**Partner Name:** OliveSeed Foundation

**Partner Website:** oliveseed.org

**Partner Location:** Palo Alto, California

**Partner Mission:** To inspire the next generation to be learners, critical thinkers, and ultimately ethical leaders and changemakers. They do this by developing high-quality libraries and programs in literacy and environmental education that empower young people with knowledge.

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**OliveSeed/Morocco Library Project (MLP)** has been developing English libraries in under-resourced communities of Morocco since January 2014. MLP works closely with English teachers in these communities to understand the context and need of the local student population and then curates a library collection that is tailored to that location. We send high-quality fiction and nonfiction literature in all genres and reading levels. Most of these libraries are at public high schools, a few others, developed in partnership with Peace Corps volunteers, are at youth centers. To date, they have funded close to 40 libraries in Morocco.

MLP is a program of OliveSeed Foundation. OliveSeed has also developed a comprehensive library and related enrichment activities for Mara Girls Leadership School, an extraordinary upper primary school in Talek, Kenya, on the edge of the Maasai Mara National Reserve. This is an area where few girls have the chance to stay in school. Mara Girls provides a quality education for highly motivated girls from across the region, in a boarding-school setting modeled after the circular Maasai style of family living.