



Engaging the community in fund management builds local capacity and ensures long-term sustainability.



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Previously, many parents had nowhere to leave their young children when heading out to work in the fields. But since the project constructed the new kindergarten, enrollment has steadily grown. What we see today is deep community trust: parents feel confident leaving for work knowing their children are in a safe environment, cared for by teachers, and provided with warm meals prepared by local cooks.

“Community participation is strong – parents primarily contribute their labor by helping to construct the school, excavating land, and building school fences. Looking ahead, to ensure sustainable management after the project closes, the Village Education Development Committee has planned a household contribution of 20,000 LAK (0.89 USD) per family / year to fund our school lunch program.”

The Village Education Development Committee received comprehensive capacity training in fund management, bookkeeping, and financial planning. Driven by transparent and participatory management, the community has successfully built its own fund, now exceeding 70–80 million LAK (3,127 USD – 3,573 USD). These funds are continuously dedicated to sustaining the school lunch program and improving school infrastructure.

This revolving fund is maintained through collective community administration, income generated from farming and livestock groups, and systematic bookkeeping.

For Mr. Khampoun, sustainability is not about relying on project budgets indefinitely—it is about empowering local community members to manage their resources and jointly take responsibility for their children's future.



After attending the training, we feel 100% confident in managing our funds. Our team consistently establishes monthly work plans, supported by a structured cash monitoring and financial record-keeping system



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