



The Fellowship Foundation for Child and Youth Development Fact Sheet 2014-2015

The Fellowship Foundation for Child and Youth Development (FCYD) is a registered non-profit organization in working in Nong Khai, Northeast Thailand. The two main priorities of the FCYD are; **a) quality development for early childhood education and life skills for youth b) immediate assistance to children at risk; due to physical and mental abuse, poor living conditions, poverty or sickness and disability.**

2014-15 Projects

Protection and assistance of children living in difficult circumstances (CDC)

Capacity building for early childhood educators at rural child care centres

Improvement of the environment of rural childcare centers

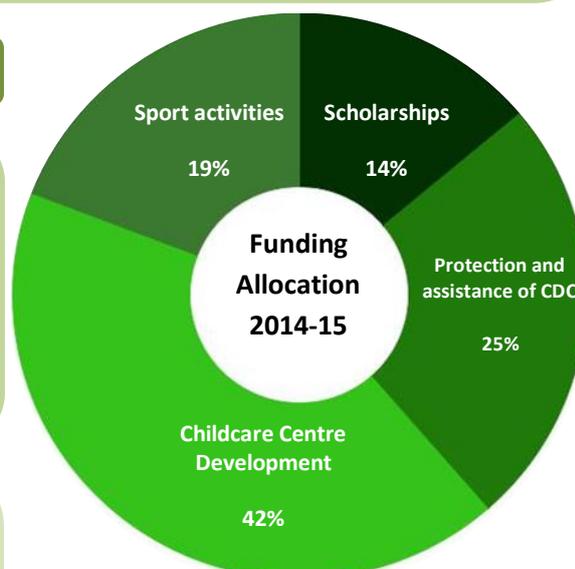
Provision of qualified English teachers in rural Thai schools

The Northeast region of Thailand is historically one of the poorest. Many families still rely on agriculture as their main source of income and are hit hard by extreme weather. Those who move to big cities for work typically find low-status jobs such as, construction workers, tuk-tuk drivers and stall vendors. Schools in rural areas are less well equipped than those in cities and the quality of English instruction in particular is very poor. As many schools only provide education to grade 9, parents must save enough money to send their children to schools in larger towns. As a result some children spend more than 3 hours a day travelling to school. For a number of reasons school drop outs remain a big problem.

In Brief...

Baan Huay Pheung School has an excellent reputation in volleyball, winning the national Wittayu-Karnbin volleyball competition. The FCYD supported the construction of a new volleyball court and provided scholarships to 30 deserving students.

The FCYD has supported the construction of new toilets and washing stations at Ban Nong Kaew and Don Muang Childcare Centres located the border of Thailand-Laos. The FCYD has also supported the construction of a new roof, ceiling and kitchen at Don Muang Centre. These centres were in terrible disrepair but are now safe and positive early learning.



In 2011 the FCYD supported baby Ploy for the treatment of retinoblastoma which was causing blindness in her left eye. Now Ploy is 4 years old and attends school. In 2015 the FCYD supported her visit to the doctor for a checkup and further treatment.

30 scholarships
and new volleyball court at Baan Huay Pheung School



1,700 Students
participating in quality English language learning



120 Students
benefiting from safe and positive early learning environments



34 children
in difficult circumstances (CDC) protected and assisted