





Forest College | Lusaka, Zambia; June 9th-August 9th| Project leader: Namambo Mwale Team  
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The zoom meetings proved essential in keeping up with the construction taking place and ensuring that we were meeting the new construction goals we had set out. These meetings were certainly essential towards the end of our project as it meant that we were able to keep a close eye on construction progression, an issue that had initially proved to be quite difficult. Upon the completion of construction and looking back on the work we had been able to achieve we felt that our overall mission was upheld by a common objective amongst our team members that was the completion of the peace project. In the context of this project, we defined peace as the freedom to live without feeling burdensome for simply existing. In establishing channels that these children may be exposed to the wider community; we hope to normalize the accommodations these disabled children need and allow them to feel confident in larger society. This is of course a long-term adjustment that the surrounding community will need to make, and it is one that we expect to evolve over time. From ramped buildings with elevators to the normalization of self-sufficient individuals who are afforded the help they may need by the larger community without the unseemly gazes and discomfort of others.

