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Cambodia-Taiwan Education Program

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Cambodia Today

- After decades of war, strife, and slaughters under the Khmer Rouge, Cambodia has been left one of the world's most impoverished countries. While Phnom Penh and Siem Reap city are becoming more prosperous by the day, the rural towns and villages have been left behind.
- Of the country's population of 15 million, 33% is aged 14 or below, 40% lives below the poverty line. One in seven children dies before the age of five, and over 50% of the country is without electricity.
- Aid is flooding into the country from around the world, including from Taiwan, but to truly help the people of Cambodia escape the cycle of poverty and begin their journey toward true economic independence, we must focus on education.

What is CTEP ?

The Cambodia-Taiwan Education Program, or CTEP, is a charitable program aimed at helping the people of Cambodia - and particularly the youth - by providing education in Computing, English, and Chinese.



What Does CTEP Do ?

- **Set up Learning Centers to provide education to Cambodian youth in towns and rural villages**
- **Host youth from around the world to educate them through charitable work**



The History of CTEP

➤ Rural Education (2012 ~)

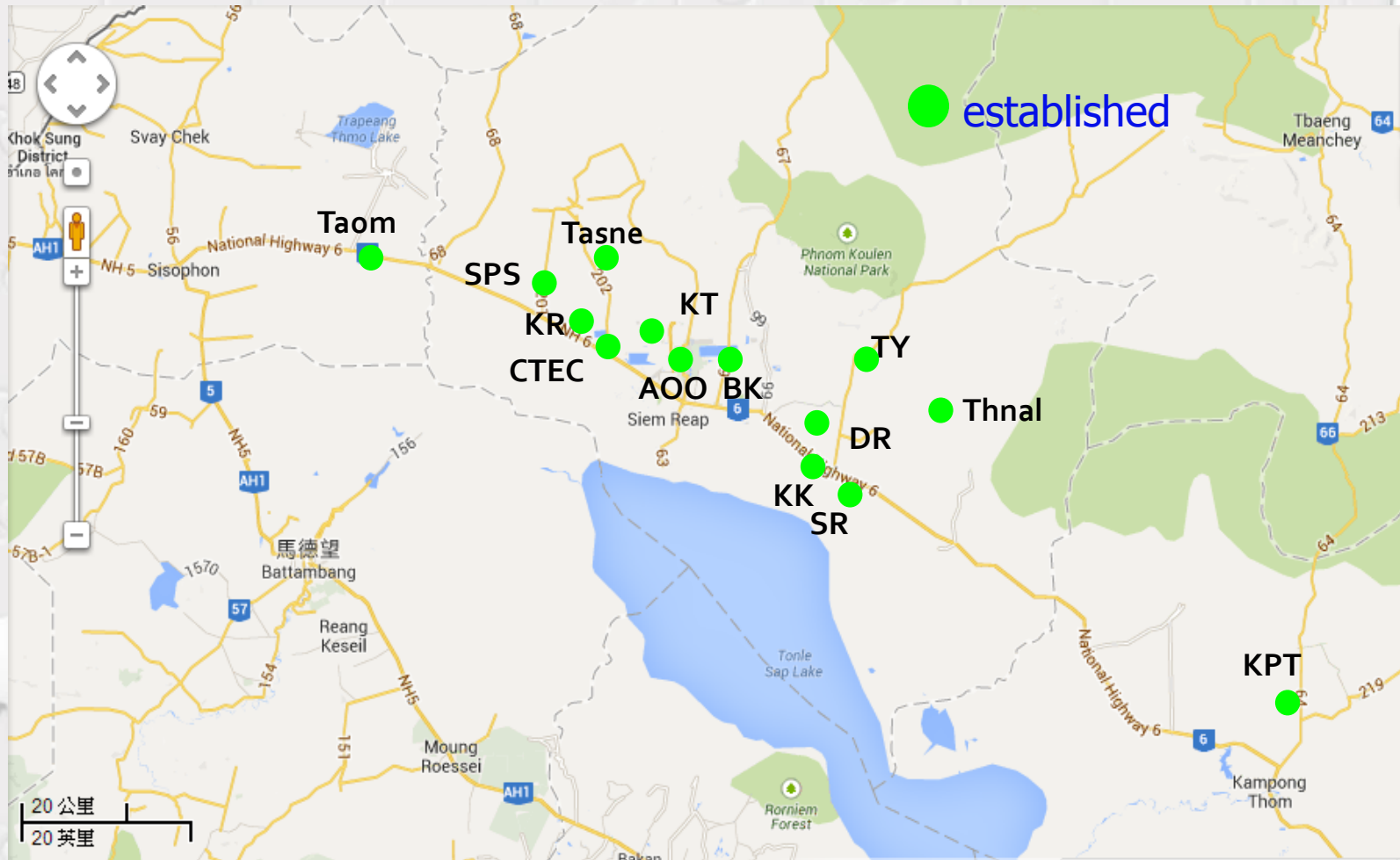
- 12 rural Learning Centers have already been established : Taom, AOO, Tasne, Bakong, Danroun, KPT, Thnal, TY, KR, SPS, KK and SR**

➤ Urban Education (2011 ~ 2012) (being slimmed down)

- Two urban Learning Centers have already been established: CTEP Center and KT Learning Center.**

➤ Rice Soup Students Lunches (2010 ~ 2011) (ended)

CTEP Learning Centers Location



CTEP Educational Goals

➤ **Activating Computer Skills**

The digital divide is a crucial element in the rich-poor gap in the 21st century, and with Taiwan being the world's leader in computer manufacturing, we are in a unique position to promote computer education in areas where it is lacking.

