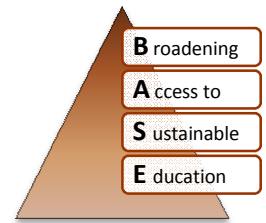




# Pang Mon Nursery School



## Facts

Name	Pang Mon School
Level	Nursery
No. of students	120
No. of teachers	None yet
No. of class rooms	3 classrooms
Size of building	168m2
Budget	US\$ 15,759
Construction period	June – Dec 2010
Project manager	Supatra Matakoon
Location (District)	Kob, Xaignabouli, Laos

## Description

Pang Mon is a Hmong community (indigenous people) with 158 families. The total population of the village is 1,086 of which 534 are women. IFAD (International Fund for Agricultural Development) supported this village in 1996 with a school building (4 classrooms). Even back then, the villagers helped building the school by providing free labor.

In recent years, children below the age of 5 could no longer attend nursery school, because there were insufficient classrooms to accommodate all the children.

Beside providing a new nursery building with 3 classrooms, we will also build a new primary school with 2 classrooms (more information on separate one-pager).

Pang Mon is a Laotian government school. The government pays teachers' salaries and provides teaching materials. The nursery is run and maintained by the community.

## Map



## Implementation

We plan to build three new nursery classrooms in one building. The villagers will again contribute to the construction by leveling the land, providing wood and help us with transportation. A foreman from the village will manage the actual construction work. Required construction materials can be sourced either in nearby Thailand or then transported from Kob/Laos, a town about half an hour's drive away from Pang Mon.

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 nursery school by December 2010.

## Photos



The bamboo nursery (left)

## Budget

Item	THB	US\$	In %
Construction materials	332,045	10,376	66
Labor	90,000	2,813	18
Transportation	30,000	937	6
Interior / Furniture	0	0	0
Direct Project Administration	14,911	466	3
Administration Overhead contribution	37,356	1,167	7
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>504,312</b>	<b>15,759</b>	<b>100</b>



Pang Mon nursery school kids



The village

## Project manager

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