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**Stability Peace and Reconciliation
in Northern Uganda (SPRING) Program**

**SPRING STABILITY FUND REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS
(RFA) 004: Peace Education and Guidance Counseling in
Secondary Schools in Northern Uganda.**

Answers to Bidders Questions:

Question 1

“What sub-counties or districts should the project be implemented in?”

Answer 1

We would advise applicants to recommend piloting the peace curriculum and guidance counseling in secondary schools located in SPRING’s six districts in the Acholi and Lango sub-regions: Amuru, Gulu, Pader, Kitgum, Oyam and Lira.

Question 2

How many schools should the project be working in?

Answer 2

There is no recommended number of schools that applicants should propose in their applications. Applicants should select their schools based on the capacity and willingness of particular schools to carry out the SPRING project and based on the resources available within the budget ceiling.

Question 3

“Do organizations have to have a letter of support from the Ministry of Education attached to their proposals?”

Answer 4

It is not mandatory to have a letter of support from the Ministry of Education, however, such a letter would strengthen the quality of the proposal.

Question 5

“I am writing to inquire about the pre-registration process”.



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From the website (www.springuganda.com) I have been able to access the Request for Application (RFA), which among others details the proposal format. Is this the document needed for the pre-registration or is there another one which I am not able to access?

Answer 5

Before an applicant can apply for a SPRING STABILITY Fund grant, they must pre-register. Applicants can pre-register by accessing the SPRING website through the Announcements/Tenders link. Pre-registration is an easy process and should take no more than an hour. The pre-registration form can be emailed to the email address: proposals@springuganda.com.

Question 6

I am getting difficulty in downloading the pre-registration form for SPRING project. Please could you help and send me a soft copy.

Answer: See above answer for location of pre-registration documentation.

Question 7

I would like to get more information regarding the call for proposals in respect of peace education for it is an area that the program is interested in and would be good to work with as many partners in the country as possible so as to trickle down to the grassroots where the info is most desired.

Answer 7

The RFA states “Grants will support interventions that will have a lasting impact on stability and the consolidation of peace in Northern Uganda and are restricted to local and international non-governmental and private organizations registered in Uganda. Applications from consortia of international and Ugandan organizations are also encouraged. We cannot advise whether to work with individually or with partner organizations in a consortium. This depends on the technical approach your organization takes and the capacity of your organization to successfully implement the project.