



ASIA CENTER FOUNDATION

Giving Children Hope and a Future





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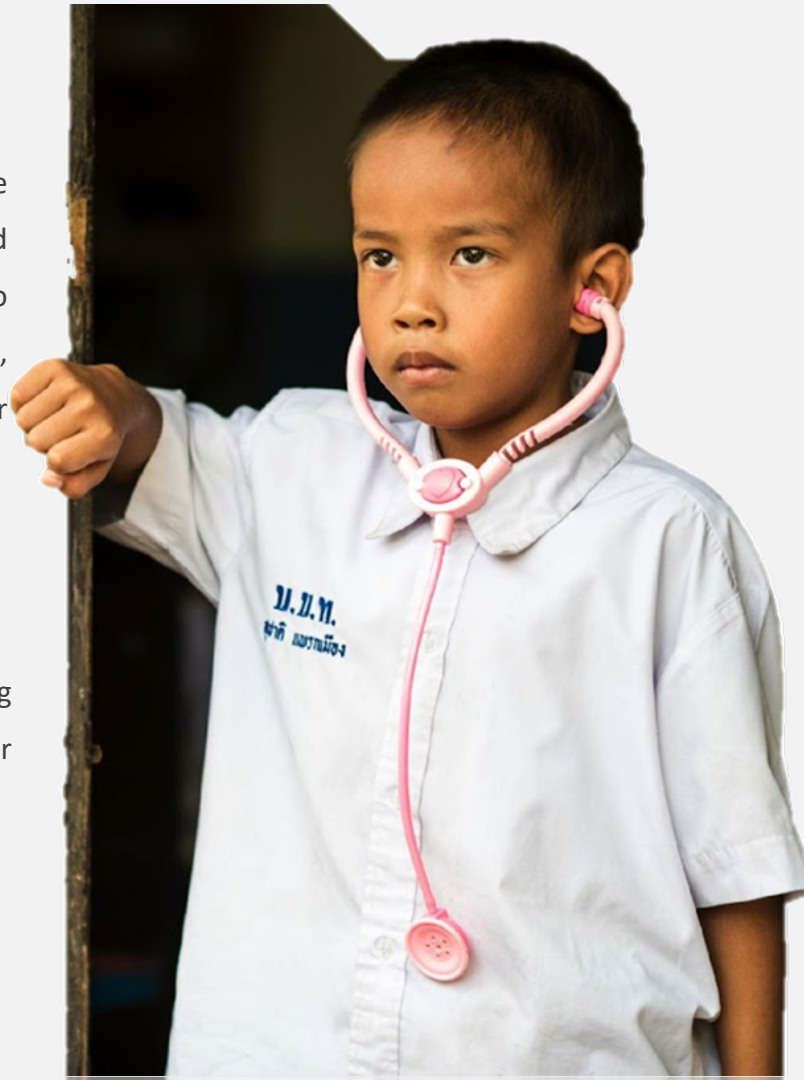
Asia Center Foundation (ACF) is a locally registered Christian, Non-Government Organization which provides education opportunities to disadvantaged and at-risk local Thai and migrant children so they will be empowered to change their futures.

OUR MISSION

To provide a safe environment where vulnerable and at-risk Thai and Burmese children will have access to education, health care and life skills, empowering them to change their futures.

OUR VISION

Restoring children to God, transforming them into leaders influencing their world.



Children who live in extreme poverty face many barriers to education including:

- Dropping out of school early to work or to add to the family income, or care for younger siblings
- Low skills and education levels of parents - low family income and therefore inability to afford school fees or transportation
- Disruptive family circumstances (separation, children left with grandparents, alcohol or drug abuse by parents)
- No birth certificates

SNAPSHOT

START

Asia Center Foundation is a
Christian charity registered as a
Non-Government
Organization(NGO) on Phuket since
2001.



TEAM

We are governed by a Board of Thai
and International board members.
17 local Thai, full time staff as well
as 2 International volunteers.



