FOUNDATIONAL LEARNING
STEERING COMMITTEE LAUNCH

On Wednesday, 19th April 2023, the Foundational Learning Steering Committee (FLSC) was launched officially at Kumbali Lodge in Lilongwe by the Minister of Education Hon. Madalitso Kambauwa Wirima. The aim of FLSC is to unify different projects implementing foundational learning programmes like NNP, National Reading Programme (NRP), BEFIT and Mary’s Meals among others. The committee champions five (5) strands: Strand 1; Providing best support to teachers of standards 1-4, Strand 2; Improve training and deployment of teachers, Strand 3; Redesign curriculum and improve its resourcing, Strand 4; Expand school feeding coverage from 35% to 100% and strand 5; Digitalize education for access, quality, efficiency, and resilience. NNP is implementing strands 1, 3, and 5. The Acting British High Commissioner, Sophia Willitts-King and US Ambassador to Malawi, David Young were part of delegates at the launch.

"As a mother, what the various programmes are implementing is the type of education I want for my children - Acting British High Commissioner Sophia Willitts-King"

"We will do whatever it takes to attain everything we want in Education" - Minister of Education Madalitso Kambauwa Wirima
21st April 2023 was an exciting day for NNP since the NNP Team had a Team Building exercise at Peak Gardens in Lilongwe. The exercise was led by Issac Tembo of SGR Training International. Staff members from the central office and all the staff from the districts joined in on the exercise. The team took part in a few activities including games like "2 truths and a lie" which was the ice breaker for the team to get to know each other more. "The circle of appreciation" enabled the team to randomly appreciate each other. The scavenger hunt and 30 seconds game taught the staff members how to work as a team. The day finished off with lunch and drinks. The activities left all the staff members energized and refreshed to take on the rest of the year!

NNP TEAM BUILDING!!!

We welcome Richard Hanson to the National Numeracy Programme who has joined us as the Deputy Team Principal. Richard joined Mott MacDonald in 2009 and has worked in Sierra Leone, Mozambique, Kenya, Nigeria, Malawi and most recently in Eastern Caribbean.

"I am excited to join NNP and looking forward to the task and the challenge. I am excited to get to know everyone by face soon." - Richard Hanson

The training went well and it was very informative. We concentrated on site returns, management of our reporting platform and invoice management to name a few things. We also navigated UK-

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They travelled from 22nd - 20th April 2023.

PROGRAMME REACH

21 Districts
109 Zones
343,000+ Girls
336,000+ Boys

Upon Scale-Up, the programme is expected to reach 5700 schools