



Kdol Primary School



Facts

Name	Kdol
Level	Primary School
No. of students	258 (116 girls)
No. of teachers	5 (including principal)
No. of class rooms	5 new classrooms
Size of building	463 m2
Budget	US\$ 56,736
Construction period	06–11/2010
Project manager	Seang Sokhom
Location (District)	Kdol, Ampil, Cambodia

Description

Kdol lies in the District of Bantaey Ampil, in Oddarmeanchey Province, Cambodia. During the Khmer Rouge regime, the villagers fled from the village. They came back after the war was over in 1989. At that time the villagers built a small school with two buildings (wooden structures with palm leaf roofs). In 1990, Enfants du Mekong added a third building with a zinc roof. Currently, the school has 3 buildings with 2 classrooms each, but one building is only used as a school kitchen, since it is by now too unsafe to teach in. Seven classes are taught in two daily 'shifts', four classes in the morning and three in the afternoon. Kdol is a Cambodian government school. The government pays for the teacher's salaries. The World Food programme supports school breakfast, UNICEF contributed toilets and a water tank to collect rainwater.

Map



Implementation

The new school will have five classrooms and we will also provide furniture, a flag pole and a new entry gate. Toilet facilities are already available. The villagers will contribute themselves to construction by leveling the land, building the school fence and filling up the foundation. A professional contractor will provide the working team and manage the actual construction work under the supervision of the school construction committee as well as our Cambodian field team. All required construction materials can be sourced in Thmar Pouk and Samrong District (45km and 36km away respectively) and transported to the construction site by car. Fluctuating prices for construction material might affect the overall budget. Transportation of construction material may be difficult particularly during a heavy rainy season. We target to complete this school by November 2010.

Photos



Rotten wooden roof beams

Budget

Item	US\$	In %
Construction materials	30,664	54
Labor	10,800	19
Interior / Furniture	7,818	14
Transportation	2,500	4
Direct Project Administration	1,554	3
Administration Overhead cost	3,400	6
Total Budget	56,736	100



The 'school kitchen'



One of the buildings from the outside

Project manager

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