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My name is Cristina and I am currently in 6th grade in the United Nations International School. This year we have been learning about China, India, and how to write good paragraphs. But something my class has been working on since almost the beginning of the year is my executive report. My whole class has chosen a topic and has written a report on it. I chose women's education. I chose this topic because I feel strongly about women's rights, and I think that women deserve education.

170 million people don't have education. 70% of those people are women. And did you know that In some countries like South-East Asia, Chad, Mali, Niger, only 1 in 5 girls go to school and, typically that 1 lucky girl only goes to school for 1 year. Not having education affects the society because if you have education you can get a good job, which means you can probably send your children to school. This goes on as a chain and lifts the next generation out of poverty. Women's education can change the world.

I am writing this because I want to help this issue; I am helping by spreading the word. You can help by donating, hosting a party, signing up to help. There are many organizations that help woman who don't have education, for example there is W.E.P (women's education project) that helps women get scholarships, and helps education to women in need. This can improve the way that some girls live in. You can even just tell a friend about it.

Thanks for reading my letter and my report, I hope that we can make a change in the way these girls live in. You can respond to me using my personal e-mail and home address. Have a nice summer!

Sincerely,
Cristina