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MY EXPERIENCE WITH THE NASIO TRUST.



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Since I joined the Nasio Trust as an exceptional student, I have been enjoying most of the moments in my young life. The first most enjoyable was getting a scholarship to study at the Kakamega High school located in Kakamega county.

The first week at Kakamega High school was full of loneliness since I didn't know anyone. I only had a best friend whose name is Benedict. Two weeks to half-term, I was told by my classmate that I was being needed at the administration blocks. You know what? I was being called by my sponsor, Mr. Jacek. I then enjoyed the next moment with him. We had a great session of photo-shoots and video-taking. I was so delighted by my sponsor's mastery of the real meaning of life that is full of education and knowledge.



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I was able to comprehend the need as to why an educated community and individual are the most valuable people in the globe.

We did a continuous assessment test that is famously known as entry entry exam in our school. Through his pieces of advice and encouragement, I was able to score an average of A plain after passing all the eleven subjects. This performance motivated me and therefore realized that I had the potential to performing even better than that.

After the exams, we proceeded home for a short recess commonly known to many as half-term. This period allowed me to even aim higher and focused mainly on the areas that I didn't perform well. This period also gave me an insight to dig deep in all subject areas with an aim of being ahead.

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of my teachers. I made it and this time I was able to cope up with the pace of my teachers.

Furthermore, the recess allowed me time to create more friends who joined super high schools like Kamusinga High school and Chesamisi Boys High School which have for many years emerged top in the country. Through this friendship, we were able to exchange ideas on matters of education and also how to overcome challenges that we face at school. This positive collaboration with my peers psyched me up to also compete favourably with my classmates and at the same time enabled me to define myself as a winner and always embracing my motto of "Always aiming higher."

My enjoyable moments at school were sadly cut short in March 2020 after the start of the covid-19 pandemic. The confucious moment brought by this virus led to the ministry of education initiating mitigation measures that included closure of schools. We therefore went home heads down to avoid the spread of the most infectious disease.

While at home, I made a choice to volunteer at The nasio Trust' as they had started the feeding programme for the vulnerable children. I had thought of volunteering at different departments so that I had to gain skills and knowledge in different skills. The first place to volunteer was at the spirulina section where I could assist in the production of this most nutritiow algae species.

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I can testify that through my engagement with other employees at the section, I gained the relevant skills right from the inception of the mother-culture to its harvesting and later packaging. In addition, I gained lots of interpersonal skills through my involvement in selling of the spirulina capsules and powder. I have attained bargaining techniques that have impacted positively on my esteem & confidence.

I cannot forget mentioning the many peer education programmes that I have been involved in during this holiday. Nasio Trust provided me a platform on which I worked with other peer educators to ensure that we could change a life by positively impacting the mindset of others. Topics covered included: adolescents

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development, alcohol and drug abuse, teenage pregnancy, HIV/AIDS and also deep information about the infectious COVID 19 disease.

It's worth noting that our Chief Executive officer, Mrs Nancy Hunt has been with us and she has proved to us the need of leading an inspirational life. She held with us meetings and workshops which enlightened us. She also gave us journals that helped us keep track of our daily activities.

Additionally, Mrs Nancy invited us to a competition duped "The Jerusalem Challenge" and we were able to compete with other sections within the organization. I took part in it and we emerged the winners.



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Through this competition, I learned that the only way to succeeding is to compete favourably and whole heartedly without concentrating on the minor challenges and obstacles that might stop us.

In conclusion, I would like to appreciate the Plewa Family Foundation and Nasio Trust for investing in me heavily and promise to work smartly so that I attain my academic and non-academic excellence. Thank you!! Have a blessed new year 2021.

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