

A photograph of Desmond Tutu, an elderly man with white hair and glasses, wearing a dark blue suit, embracing a young girl with dark curly hair and a red headband. The girl is smiling and holding a small white card. They are surrounded by a crowd of people, some of whom are taking photos with their phones.

DESMOND TUTU STUDY & CARE FUND

The International Children's Peace Prize is awarded annually to a child who fights courageously for children's rights. The International Children's Peace Prize is the most prestigious prize that a young changemaker can receive in recognition of their efforts to move the world. It gives the young winner a worldwide platform to amplify their message and promote causes for the benefit of children's rights. This year the message of the 17-year-old winner Nila Ibrahim, reached 3.8 bn people worldwide. Each winner is entitled to a study and care grant from the Desmond Tutu Study & Care Fund to enable the winner to obtain an education and to support their siblings and family where needed.

The Desmond Tutu Study & Care Fund

The Desmond Tutu Study & Care Fund is divided into two components - the study component (a scholarship) and a care component.

Study component: The winner of the International Children's Peace Prize receives support from KidsRights in obtaining an education, at least until bachelor level (BA) with also a possibility to apply for funding for master's degree. This support (scholarship) aims to provide an opportunity for the young winner to receive an education. The goal is to give the winner the prospect to develop themselves as much as possible, to prepare for a successful future.

Care component: The care component is available to support the winner and their family in daily and/or to cover additional costs. To ensure the wellbeing of the winner, financial support is made possible by KidsRights from the moment the winner has won. The winner can receive the care fund to support the education of their siblings so that are not left out, or to start an income-generating project for the family or to cover healthcare expenses.



Study and Care Fund's Impact: Examples

	Winner's year	Name	School of choice
	2021	Vihaan Agarwal	Stanford University
	2015	Abraham M. Keita	Yale university
	2013	Malala Yousafzai	Oxford University

WINNER

Nila: 2024

Name:

Nila Ibrahim

Winner's year:

2024

Study wishes:

Nila intends to study
at Yale University



STUDY & CARE FUND FOR LAUREATES

Name of the winner	Winning year	Category	Accomplished	2024
Baruani	2009	Study	Higher Certificate in Legal Studies	€ 1,000.00
Kesz Valdez	2012	Extra	Final year at International School for Hotel and Restaurant Management in Philippines	€ 6,000.00
Mohamad Al Jounde	2017	Masters	Final year at Malmö universitet, Stockholms universitet and Umeå universitet in Sweden	€ 4,000.00
Divina Maloum	2019	Bachelors	Second year at Nanchang Hangkong University in China	€ 6,000.00
Sadat Rahman	2020	Bachelors	Second year at Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP) in Bangladesh	€ 6,000.00
Nav Agarwal	2021	School	Final year of schooling at The Shri Ram School in India	€ 1,000.00
Vihaan Agarwal	2021	Bachelors	Third year at Stanford University	€ 6,000.00
Rena Kawasaki	2022	Bachelors	Second year at Yale University	€ 4,000.00
Anastasiia Demchenko	2023	Bachelors	First year at Middlebury College, Vermont in the USA	€ 6,000.00
Sofiia Tereshchenko	2023	Bachelors	First year at University of the Arts London	€ 6,000.00
Anastasiia Feskova	2023	School	Final year of schooling in the USA	€ 1,000.00
Nila Ibrahimi	2024	School	Final year of schooling in Canada	€ 1,000.00
Care Fund for winners				€ 10,000.00
Study & Care Reserve Fund				€ 25,000.00
Organizational & Monitoring Costs				€ 15,000.00
Total Study & Care Fund 2024				€ 98,000.00