# **Progress Report**

# Get Me to School



Phnom Penh, Cambodia

#### Year 2 Budget \$29,000



**Project Timeline** 

FULLY FUNDED

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#### Overview

Our partners work in the slums of Phnom Penh with families and children not yet in school. They identify children who want to learn and follow these children through their full circle of education, which for some is to University and beyond. This project is part of our partner's Education Program and supports activity centres that are run with the express purpose of providing tuition and catch-up classes in Khmer and basic Mathematics, as well as providing time and space for children to do their homework and participate in other classes such as English, Computer, Art, Music & Sport.

#### Impact for June - December 2022

## Providing quality after-school teaching

in parallel to school programs for 223 students across 4 centres operating at 70% capacity. Lessons focus on Khmer reading, writing, maths and learning skills. Students from Grades 1-6 attend half-days for 4 days per week.





#### Basic computer and English literacy classes

are running in one of the four centres four evenings a week for 45 Grades 7-12 students. English is held for one hour, followed by an hour's computer class. A 12-week Teaching Pedagogy course is planned for 5 teachers in the coming months.

#### Leadership program for teenage kids

The newly designed leadership program, PATH, has been rolled out and delivered to 35 Grades 7-12 students at the Bong Tumpun centre. Students participate in English and computer classes and attend monthly PATH youth meetings.





#### Sports programs are in full swing

Six football teams are active again, running twice-weekly practices. A tournament was run on 23rd December with the Preah Khan Reach Svey Reing Football club and 127 players participating. Another tournament is planned for 2023.

• Families (286 people) of 50 children who receive full sponsorships and 11 children who receive school fee support have also benefitted through regular counselling, mentoring, life skills and parenting training, medical assistance and business development assistance.



### **Rotanakvatey's Story**

I absolutely love coming to the Centre. It's my favourite thing to do. I really enjoy studying Maths and Engish, and I always have so much fun with the other teenagers who come to the PATH youth club. We love being together, just hanging out, laughing, sharing and listening. I learn a lot from the other PATH students. My teachers are so caring too. I never feel blamed or judged for making mistakes. Instead, we are encouraged to keep trying for better and to learn from our mistakes. It's such a safe place to be - it warms my heart. It is what a true home should be. Thank you for offering us this haven.





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