

Jose Francisco

My name is José Cândido Quinguri Francisco, born in Luanda in the municipality of Maianga (Angola). I'm 21, I live with my parents and I'm the first of 6 children. I carry on my shoulders the desire to succeed in life not for my own ego but for the pride of my parents and also to serve as an example and inspiration for my brothers. I hoped it would be easy but I face several challenges due to the poor financial condition of my parents, which makes it difficult for me, a technology student, to buy materials such as a manual and electronic equipment. In addition, my father still needs to pay my monthly tuition, as well as the tuition of my other brothers.

It was already difficult before, but now with the impact of COVID-19 things are even tougher. The country declared a financial crisis and there was a subsequent rise in prices. The difficulties are so great but the will to triumph is even greater.

In January of last year the father lost his older brother who helped him in many situations and now he has become the father of two houses because the brother's children only have my father to turn to and this increases my fear of making some requests mainly schoolchildren knowing the difficulties.

I belong to a humble family in which my father is the head and all responsibilities fall to him. In our country, professional technical courses are quite expensive and those who are from the lower class hardly have access.

Your help would be so important, not only for me and my professional life but also for my family's life!