PROJECTS

Patong Childcare Center(Cornerstone) : 2002 –
ACF Scholarship Fund: 2005 –
Safe House: 2005 –
JumpStart Learning Center Burmese children: 2008 –
2019
Lifeskill and Mentorship Program: 2009 –
Health Care Program: 2017 –
CovidCARE|projects: 2020 -



FUTURE GOAL

Building a permanent education
and life skill center to address
the needs of the disadvantaged
community on Phuket, Thailand.





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Our Current Programs

AREAS WE MAKE A DIFFERENCE

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AREAS WE MAKE A DIFFERENCE

ACF manages different projects addressing the needs of children-at-risk
and disadvantaged children focusing on the following:

EDUCATION

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Cornerstone Learning Center
Scholarship Program



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LIFE-SKILL DEVELOPMENT

ACF Youth Mentorship Program
Swimming
Football



CHILD PROTECTION

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Safe House
Personal safety / self
protection / Water safety



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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Health Care
Emergency Food
Covid Skills development



ACF's MAIN PROJECTS

Cornerstone Learning Center (CLC)

Free, play based, early childhood education for children age 4-6 from disadvantaged family situations. Currently 40 children attend the Center.

Goal: To use play based education and life skill activities to prepare children for Primary school education





The Safe House

The Safe House is a boarding project for children whose parents are not able to provide consistent daily care for their children.

This project cares for 10 children by a Thai house parent couple who provides transportation to school, food and overall care while setting an example of a normal family.

Goal: Child safety, counseling and ongoing education until completion of high school

Scholarship Program

The Scholarship program provides financial assistance to 100 children who face financial and social problems between the ages of 7 to 21 in 26 different Thai primary and high schools as well as university.

- * Sponsoring a pre-school child requires THB6 000 (USD 190) per year.

- * A primary or high school child requires a once-off yearly donation of THB10 000 (USD315).

- * University students can be sponsored annually for THB25 000 (USD 789).

Goal: To prevent early drop outs and encourage tertiary level education



Life Skill and Mentorship Program

The Lifeskill program focus on walking alongside children who are on ACF's Scholarship program, as well as children from the wider community between age 10 -17, by providing life skill, sport, music and mentorship opportunities.

Goal: To develop life skills and leadership abilities by using the 'Leader in Me' program based on the 7 Habits of Effective People for Teenagers (Stephen Covey)



Health Care and Emergency outreach Program

This program provides basic healthcare and general check ups for all our children attending CLC, as well as those who are sponsored and their direct family members.

Emergency food support is also provided where needed.

Goal: To assist older care givers with basic health checks to ensure they stay able to care for their grand children, and to provide assistance with food where necessary.



CovidCARE projects

In response to the Covid crisis ACF started 2 projects to help parents connected to ACF with new opportunities for employment if they lost their employment:

- * **Vegetable Garden skills development project** : Parents work for a daily wage in the garden

- * **Equipment-on-loan**: ACF provides basic equipment for food preparation on loan

Goal: To assist parents with low skill levels with employment, training and development so they can generate an income to feed their families.







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New School Project

CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Overall land layout plan

NEW FACILITIES

Overall land layout plan

ACF is building a Pre- and Primary School and Youth Center facility in Kathu to address the needs of the disadvantaged community living in Kathu and Patong on 12 RAI of land that was donated in 2006.



Cornerstone Learning Center



In 2017, the Learning Center was completed.

The rest of the building project includes an English curriculum primary school (double medium), the ACF office and administration center, a Youth Center as well as another safe house and volunteer accommodation.

Kitchen and multi - purpose Dining Room



This building was completed in 2018 and is used for lunch as well as staff, parent and youth group meetings

Safe house

A Safe House has been completed on the school premises in 2019. Currently ACF is looking for new house parents.

This house will accommodate 10 children attending Cornerstone Learning Center.





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OUR NEEDS

ACF IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Why Partner With ACF?

