



Crowdfunding Report:

## **Opportunities for Development**

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## TITLE OF REPORT

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Despite the fact that schools continue to be closed due to the current health crisis, each of the scholarship holders carries out their school work through the scholarship project from home and, above all, they continue to receive personalized advice and guidance to continue their basic studies.

It is worth mentioning that the situation of the families assisted, derived from the Pandemic, is beginning to have a drastic impact on the family economy, which is why we thank you! For continuing to contribute to the education of young girls in the department of Retalhuleu.

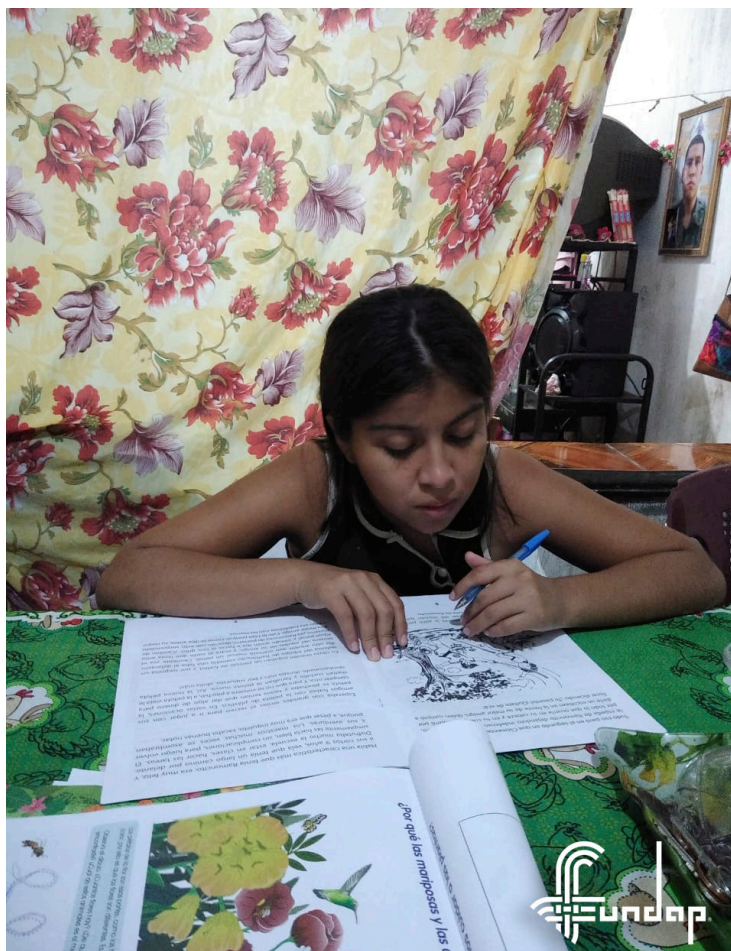
Your donation now more than ever is the engine of change in the lives of the scholarship students and the road to new opportunities for development.

Here is the story of one of the scholarship students:

María Fernanda is 17 years old and lives in Canton Ayutia, Retalhuleu Community. She is a cheerful, helpful and above all friendly young woman.

Fernanda has been receiving the support of the scholarship for six years when she was studying in the 4th grade at the community school. At the beginning she was a shy, and distant, this because she had recently become an orphan.

As the years went by the girl became more confident and overcame her fears, now she is a participative young girl and loves to help her classmates during class work, her favorite hobby is drawing and painting.





Maria Fernanda has been living with her aunt, Mrs. Claudia Ramos, for several years. The girl has lost both her parents since she was a child, and despite everything that has happened, she is trying to be happy; her dream is to be able to graduate as an office secretary or a beauty therapist so that she can contribute to the household expenses and help her younger brother continue his studies.

Maria Fernanda would like to study to become a beauty therapist because she knows that this is an opportunity for her development. Her aunt studied technical cooking courses and thanks to this knowledge she supports them financially with their school expenses.

Maria Fernanda is a young woman with dreams and desires to improve herself because she knows she has the support of her uncles and her brother who is always there for her.

The girl expresses that her aunt is like her mother, she is the person who cares and supports her with what she needs. Doña Claudia also helps her to understand some tasks that she does not know how to do.

