

A grayscale photograph of three young girls in school uniforms, smiling and looking towards the camera. They are holding books or papers. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent dark gray filter.

# PARTNERSHIP ON GIRLS' PUBERTY & MENSTRUATION EDUCATION

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A young girl with dark skin and hair, smiling broadly, wearing a red and black plaid shirt. She is standing in a field of yellow sunflowers under a bright sky. A large red circle is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing white text.

**VERY YOUNG  
ADOLESCENT GIRLS need  
support for puberty  
-- especially menstruation**

# P&G's Initiative

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Puberty Education Program



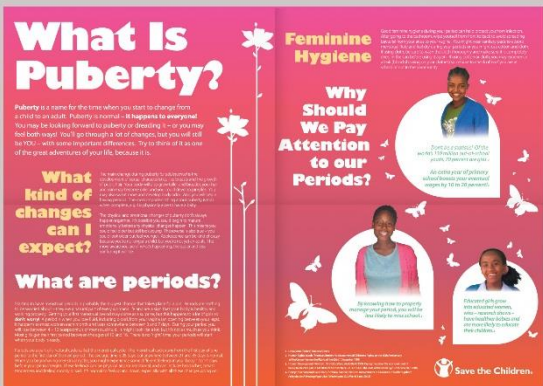
*“(I found it) tricky to (talk about puberty and menstruation) but once you realize that they have already been introduced to in schools then it becomes an interesting topic to discuss. (The program) exposes our daughters and gives them confidence to go through puberty positively.”*

*-Mother in Kenya*

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## Protecting Futures

- Ethiopia, South Africa, Nepal

## Adding Menstrual Hygiene Management to School Health and Nutrition Programs

- China, Nigeria, Mexico



P&G Live, Learn and Thrive™ Initiative.





*“I heard about puberty and menstruation at school. ...It helped me handle the situation better when I started my periods and I appreciated the information more. ...It will help me to know how to talk to my daughter when I get one.”*

## Video

Shame and EMBARRASSMENT


cause girls to miss, or worse, drop out of school when they get their period.



Giving Girls the Facts on Puberty



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