



Because of your support, **Patrick Chizeya**  
and his community have a better future.  
**Here's your Annual Progress Report 2020!**



Patrick, 2020

**Patrick Chizeya**

**Makoni**

# Dear Friend,

Here is my personal report for you this year:



I am now 10 years old.



Currently, I am in primary school studying grade four.



World Vision is constantly monitoring my well-being. Currently I am in good health.

This year me and my family participated in and benefited from:



**Birthday celebration**

I felt valued and loved by others. I also want to share my love with my friends and neighbours.



**Child rights education**

Better understanding of children's rights is leading us to make positive changes for children in the community.



**Child protection awareness**

I am learning about the rights of children and how to promote child protection in our community.



**Sports activities**

I had the chance to develop talents and skills that will help me build my future.



**Fellowship and small group gatherings**

I spent time with people in a caring, encouraging environment.



There's more to tell...  
see photos and videos at  
[mwv.me](http://mwv.me)



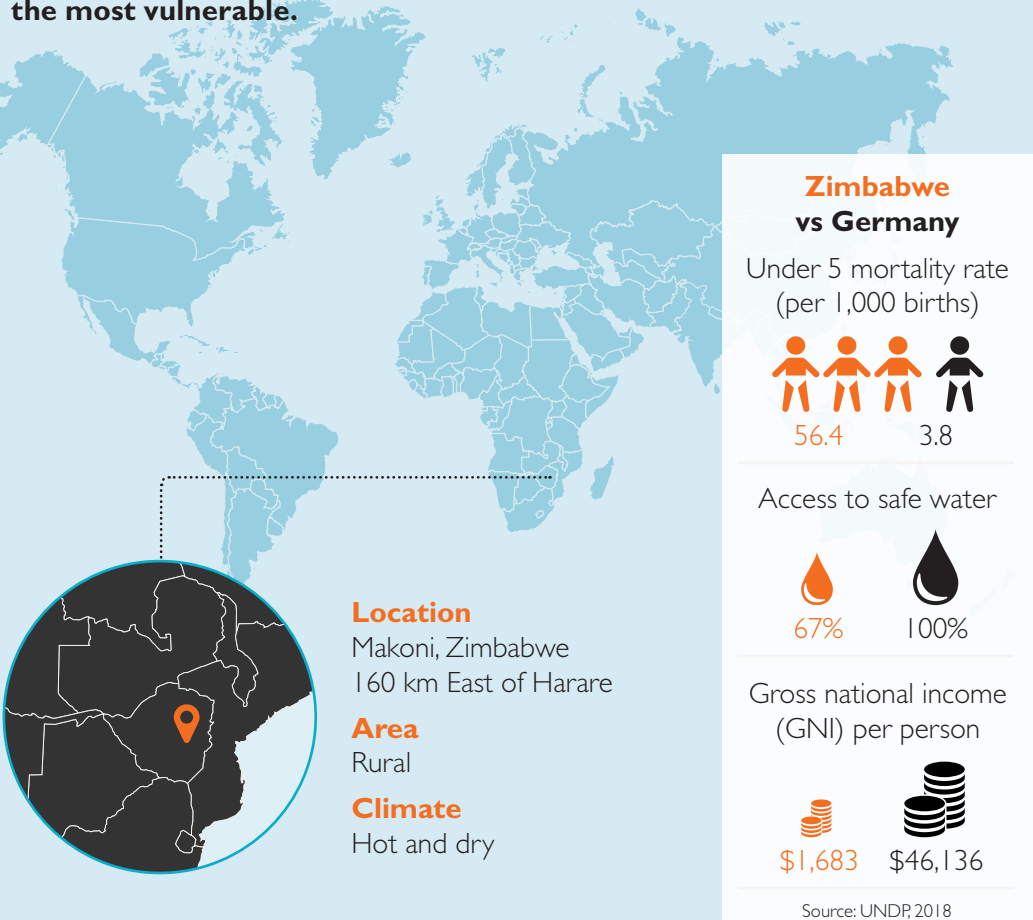
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# Welcome to my community

In Makoni, most families make a living from agriculture, but the lack of rainfall and long dry seasons destroy their meagre harvests. There are few health stations and not enough trained medical staff. Clean water sources are hard to access and polluted water makes many children ill. Most of the schools are in need of renovation.

Living conditions must be improved for boys and girls here. In particular, clean, safe water must be made available to them.

**With your help, we'll continue to support children and families here, empowering them to give their children a better future, especially the most vulnerable.**







## Thank you from our staff & volunteers

"Thank you for continued support for helping the Makoni community transform. Our greatest achievements have been providing clean and safe water to improve hygiene and reduce water-borne diseases and income-generating projects have benefitted many of our most vulnerable families.

"Our greatest challenge is ensuring that all the children in the community have birth registration certificates and we are working with the local Birth Registry to reach these children. Your continued commitment to changing children's lives is making a difference and we are very thankful."

**Ignatious Maodzeka**, Manager of Makoni Area Programme

## Progress Update in Years



On average our Area Development Programmes operate for 15 years. See above at which stage your programme is at.

We are still looking for sponsors in Makoni

3,007  
children



2,809  
children having  
a sponsor



198  
children needing  
a sponsor

# You're making a huge impact for children in Makoni



**1,814**

children can access clean water at their school through 3 solar-powered bores, reducing waterborne diseases.



**4,884**

children have improved nutrition through access to protein with the establishment of poultry and fish projects.



**1,114**

boys and girls are now attending regular reading classes, raising literacy and numeracy levels.



**3,600**

children took part in events on the prevention of sexual abuse and violence, making their environments safer.



"We used to walk a long distance to fetch water from wells. Now, we have clean and safe water at our school and the water is also used to irrigate a garden for fresh vegetables."

John, 11 years old (left, washing hands)



## Our stories of change

**“Now, she is able to pay my school fees...”**

“Many children of my age drop out of school,” explains Ruvimbo, 9 years old (right). “Since the death of my father, my mother has tried to take care of my education and that of my siblings. Unfortunately, my eldest brother dropped out of school in Grade 7 due to our financial problems. Sending us to school has been a struggle.”

Ruvimbo’s future changed for the better when her mother became involved in World Vision’s income-generating poultry project.

“Now, she is able to pay my school fees and buy me school uniforms and stationery,” she says. “We also have our own chicken-raising project at home and, when I have spare time, I assist with feeding the chicks.”

This year we have printed and mailed your APR from a new location to improve efficiency and save production costs for World Vision. We thank you for your understanding.

**Thank you for your support!**

**Together we've impacted the lives of over 200 million vulnerable children by tackling the root causes of poverty.**

*"The old toilets at my school were a danger. The walls were full of cracks and about to collapse. The newly built toilets are safer, user-friendly and disability friendly."*

– Grace, 7 years old



If you have queries about this report, please contact us at **0800 – 0 10 20 22.**



To write to your sponsored child, you can send an e-letter from **mwv.me** or mail your letter to



**World Vision Zimbabwe, P.O. Box 2420, Harare, Zimbabwe**

In order to protect your sponsored child's identity on social media, please do not reveal their last name, Child ID #, or personal medical details.

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