OPTIONS: HOW YOU CAN HELP ACF

WAYS YOU CAN DONATE

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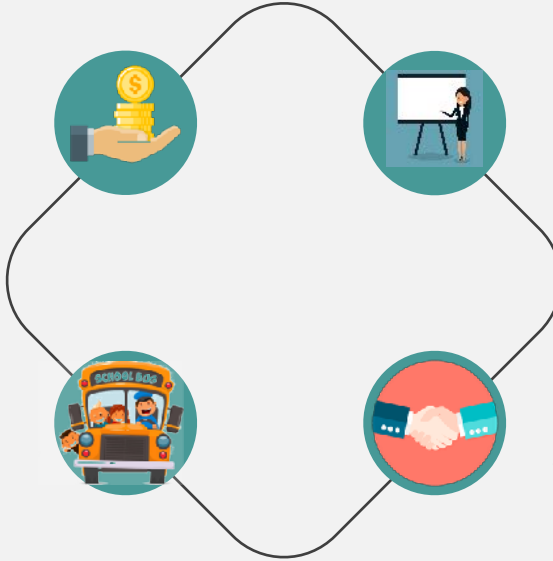
ACF LONG TERM AND IMMEDIATE NEEDS

SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

Financial and/or practical assistance to build 3 primary school buildings in order to continue the education options provided to disadvantaged children

NEW SCHOOL BUS

ACF's Songteaw school bus is currently becoming too small to provide transport to learning center and youth group participants.



MONTHLY SUPPORT

ACF requires regular monthly support towards: Scholarship and University Fund Mentorship and Life Skill program(7 Habits training)

Vegetable garden wage expenses

PARTNERSHIPS

ACF is looking for local and international partnerships and can provide opportunities for businesses to involve their staff in community work or CSR activities

OPTIONS: COOPERATION BETWEEN ACF AND ROTARY Patong

- * Match grants towards building expenses for the 3 primary school buildings**

Next building to be build THB8,500 000 / USD 274 194

(Donors will be recognized with a plaque on each building sponsored)

- * Provide Project Management for the next building project**

- * Donate building materials for the next school building**

- * Become a regular ACF donor by making once off yearly donations or support ACF's work on a monthly basis**

- * Support ACF's Youth mentorship program by sponsoring the 7 Habits training for 4 Youth program staff and 20 Teenagers - THB150 000**

- * Sponsor a Child's education from Pre-school to University**

- * Self sustainability projects: Vegetable garden and Chicken coop(egg production) project set-up**

WAYS YOU CAN MAKE DONATIONS:

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**Thank you for helping us to make an
impact on vulnerable children's
lives!**

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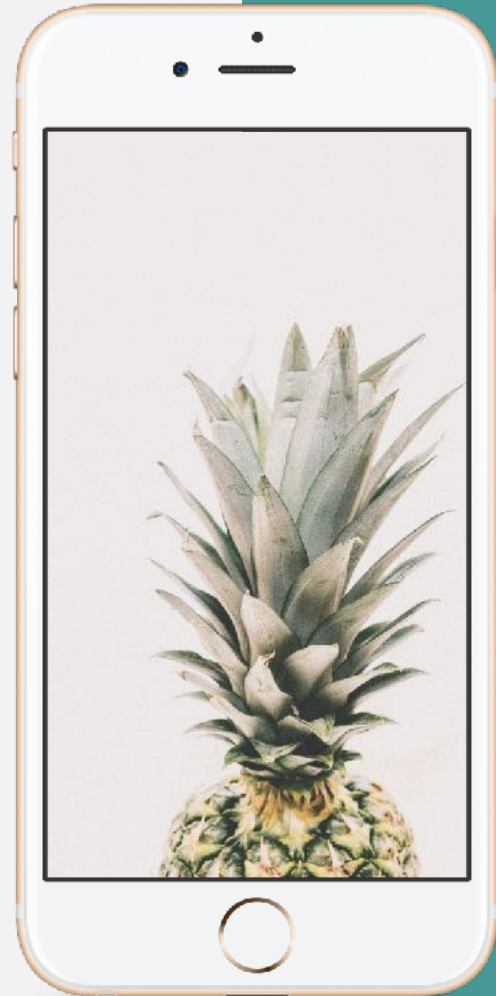
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