

Foundation for Education and Development Khao Lak, Thailand



Grant Category:	Education
Implementing Agency:	Child's Dream Foundation
Project Status:	Ongoing
Start Date:	Jul 2011
Completion Date:	May 2017

Item	Completion of Prev Year 2014-2015	Commencement of New Year 2015-2016	Quarter 1	Half Year	Quarter 3	Full Year
Number of Male Students	119	191	194	182	157	151
Number of Female Students	94	133	134	128	123	117
Number of Teachers	15	15	15	15	15	15
Student Attendance Rate	203.7 (95.3%)	259.88 (80.2%)	270.28 (82.4%)	254.6 (82.1%)	241.07 (86.1%)	214.1 (79.9%)
Student Repetition Rates		64.8%	64.6%	64.8%	71.8%	70.5%
Teacher Attendance Rate	90.0%	98.7%	97.0%	98.4%	97.6%	98.1%
Student to Teacher Ratio	13.6	20.9	21.9	20.7	18.7	17.9
Student to Classroom Ratio	20.4	32.4	32.8	31.0	28.0	26.8
Female Student to Toilet Ratio	9.4	13.3	13.4	12.8	12.3	11.7
Male Student to Toilet Ratio	11.9	19.1	19.4	18.2	15.7	15.1
Number of Male Students Integrated (Beginning)	28	26	26	25	21	21
Number of Female Students Integrated (Beginning)	25	8	8	8	8	8
Number of Male Students still in Thai School (End)	24	na	25	21	21	21
Number of Female Students still in Thai School (End)	10	na	8	8	8	8
Student Integration Retention Rate	64%	100%	97%	88%	100%	100%
Number of Male Students in NFE program			41	48	58	81
Number of Female Students in NFE program			35	34	55	62

Project Description

FED was founded in 2007 as the first registered foundation in Thailand managed by Burmese. FED plays a fundamental role in providing education and vocational training to children and youth from low-income Myanmar migrant families. FED provides a safe environment for the children and youth to access education and thereafter opportunities to secure their livelihoods.

The FED provides basic education that ranges from nursery to primary level (grade 8) to support children in assimilating into Thai schools and Thai society. Vocational training is provided to youth to better equip them to enter the Thai workforce.

Objective

FED's objective is to provide Burmese migrants with the skills required to compete effectively in the Thai workforce. FED works with both students and their parents to develop an understanding of the importance of education to ensure a secure future.

Impact

Stable Attendance Rates are key to the success of FED. FED integrates its message regarding the importance of education into all its activities including the curriculum, outreach into the community, parent-teacher meetings and external health and support programs. The effect of this message is evident in the stable student attendance rate of more than 200.