupils, who came from 6 of the 14 basic schools
4. Four of scholarship recipients were female and six were male.
5. Scholarship to a special needs student pursuing Visual Arts at Mampong School for the Deaf currently in 2nd year of studies.

Below is an overview of 2025 Scholarship Beneficiaries and Their Senior High School Placements:

Basic School	Notable Senior High Schools
Berekuso 'A' M/A JHS	Oti Boateng Senior High Kade Senior High Abomosu Senior High
Fidelity Juvenile College	Agric Nzema Senior High
Nsaky M/A JHS	Achimakrom Senior High kumasi
Theocracy Complex JHS	J .A.Kuffour storm Technical School
Adenkrebi Basic School	Kade Senior High School
Peduase Methodist JHS	Aburi Senior Technical School



Vocational and Technical Training:

The Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund has an ongoing partnership with Design Technology Institute (DTI) to support students from Berekuso to apply for admission and receive scholarships to pursue TVET certification in welding and fabrication. In 2025, the fund covered admission and other fees for two students to attend DTI. To date, the Fund has supported a total of 17 youth to receive TVET training at Design and Technology Institute.

Other Forms of Supports:

Teacher Training Program:

- Organized a 5-day Early Childhood Numeracy Teacher Training Program for teachers from 16 public basic schools in the South Akwapim District. This initiative was developed in response to the persistently low Basic Education Certificate Examination (BECE) performance among pupils in the area in the core subject areas.
- 12 teachers from the Berekuso Basic School were sponsored to attend The Educator's Network (TEN) conference, held at Lincoln Community School in Accra.

Support to Schools:

- Provision of math kits and other items to BECE candidates.
- Renovated the Berekuso JHS Classroom block.

Financial Overview

Since the Fund's establishment in November 2016 to December 2025, a total of GHS 1,376,171.67 (almost GHS 1.4 million) has been spent on scholarship disbursements, support to schools and BECE candidates, vacation classes for scholarship beneficiaries, training programs for teachers, and other activities of the Fund.

The Fund's Board of Trustees ensures that financial statements are prepared and presented fairly according to the International Financial Reporting Standards for SMEs and in the manner required by the Companies Act of Ghana, 2019, (Act 992). The report below gives statements of financial position and financial activity for the years 2025, 2024, and 2023.

Statement of Financial Position as of 31st December of each year

Assets	2025 (Unaudited) GHS	2024 (Audited) GHS	2023 (Audited) GHS
Cash at Bank	243,611.96	62,178.67	85,241.01
Investment:			
91-Day Treasury bill	-	206,177.94	195,167.85
Endowment Fund (182-Day Treasury bill)	450,067.75	351,136.31	224,873.78
Total Investment	450,067.75	557,314.25	420,041.63
Total Assets	693,679.71	619,492.92	505,282.64
Liabilities:			
Total Liabilities	2,081	0.00	0.00
Accumulated Fund	691,598.51	619,492.92	505,282.64

Statement of Activity as of 31st December of each year

	2025 (Unaudited) GHS	2024 (Audited) GHS	2023 (Audited) GHS
Income:			
Contributions Received	192,460.00	370,302.00	255,474.00
Investment Income	118,721.59	131,919.83	93,191.45
Total Income	311,181.59	502,221.83	348,665.45
Expenses:			
Academic Support	0.00	7,856.46	5,406.27
Education Support & Donation to Schools	79,376.00	120,035.00	62,912.50
Scholarship Disbursements	140,245.00	131,200.00	193,579.00
Administrative & Other Expenses	7,258.00	15,535.00	8,361.00
Communication, Stakeholder Engagement & Fundraiser expenses	12,197.00	113,385.00	14,083.00
Total Expenses	239,076.09	388,011.46	284,341.77
Surplus/(Deficit)	72,105.50	114,210.37	64,323.68
Accumulated surplus/(deficit) b/f	619,493.01	505,282.64	440,958.97
Accumulated surplus/deficit c/f	691,598.51	619,493.01	505,282.64

See notes for details

NOTES TO FINANCIAL REPORT (EXPLANATORY NOTES)

1. Contributions Received

This represents all funds and non-cash support received during the year from individuals, institutions, and partners to support the Fund's activities.

- Cash Donations Received at Fundraiser
- Cash Donations Received During the Period
- Donation Received from Twafoman (Ohum Festival)
- Cedi Equivalent of USD Donations
- Pledges Redeemed During the Period
- Cash Donations by Board Members
- In-kind Donations: Non-cash support such as goods or services (e.g., food, accommodation, materials).
- Small or miscellaneous donations received through mobile money platforms.
- Audit costs waived or returned to the Fund as support.

2. Investment Income

Income earned from investments made using the Fund's reserves.

