



Education  
Development  
Center



**Making a world  
of difference**

**Change** starts with questions.

- How can we create healthy communities?
- What does a good education look like?
- How can we help all people live productive, meaningful lives?

At EDC, our work addresses such questions with **ideas, tools, and innovations** that improve education, promote health, and expand economic opportunity around the world.

# We are

# Changing the World

As a leader in developing programs that drive change, Education Development Center has transformed the lives of **over 1 billion learners** in more than 80 countries.





**MALI** – Built schools, created accelerated basic education programs, and used innovative tablet-based learning programs to expand the boundaries of educational opportunity

**60+** YEARS

of developing innovative **SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS CURRICULA**



**14,000**

**SMALL BUSINESSES LAUNCHED**  
in sub-Saharan Africa

Improved literacy instruction for

**6.5M**

**CHILDREN** around the world

Every day, **we partner** with social service organizations, health systems, school districts, and governments to **solve the world's most pressing challenges**. Our priorities include:

- Designing **workforce development** programs that offer out-of-school youth and young adults alternative pathways to economic independence
- Developing programs that **prevent suicide and opioid misuse** in schools and communities across the United States
- Conducting research into what works in **early childhood learning and care**
- Creating curricula that improves **STEM learning and teaching** for all students
- Using technology to deliver **high-quality literacy instruction** in some of the world's most resource-lean environments





**PHILIPPINES** – Supported mother tongue instruction for millions of young learners and provided a pathway out of poverty for thousands of youth



**UNITED STATES** – Is a national leader on computer science and computational thinking skills in grades K–16, and partners with industry to identify the jobs of the future

# 1.6M

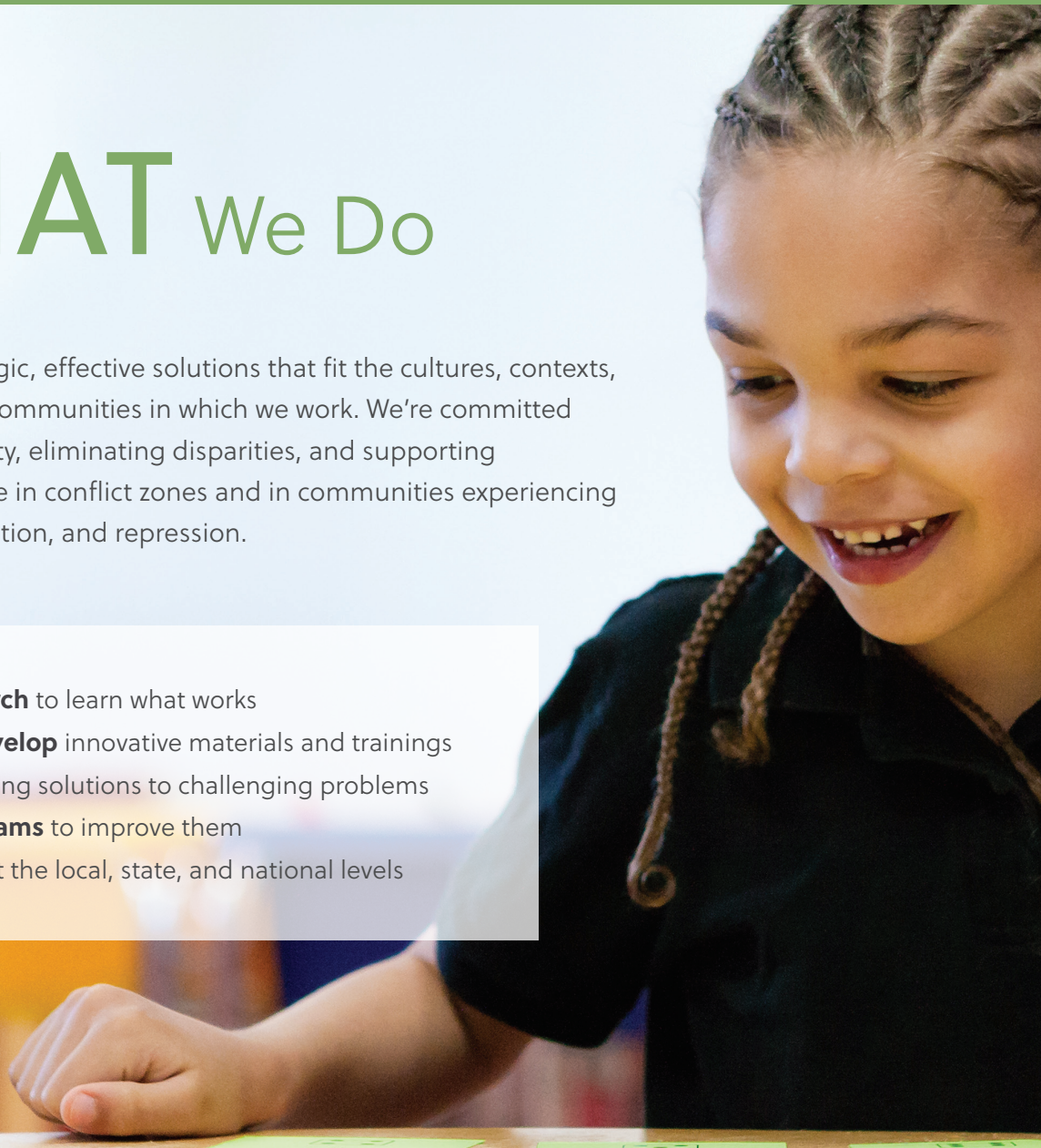
**AMERICANS** reached with suicide prevention training programs



## WHAT We Do

EDC creates strategic, effective solutions that fit the cultures, contexts, and needs of the communities in which we work. We're committed to promoting equity, eliminating disparities, and supporting individuals who live in conflict zones and in communities experiencing poverty, discrimination, and repression.

- Conduct research** to learn what works
- Design and develop** innovative materials and trainings
- Implement** lasting solutions to challenging problems
- Evaluate programs** to improve them
- Inform policy** at the local, state, and national levels



## Join Us in **Making a World of Difference**

EDC is a nonprofit organization that receives grants and contracts to conduct our work. Our programs are supported by states, cities, and universities, as well as by grants from corporations, foundations, U.S. agencies, and international and U.S. partners.

Contact us today to learn more about how you can partner with EDC.

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