The mission of the Remember Niger Coalition is to unify people and mobilize resources to expand quality educational opportunities in Niger.
I want to help the Remember Niger Coalition because I know how lucky I am to live in a place with quality education, and I believe that changing the world begins with educating every child and giving them all a chance to succeed.
Remember Niger Coalition is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to unifying people and mobilizing resources to expand quality educational opportunities in Niger, Africa. We partner with and support Nigerien organizations who have a remarkable vision for their country and share our core values.

Through a holistic approach and by working side-by-side with our Nigerien partners, who own and operate their schools, we are able to ensure that more children receive a high quality education in Niger, the least developed country in the world. In the 2019-2020 school year, we partnered with 13 schools and over 2700 students.
Niger is a landlocked country in West Africa named after the Niger River and 80% covered by the Sahara Desert. The United Nations’ Development Programme (UNDP) ranks Niger 189th out of 189 countries on the Human Development Index.

Niger is one of, if not the poorest countries in the world, with only 50% of children enrolled in primary school. The number of students who continue to secondary school is much lower at a rate of just 19%. Only about 9% of girls go to secondary school. Niger has one of the highest growth rates in the world, with an average birth rate of seven children per woman and over two-thirds of the population are under 25 years old.

Most families work in subsistence agriculture and access to formal education is limited. The Remember Niger Coalition is working to address Niger’s educational infrastructure by supporting Nigerien partners in their endeavor to transform their society by expanding educational opportunities. By sponsoring a student, you are making a significant contribution – one that will positively impact the future of your student and his/her family for a lifetime.
Zinder

Members of the two L’Eglise Evangelique de la Republic de Niger (EERN) Churches in Zinder had long dreamed of establishing a Christian school for their children and community members. In 2005, they created a school committee to begin that endeavor by designing a detailed plan for establishment and growth, applying for and receiving a land grant from the Niger Government, and seeking funding for the construction of the first school building.

Remember Niger Coalition’s partnership with the Zinder Primary School began in 2009 with support for student sponsorships. This program has grown from 3 students receiving sponsorships to 50 sponsorships in 2019. In addition, there are currently 24 middle school girls who receive scholarships. In 2011, Remember Niger provided the support to establish a computer lab and facilitated a trip for volunteers to set up the lab. In 2013, funding for the construction of the third three classroom school building came through Remember Niger. Additionally, Remember Niger provided the funding for phase one of the construction of the first middle school building in 2017.
Reverend Labo

School Administrator

"The support that was brought to us by this partnership with Remember Niger allowed us to recruit a certain number of children and put them into good working conditions. That’s to say, we give them all of the tools necessary for their education. We can say that this partnership has given us a large advantage. It has allowed us to work harder each year." - Rev. Labo
Students

Statistics

- # of Students
  - Primary school (preschool-6th grade): 515 students in 14 classes
  - Middle school (grades 7-10): 145 students in 4 classes
- % of Students sponsored by RNC to attend Secondary School: 16.55%
The kids at Zinder enjoy playing outside during their break from class.

The children love the Christmas cards that they make for their sponsors. Art supplies are harder to come by in schools in Niger, so both the teachers and the students cherish the opportunity to put the school's creativity on full display!
Thank you for sponsoring your student!

None of this would be possible without your continued support. By sponsoring the students of Zinder, you are making a real difference in their community. Thank you.