

## **ALVIN OMAR**



Alvin is 18 years old. His dream is to become a Doctor one day.

He is the third born in a family of four, two girls and two boys.

Alvin's parents separated, and now he and one of his siblings stay with his mother while the others live with their father.

To meet family needs, Alvin's mother works as a house help, making around 50e monthly. The family stays in a single room with power but no running water.

Alvin is always in and out of school due to a lack of school fees. He is currently home and on the verge of losing hope of returning to school.

He joined the high school after his mother secured a loan from SACCO, which she has defaulted on as she struggles to repay.

Alvin remains hopeful that help will come his way and that he will return to school.

His favourite subjects are Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics. In his free time, he enjoys playing football.