



The 234 Project Foundation

2024 Impact Report



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Executive Summary

In 2024, The 234 Project Foundation proudly expanded its national impact, reaching young Nigerians across **36 states and the FCT** with transformative programs built on our pillars of **Ideation, Empowerment, and Heritage**. Through targeted education, entrepreneurship, and innovation initiatives, we advanced our mission to **transform minds and unlock potential** across underserved communities in Nigeria.

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Our Programs



234 Innov8 Challenge 2.0

Reached over **19,200 secondary school students** across Nigeria, igniting creativity, critical thinking, and problem-solving among **24** public school students through ideation-focused activities. In collaboration with **four** implementing indigenous NGOs across Nigeria, **The 234 Project Foundation** implemented the **234 Innov8 Challenge 2.0**, an innovation-based competition empowering public secondary school students to ideate solutions for real-life problems.

After four months of diligently engaging with the students in South-South, South West, South East, North East regions across Nigeria, top winning teams emerged, representing their schools, states and regions.



**1st Place
National Winner**

Project: Automatic Fire Extinguisher and Internet Booster

School: Aquinas College, Akure

Region: South-West

Implementing NGO: Gbenga Fawehinmi Foundation



1st Runner-Up

Project: Smart Water Pump

School: Methodist Senior Science School, Oron

Region: South-South

Implementing NGO: Youth for Change Initiative (YOFCI)



2nd Runner-Up

Project: Solar-Powered Refrigerator

School: Abbagana Terab Junior Secondary School, Borno

Region: North-East

Implementing NGO: Hope and Awareness Foundation

We celebrate these brilliant minds for their creativity and problem-solving skills. The future is bright with young innovators like these!



234 Community Impact Challenge 3.0

With applications from students in **33 states across Nigeria**, the 234 Community Impact Challenge 3.0 diligently trained, propelled, and celebrated changemakers across Nigeria who are dedicated to designing and implementing sustainable, community-based projects addressing local needs.

From the selection of the top 50 changemakers and taking them through a 5-week intensive virtual

bootcamp where we equipped them with skills to be exceptional impact-driven changemakers. Afterwards, we selected top 25 to proceed to the 3rd stage where we selected top 10. These top 10 received seedfunds of **N50,000 each** to actively refine their projects and presented their projects through a 90-seconds proof-of-work video presentation wherewith 4 national winners were meritoriously selected.



234 Beyond The Cycle

We empowered **500 teenage girls in underserved communities** in FCT Abuja and **100 girls in Jos, Plateau State** by providing **reusable sanitary pads** and **menstrual hygiene education**. The 234 Project directly tackled **period poverty** and promoted **health, dignity, and confidence** among adolescent girls.



AI Hackathon Games – Ibadan Edition

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The program served
as a platform to
promote AI literacy,
problem-solving, and
innovation among
Nigerian youth.

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We hosted the 234 AI Hackathon Games at the University of Ibadan, Oyo State, bringing together 80 students from 8 universities across Nigeria. This competitive event challenged participants to **design and develop AI-powered solutions** addressing real-life societal issues. Teams collaborated to create innovative, practical tech solutions with impact-driven potential. At

the end of the hackathon, **top-performing teams** were rewarded for their creativity, technical skills, and relevance of their ideas. The program served as a platform to promote AI literacy, problem-solving, and innovation among Nigerian youth.





234 Entrepreneurship and **Demo Program** – Plateau Edition



We trained **50 young entrepreneurs** in Jos, Plateau State, equipping them with essential business skills. Following the training, the **top 15 participants** were selected to pitch their business ideas at a live **business presentation session**, evaluated by a panel of seasoned judges.

Based on performance and potential, the **top 5 entrepreneurs** received **business grants of ₦100,000 each** to support their startups and scale their ventures. This initiative not only fostered youth-led enterprise but also strengthened the local economy by empowering young innovators with the resources to thrive.





234 SkillUp Program

We shortlisted 20 youths out of 100 applicants across Nigeria to participate in a **specialized data analysis training program**. This initiative was designed to **enhance their employability, encourage innovation, and build their confidence** for both personal and professional development in the digital economy.



234 Buzz Challenge

Distributed **digital devices** to students in Nigerian universities, bridging the digital divide and improving access to e-learning and academic tools.





234 Grace Scholarship

Awarded academic scholarships to 6 students in Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Osun State to support academic excellence and educational access.



