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from destitution... to a vocation!

Our challenges

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Establish school support classes in our pailotes

Why?

We are expanding **school support classes** for our children in state primary schools. The project is urgent because, due to the COVID pandemic, the children have only been able to attend school in person for 4 months over the last 21 months! The school dropping out risk is especially high and **the children need to catch up and to be supported to succeed in their studies**.

300 children will benefit from these new courses in 2022, increasing to 400 in 2023. The classes will take place in our pailotes, established in 6 villages/neighbourhoods on the outskirts of Phnom Penh, so that they are easily accessible.

Our pailotes, which already welcome young children in nurseries, need to be renovated and expanded to create new classrooms.

The project

- **Enlarge and renovate 4 of our pailotes:**
 - To welcome children in safe and comfortable conditions.
 - To create lightweight classrooms under the existing courtyards
- **Relocate the Sen Sok pailote, which cannot be expanded, to a new site and rebuild it, increasing it by 4 classrooms.** The project also includes the reconstruction of the 4 existing nursery classrooms, and the renting of a temporary space to start classes as soon as possible, without waiting for the works to be completed

A total of **11 new classrooms for school support classes are to be created in 5 pailotes**. The project will be completed at a later stage with the renovation and creation of 2 additional classrooms in a 6th pailote.



The budget

It comprises the cost of architectural plans, building permits and oversight by our construction team, the cost of the work in 5 “pailotes”, as well as the necessary furniture and equipment for 11 new classrooms.

Total Cost (Exchange Rate €1= \$1.15):

\$134,000 = €116,550

Balance to be funded (as at 13/12/2021)

€51,850

Partnership opportunities

- Renovating the pailote in OBK **€5,800**
 - Relocation and construction of the expanded Sen Sok pailote; 8 classrooms in total including 4 nursery classrooms and 4 school support classrooms **€9,200 / classroom**
- 5 classrooms are still to be funded**

To provide our program for children with disabilities with premises adapted to the reorganization of its activities

Why?

Due to the Covid pandemic and the forced closure of our facility, our Home "Source de Vie" team has been accompanying children back to their families or organizing their placement in a foster family. In view of this evolution, and in order to privilege a quality day care, a place of learning and development of the child's potential, we have decided not to maintain the reception of children at night and weekends at the Home.

The team of our adapted teaching section (ATS) and that of the Home have merged. The "new ATS" now takes care of about 40 children in 5 classes.

The new organization allows for smaller and more homogeneous groups of children with disabilities, in order to carry out more individualized activities according to the needs and possibilities of each child. The 5th class, called "Home Based Care", benefits children with severe disabilities who will be able to come to PSE once or several times a week for day care and will receive home visits from their educators the rest of the time.

The team also continues to support families in the care of their child.

The respective activities of the Home and the ATS were conducted in separate premises. The premises of the new ATS must be adapted to the reorganization of its activities.

The project

- To regroup the activities of the ATS (classes + day care), in one place, the former Home
- To adapt the spaces of the former Home to their new use: activity room for day care, rooms dedicated to rehabilitation: physiotherapy, occupational therapy, sensory room, speech therapy room...
- To carry out work on 4 existing classrooms under the courtyard in the immediate vicinity of the former Home, as well as on their environment, in order to give them access to more natural light. These 4 classrooms will accommodate the children of the ATS.



The budget

It covers the cost of the work and its follow-up by our construction team.

Total Cost (Exchange Rate €1= \$1.15) :

\$36,000 = €31,300

Balance to be funded (as at 13/12/2021)

€31,300

Partnership opportunities

Urgent work of phase 1 (creation of openings in 4 classrooms)

2 600 €

Reorganization of the ATS premises

28 700 €