➤ **Eliminating Foreign-Language Illiteracy**

English is the global lingua franca, and being English illiterate is a major obstacle to economic development in this globalized age. In addition to English, Taiwan is also capable of providing education in Chinese in the region.

CTEP Management

- **The policy :** CTEP does not build school buildings or distribute financial relief. Its efforts are entirely in the rural area and concentrated on providing the computer and language skills needed for employment.
- **Educational Development Model :** Rural trainees are given intensive seed teacher training; After graduation, the seed teachers return to their villages to set up rural classrooms, with CTEP providing pay, computers, and generators. Once classes begin, teachers return for on-the-job training twice a month. CTEP regularly dispatches counselors to the villages to provide guidance and assessment.
- **The Governance :** No paid staff, rented office, travel and other admin expenses in Taiwan. No car, house and other fixed assets in Cambodia. All funds and resources are committed to Cambodia and to education. Quarterly Educational and Financial reports are published online.

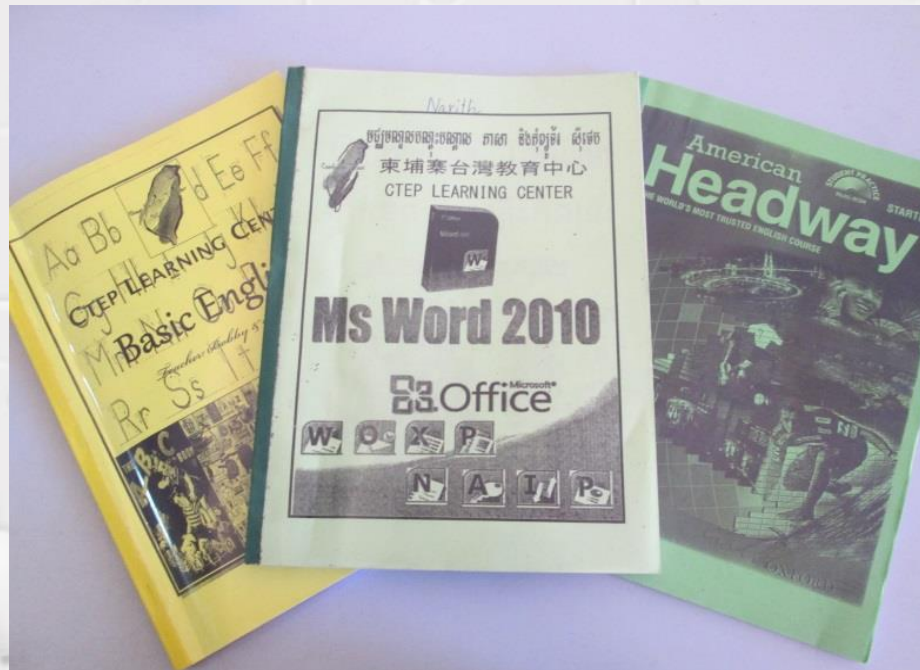
Seed Teacher Training

Four programs have been run so far,
and training 29 teachers



Seed Teacher Training Course

Computers and English



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Supporting Rural Education

Computers, generators, educational materials, and counselors





CTE Learning Centers

Till Feb. 2014, 14 learning centers have been established with more than 3,000 students graduated.

To receive Graduation Certificate, a student must attend English or Computer Classes one or two hours a day, 5 days a week for 12 weeks in a term.

By end of 2014, additional 6 learning Centers will be set up and a total of 6,000 students will graduate from CTEP's 20 Learning Centers.

CTEP Center (1st Learning Center)

Six terms of students - a total of 1,100 people - already graduated



Knar Themy Village (2nd LC)

Currently teaching 200 long-term students



Taom Catholic Church (3rd LC)

Three terms of students - a total of 191 people - already graduated



AOO Village (4th LC)

4 term 14 students graduated; 5th term 42 students



Tasne Christian Village (5th LC)

3 terms 314 students graduated; 4th term 130 students



Bakong Village (6th LC)

3 term 12 students graduated; 1 term 55 students



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Educational Grants and Support

students with excellent grades have been sent to

Chinese School to study Chinese in depth

Since August 2012, Taiwan Penghu-Dentist Association has worked with CTEP to provide free medical services in several remote locations around Cambodia, and thus far has seen over 1,000 patients.

Dentistry



Oral Hygiene Education



youth

Every year, CTEP hosts hundreds of youth from around the world, offering them the chance to experience the joy of helping the underprivileged and to grow through service ö



To date, some 40-plus international volunteers have participated in CTEP International Service with the gracious support and sponsorship of the Taiwanese Chambers of Commerce of North America's STUF United Fund, the Hon Hai Group, and Asustek Computer.