Congratulations

Overall Winners



Vivian Amoo



Scholarship Prize
N100,000



Felix Ayangbile

1st Runner-up Winner



Muideen Sanni
Scholarship - N50,000

2nd Runner-up Winner

David Olagboye	N20,000
Deborah Adekunle	N20,000
Dayanat Junaid	N20,000
Godslove Ife	N20,000
Barakat Onifade	N20,000

234 Hope Scholarship

Awarded academic scholarships to 3 students in University of Port Harcourt, Ilorin, Cross-River State to support academic excellence and educational access.

THE 234 PROJECT

234 Hope scholarship

Congratulations

Winners of 234 Hope Scholarship
University of Nigeria Nsukka

 Okolo Michael Chibulke Medical Rehabilitation	 Ngwu Godswill Uche Medicine and surgery	 Daniel Chnemerem Civil Engineering
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234 Data Challenge

Provided **1,237GB** of internet data to **225 young Nigerians** to support digital learning, research, and access to virtual development opportunities.





234 Life Series

Produced **2 powerful documentaries** spotlighting real-life stories and the tangible impact of our programs. These videos shared inspiring journeys of hope, growth, and community transformation, giving visibility to our grassroots impact.



234 Impact **Tour 2024**



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**3 States,
including
Plateau, Oyo,
and FCT Abuja**

Extended our physical outreach to **3 states**, including **Plateau, Oyo, and FCT Abuja**, delivering empowerment sessions, trainings, and community impact programs to hundreds of young Nigerians.

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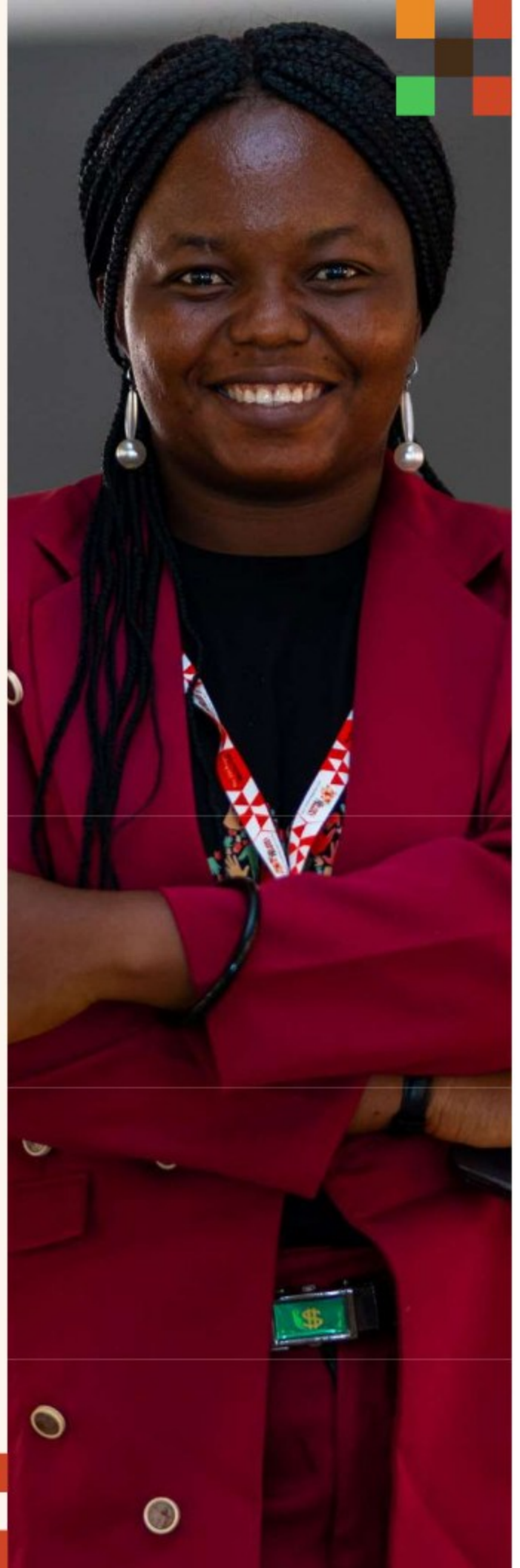
2024 National Impact Summary At A Glance

Area	Key Achievements
Geographical Reach	Impacted all 36 states and the FCT Abuja
Business Support	55 youth-led businesses empowered through funding and visibility
Education Support	Over 281,000 students reached through various educational initiatives
Investment in Impact	More than ₦15 million invested in youth empowerment, education, and business support programs
Overall reach	1,100,000 young Nigerians

Looking Ahead

The 234 Project Foundation remains deeply committed to building a thriving, inclusive Nigeria where every young person-regardless of background-has the tools, opportunities, and support to succeed.

With your continued partnership and support, **we look forward to impacting even more lives in 2025.**



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Transforming Minds. Unlocking Potential.

