



# ATTERBURY TRUST AND FOUNDATION CARE FOR THE WESTERN CAPE



# Three years of service, support and shared impact

Atterbury Trust and Foundation's Western Cape office was established in Stellenbosch three years ago. Today, this energetic team proudly reflects on meaningful, lasting projects that are making a real difference across the region.

Our focus areas are clear: Education, nourishing meals and access to healthcare. From our base at La Gratitude in Stellenbosch, we serve communities stretching from Macassar to the Jonkershoek Valley, Devon Valley, Paarl and beyond.



# Bursaries that build futures

Currently, the Trust and Foundation support 43 students at various tertiary institutions in the Western Cape.

## First-year intake growth tells a compelling story:

**2022:** 3 students

**2023:** 6 students

**2024:** 14 students

**2025:** 20 students

Our involvement goes beyond financial support. Mentorship, holiday work opportunities and career exposure help these students thrive. Encouragingly, many alumni are now giving back.



# Karoo Suite: Unlocking new horizons

A group of 19 students from the Beaufort West region receive monthly support for food and transport. Their NSFAS funding does not cover these basic needs. Grade 11 and 12 learners are also assisted to attend Stellenbosch University's open day.



# Startwell: Nutrition to fight stunting

A hungry child cannot learn. That is why, every day, 340 preschoolers in the Western Cape receive a nutritious Startwell breakfast with our help.

In Macassar alone, 75 children at three schools benefit. There's a waiting list, which means every donation counts. In March 2025, the BIG Swim event raised more than R1 million for Startwell, enough to feed 1 000 children for an entire year.



**8**  
schools

**340**  
children daily

**R1 020**  
per child per year



# Akkerland: A success story of partnership

In 2023, Akkerland in the Jonkershoek Valley faced financial challenges. Atterbury Foundation stepped in and today the school is at full capacity (30 children), with daily Startwell porridge and cooked lunches. We now aim to upgrade the playground, bathrooms and install shaded areas. Support is most welcome!



# Terugploeg (Giving Back): Harvesting hope



With help from a farmer in Devon Valley, we distribute naartjies and blueberries to old-age homes and children's organisations in Stellenbosch, Paarl and Somerset West. We are looking for more farmers and food donors to grow this impact.

# Teachers matter

We support two of our alumni now teaching at no-fee schools:

- Anthea Jackson, Grade 7, Cavalleria Primary, Kraaifontein
- Victoria van Wyk, Grade 4, Macassar Primary

We collect stationery and learning support for their classes. Join us in helping a child to learn.



# Caring health services for women and children

**Eyecare4Kids:** Spectacles for children aged 6 to 18. We work with optometrists in Stellenbosch and Somerset West, but we need more professionals to assist with school screenings.

**Screen Her Save Her:** Free or affordable mammograms offered in partnership with Keystone Medical. Help us give more women access to life-saving tests.



# Other meaningful initiatives

## Mother Tongue Development Initiative (MOI), Western Cape

MOI is a successful high school bursary programme grown over the past three years by Atterbury Trust. From 1 July 2025, it became an independently registered NPO.



## Jakes Gerwel Technical High School, Bonnievale

We are proud to support this school in expanding its vital work. Its core values of responsibility, respect, integrity, honesty, humility and discipline are close to our own.



## InVia Church, Stellenbosch

We support inspiring initiatives with InVia, including the Open Hands women's project, Vineyard children's homes and the Smartytown Womanhood drive, all of which have a deep local impact.



## Charlton's football club

Charity begins at home. Charlton, our local handyman, helps children from Devon Valley stay active and safe through football. We support these young players with kit and equipment. Help us turn even more young dreams into reality.



# Join us in caring

Every project is an opportunity to get involved. Your time, network or donation makes a direct difference.

As a charitable organization, we rely on the donations of people like you to enable the work we set out to do. Giving is part of our DNA at the Atterbury Trust because we care. If you want to help, feel free to donate online through our Donation Shop, because we know, like us, you love to give too.

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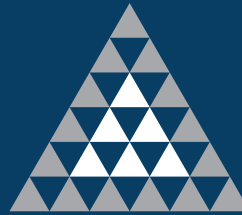
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