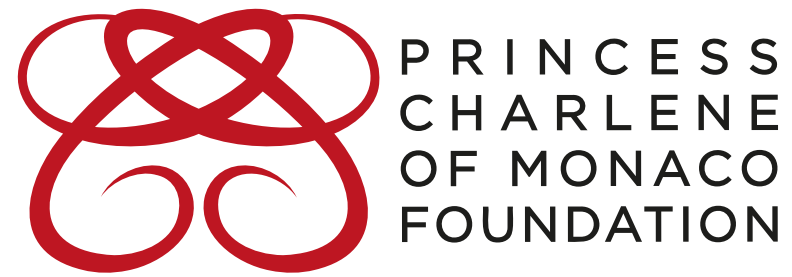


The Princess Charlene of  
**Monaco Foundation** saves  
lives by fighting against  
**drowning** and develops  
the education of children  
through the **values of**  
**sport**







"I created My foundation to offer children better opportunities, show them the way through the values of sport and solidarity, and reduce deaths by drowning worldwide."

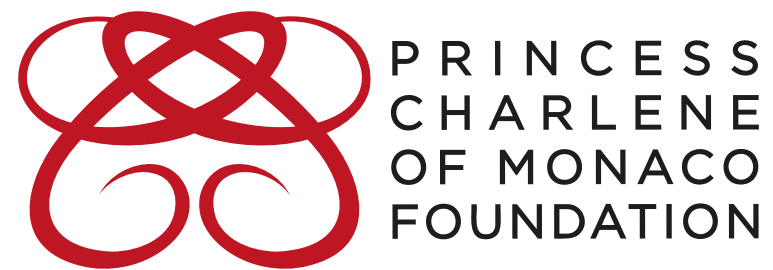
"Drowning is a global health concern, but solutions exist to prevent avoidable injuries."

"Together, we can prevent drowning and secure a future for our children."

**- H.S.H. Princess Charlene of Monaco**







Since its creation on December 14, 2012, the Princess Charlene of Monaco Foundation supports and funds **educational projects** around the world.

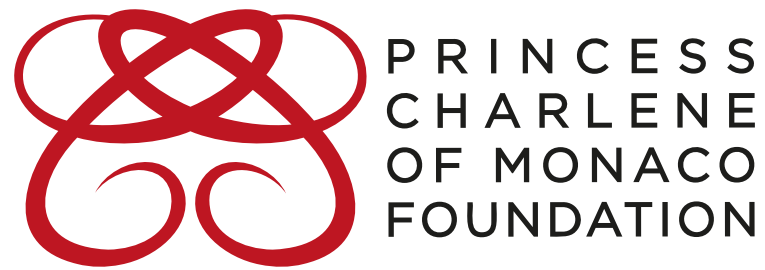
**3 programmes** are set up by the Foundation:

- Learn to Swim
- Water Safety
- Sport & Education

In implementing projects, the Foundation assists **local institutions**, trusts in the technical expertise of **partners** and collaborates with **international organisations** that share its vision and goals.







To protect children from avoidable injuries and to prevent drowning, the **Learn to Swim** and **Water Safety** programmes offer theoretical and practical courses to children and adults, and raise awareness of the dangers of water.

To inspire future generations and contribute to the well-being of children, the **Sport & Education** programme plans sports events and promotes all types of sports activities.

More than **1 million people**, mainly children, have benefitted from the 3 programmes in **43 countries**.





According to the **World Health Organization**, drowning is a major public health concern. Drowning caused 2.5 million deaths over the last decade and is one of the main causes of death among children in many countries.



Over half of all drowning deaths are among those aged under 30 years



The highest drowning rates are among children aged 1-4 years



In 2021, the **United Nations** adopted the **Resolution on Global Drowning Prevention**. This resolution recognizes for the first time the importance of prevention in the fight against drowning and invites all Member States to take national and local measures.



Men are twice as likely to drown as women



Drowning is one of the 10 leading causes of death for people aged 1-24 years



236,000 people die of drowning every year worldwide



# Learn to Swim

**Teaching** children how to swim to reduce avoidable injuries

- **Swimming lessons**
- Training of **lifeguards & swimming instructors**
- Training of **lifeguard trainers**

# Water Safety

**Preventing** drowning by raising awareness of water safety

- **Theoretical courses**
- **Lifesaving courses**
- Training of **rescuers**
- Training of **water safety instructors**

# Sport & Education

**Inspiring** children with education and the values of sport

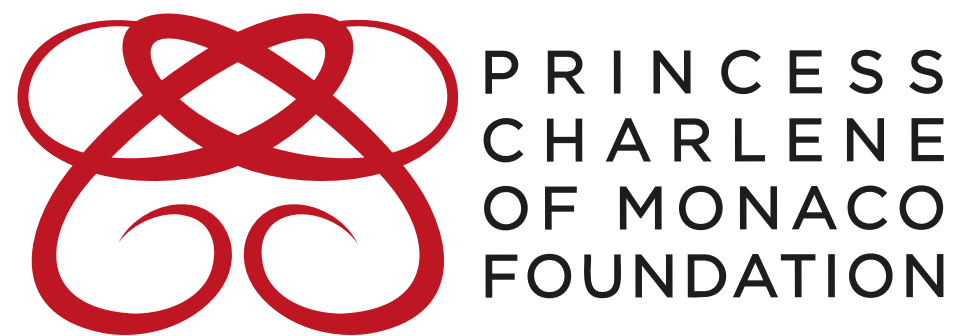
- **Pedagogic sports activities**
- **Sports grants**
- Funding of **sports equipment**



# Countries where the Foundation has supported projects since 2012







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