

Who we are

Children's Voice Today (CVT) is a child/youth led organization that was established in 2001 to promote the rights of the children through meaningful child participation, where children/youth initiate and lead all activities of the organization. CVT is operating in fifteen districts of Rwanda to promote and lead actions towards the realization of children's rights ensuring their participation in 4 provinces and the City of Kigali.

Vision

A child-friendly society where children enjoy their rights without discrimination, and have equal opportunities to realize their full potential.

Mission

To be the voice of Rwandan girls and boys, to empower them to advocate for their rights and to fight violence against children.

2021-2025 STRATEGIC DIRECTIONS

For the period 2021 – 2025, CVT has decided to focus its interventions on three strategic directions. They were selected by CVT members including children, board members, staff and other key stakeholders working with children in Rwanda.

These strategic directions are in line with the world's agenda 2030 which builds on the 17 Sustainable Developments Goals especially in goal number 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 16 which address particularly issues critical to children.

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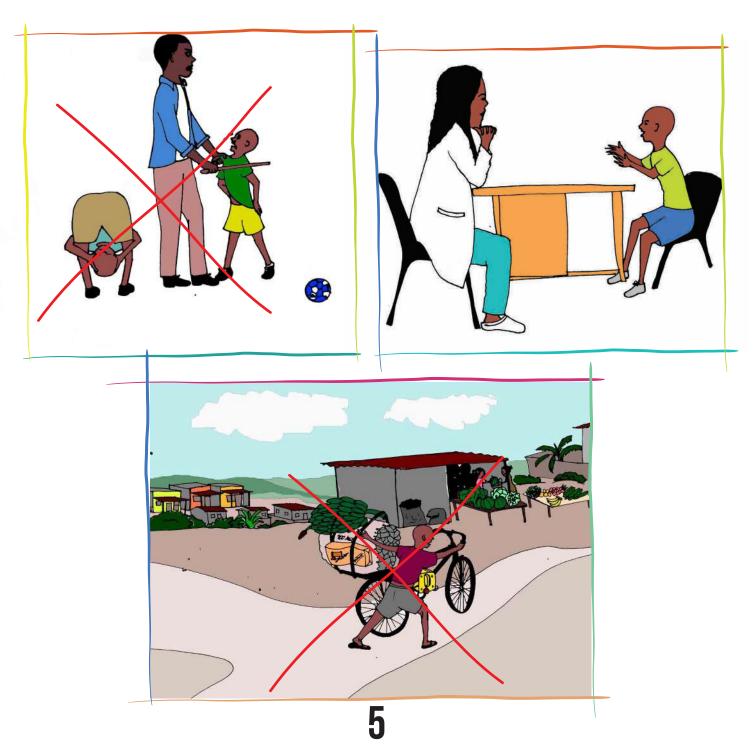


DIRECTION

Promotion of the Children's Right to Protection.

CVT will lead interventions to support children who are engaged in child labour, improve knowledge of children on Sexual and Reproductive Heath Rights while supporting them to have access to related services and implement activities to fight physical and humiliating punishments in different settings.



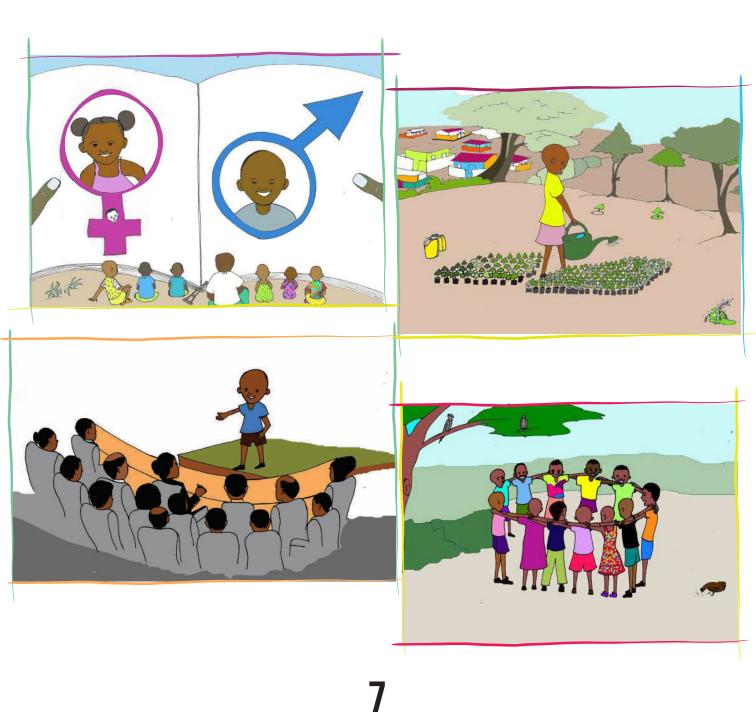


DIRECTION Promotion of Children's Right to Participation

CVT will focus its interventions on activities that support and empower children to take part in matters affecting their lives. These intervention include the promotion and the increase of participation of children in public planning and budgeting, child led advocacy, gender justice promotion, child/human rights monitoring and reporting, and protection of the environment.



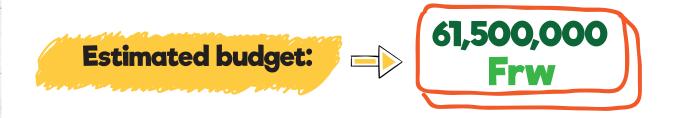




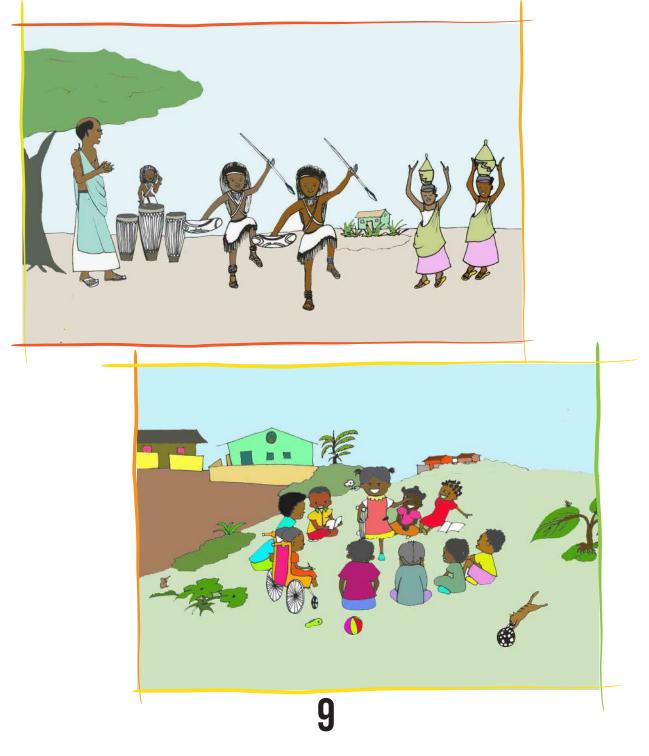
DIRECTION

Promotion of Cultural and Language amongst Children.

CVT will mainly focus its interventions on activities that promote Rwandan values and culture, children's public speaking and debating skills and enhance children's skills in languages used in Rwanda (Kinyarwanda, English and French).



TOTAL BUDGET: 255,950,000 Frw



KEY STRATEGIES FOR ACHIEVEMENT

CVT will empower children through grassroot groups and enable them to exercise their rights. We will raise awareness in families and communities on child rights and child protection. In collaboration with various partners we will engage advocacy initiatives with stakeholders and all this with a single objective influencing, initiating, and fostering the implementation of child related policies.

