



# Make A Difference

## A Whole School



### Description

BFT was founded because children in Angkor Park were selling trinkets to tourists instead of sitting in classrooms — because there was no school they could safely reach. Twenty years later, that barrier still defines the lives of children in the most remote villages of Siem Reap and Banteay Mean Chey. Your donation builds a complete local school — the right number of classrooms for the community, determined through a socio-economic survey BFT conducts in every village before a single brick is laid — complete with furniture and full fit-out. In villages where the nearest school can be 25 kilometres or more away, this isn't just an investment in education. It is the difference between a future and no future at all.

### Your Impact

In many of the villages where BFT works, 60% of children leave school to help their families farm, fewer than 2% ever complete high school, and the average household earns somewhere between \$300 and \$400 a year. A school changes all of that — not overnight, but permanently, and across generations. Over 20 years, BFT has built 137 classrooms across primary, secondary, and high schools in the region, and the 4-year sustainable village development program has created significant, measurable change in nine communities — with entire villages moving from crisis-level poverty toward genuine self-sufficiency. Together with our Learning Centre programs and university scholarships, BFT has directly supported the education of more than 15,000 children across rural Cambodia. Your donation adds to that track record. BFT's integrated model wraps every school in trained local teachers, health programs, and economic development support — so the building doesn't just stand. It becomes the engine of a community's permanent transformation.



### Costing

| Item                       | Cost            |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Construction & Materials   | \$67,600        |
| Furniture (Desks & Chairs) | \$7,000         |
| Labour & Fit-out           | \$21,900        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>               | <b>\$96,500</b> |

*\* Cost may vary \$60,000–\$100,000 depending on number of rooms*



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