- 91-Day & 182-Day T-Bills: Interest earned from short-term government securities across all quarters.
- FX Gain/(Loss): Changes in value from foreign currency holdings.
- Interest earned on mobile money balances.
- Grand Total Investment Income: Total earnings from all investment sources.

3. Academic and Education Support

Expenses related to direct educational interventions.

3 (A) Academic Support

- Vacation Classes: Extra academic support for scholarship beneficiaries.
- Laptop Donations: Provision of devices to support learning.

3 (B) Educational Support & Donations

Covers support to schools and students, including:

- BECE preparation support
- Field trips and experiential learning
- School infrastructure and materials support
- Teacher training programmes
- Support for vocational and special needs education

4. Scholarship Disbursement Program

Funds used to support students' education.

- Support for general senior high school students across all terms.
- Additional targeted support for students with disabilities.
- Vocational & Technical (DTI): Sponsorship for skills-based training programmes.

5 (A). Administrative and General Expenses

Costs associated with running and managing the organization.

- Includes office operations, banking, regulatory filings, logistics, and administrative support.
- Ensures compliance, accountability, and smooth operations of the Fund

5 (B). Communication and Stakeholder Engagement

Costs related to visibility, engagement, and fundraising.

- Website & Social Media: Online presence and communication.
- Scholarship Presentation: Events and logistics for awarding scholarships.
- Fundraiser Expenses: Costs incurred in organizing fundraising campaigns and events.

6. Cash Balance at Bank

Represents available funds at the end of the financial period.

- Cedi Account: Local currency holdings
- Dollar Account: Foreign currency holdings (converted to Cedi equivalent)
- MTN MOMO Wallet: Mobile money balances

Fundraising Highlights

The Odeefoo Oteng Korankye II Education Fund depends wholly on contributions—financial, in-kind, partnerships, and volunteer time—to achieve its mission to improve educational outcomes for children in and around Berekuso towards a brighter future for the community. Therefore, fundraising is the most important task of all Board members.

The total amount raised in 2025 amounted to **GHS 192,460.00**. The table below highlights our top donors for 2025.

Donor	Amount Donated (GHS)
Ashesi University	75,000.00
Dr. Patrick and Rebecca Awuah	47,663.00
Dufie Hostel	20,000.00
Mr. Felix and Mrs. Joyce Gyekye	20,000.00
Andrea and Yaw Asare-Aboagye	5,000.00
AD. Astute Limited	5,000.00
Theocracy Complex School	5,000.00
Mr. Nicholas Korblah	5,000.00
Nexia Debrah & Co	5,000.00
Mr. Affum Alhassan	2,000.00
Dr. Heather Beem	1,500.00
Presby Church - Comet	1,000.00

Profile of Some Beneficiaries



Rhadaya Danso

2017 Award Recipient
University of Ghana,
Graduated
National Service Intern at
Legon Hospital



Miriam Naa Yeye Appiah

2018 Award Recipient
Ashesi University, Graduated
Bsc Management Information
Systems
National Service Intern at El-Parah
Consult Ltd



Samuel Wilson

2018 Award Recipient
Ashesi University, Graduated
Bsc Business Administration
National Service Intern at
eServices African Limited



Sallah Godwin

2017 Award Recipient
University of Mines and
Technology, Graduated
Bsc Electrical and Electronic
Engineering



James Attah

2018 Award Recipient
University of Cape Coast,
Level 400
Bachelor of Commerce
(Management)



Joshua Agyemang

2018 Award Recipient
Ashesi University, Level 400
Bsc Computer Science



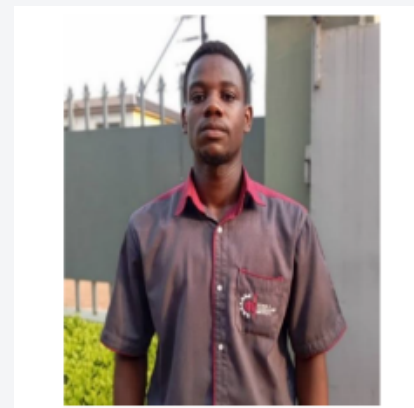
Gbekle Godwin Kofi

2020 Award Recipient
Kwame University of Science
and Technology, Level 300
Geography and Rural
Development



Shadrack Jonathan Agyiri Akuffo

2020 Award Recipient
Ashesi University, Level 100
Bsc Computer Science



David Dogbah

Design and Technology
Institute
Design Innovation
Completed Cert 1 and
continuing with Cert 2

2025 Activity Gallery



Figure 1: A group photo with 2025 scholarship recipients and stakeholders from Ashesi University



Figure 2: 2025 Scholarship Awards Presentation of learning material and stipends to Beneficiaries



Figure 3: 2025 Scholarship Awards Presentation of learning material and stipends to Beneficiaries

2025 5-day Early Childhood Literacy Teacher Training Program



BECE examination kits distributed to students across 14 Schools in Akwapim South.





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