We are a group of volunteers who want to help bring computers running Linux and open source software to disadvantaged children. We set up computer labs in needy schools worldwide. In 2009, we set up a lab in an elementary school in Huajuapan de Leon, Mexico. We are now working on more labs in Mexico, as well as in Argentina and India!

WHO WE ARE

WHERE DOES MY DONATION GO?

Your $35 donation provides one child access to a computer, educational software and the internet (where accessible).

100% of the donations we receive are dedicated to materials and shipping.

One of our partners, system76, has been an active supporter of our cause.

http://www.system76.com
Our most recent project is a lab at Escuela 18 de Marzo in Huajuapan, Mexico. All of the computers were installed with EDUbuntu Linux - free and open source software.

Once the internet is installed, we hope the students will be able to keep in touch with their parents (most students at 18 de Marzo have at least one parent absent, working in the United States) and with other students in other parts of the world.

The vast majority of the students at 18 de Marzo have never had access to a computer, at home or at school. By integrating technology into schools like theirs worldwide, we hope to encourage and improve their education by supplying them with one of the greatest informational tools ever developed - the World Wide Web.

You can help us by donating your old computers and computer parts. We are looking for computers that are less than four years old with at least 512 MB of memory. Both desktops and laptops would be appreciated.

I really like my computer class...

I like to have friends my own age who are from other parts of the world, and to know places I haven't known yet.

We can also re-use old...

- ethernet cables
- monitors
- printers
- memory
- network switches
- routers
- extension cables

To help fund shipping and new computer equipment purchases, please visit our website, www.kidsoncomputers.org and click the Donate Now button to the right.

If you’d like to donate a used computer or parts, please send an e-mail to donations@kidsoncomputer.org

Thank you!