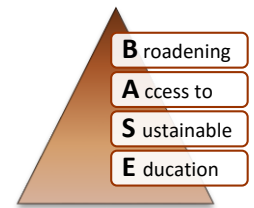




Banteay Thmey Primary School



Facts

Name	Banteay Thmey Primary
Type of facility	School Building
No. of students	332 (154 girls, 178 boys)
No. of teachers	11 (7 female, 4 male)
No. of classrooms (to be built by us)	1 school building with 4 fully furnished classrooms & 4 toilets
Size of building	288 m ²
Budget	USD 48,220
Construction period	May 2016 – October 2016
Project manager	Mr. Sinoeuy My
Location (Province)	Banteay Thmey Village, Chong Kal District, Oddar Meanchey Province, Cambodia

Description

Despite its increased popularity as a tourist destination, Cambodia is still one of the poorest and least developed countries in Southeast Asia. Development is not evenly distributed in the country and many rural communities remain poverty-stricken as corruption and self-interest precedes the country's growth. The community of Banteay Thmey village is located in Chong Kal District, in the north western province of Oddar Meanchey, close to the Thai border. In the past it was part of Banteay Chas village, which covered a large area. A few years ago the government built a road through the village, which resulted into Banteay Chas being split in two: Banteay Chas village and Banteay Thmey village. Until 2013 the school in this area was located in Banteay Chas, which meant that children had to cross the busy road and sometimes walk long distances in order to get to school. Therefore the authorities agreed in 2013 to approve Banteay Thmey Primary School. Early 2015 already, we completed the construction of a new school building to replace a temporary, old and unsafe structure. The new village of Banteay Thmey now is made up of 246 families (1022 people). Since the construction of this new school building, student enrolment has continued to increase and this trend continues. Because of the current size of the school population the existing learning facility is insufficient and a lot of students still follow classes in a temporary building, which offers little protection from the extreme and harsh weather conditions. Therefore we agreed to build a second permanent school building with four classrooms to improve the learning environment for these students.

Map



Implementation

We will support Banteay Thmey Primary School by constructing one new school building with four fully furnished classrooms and 4 toilets, to replace the existing temporary building and provide a safe and conducive learning environment for the students. Since this is a fully accredited school, the government will support the teachers' salaries and school stationery. The community has agreed to support the construction by offering unskilled labour. When the project is finished they will also take care of the new building and constantly maintain it. Community engagement is important as it encourages a stronger sense of ownership. A professional contractor will be hired to provide materials and oversee the construction of the school. Payments will be made in instalments according to the progress of the construction and 5% of the total cost will be held back for six months after completion as a guarantee. The project is considered low risk as the location is accessible all year round. Construction will begin in May 2016 and the project is targeted to be completed in October 2016.

Photos



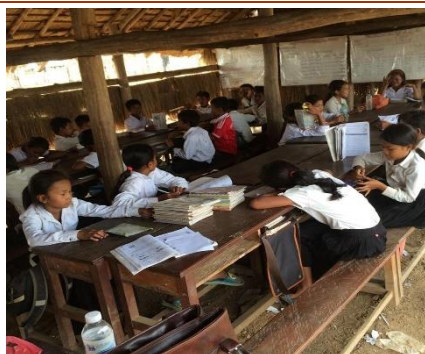
The temporary school building



The facilities are very basic and unsafe

Budget

Item	USD	In %
Construction material	31,296	64%
Labour costs	8,535	18%
Interior & furniture	2,688	6%
Transportation	981	2%
Monitoring & implementation costs	1,345	3%
Administration overhead	3,375	7%
Total budget	48,220	100%



The classroom is overcrowded and unhygienic

Project manager

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