

ANJALI'S NEWSLETTER



REOPENING SCHOOL

After 21 months of closure, we finally reopened our gates for in-person learning. It has been an amazing change of atmosphere. We love having our students back enjoying all that we have to offer. At last, the children have had the chance to rekindle their friendships, interact with teachers, and see the new changes to Anjali, including a revamped playground and bigger classrooms.

Despite free public education, parents are faced with supplementary costs to ensure their child can return to school. Students received their school supplies and school uniforms. A special thank you to [HE Space Children's Foundation](#) and [South East Asia Foundation](#), allowing us to distribute these materials to our students. In addition to school supplies, we are thrilled to have received 20 bicycles, 20 food packages and 50 female hygiene kits to supply our students and families from the [South East Asia Foundation](#)!

The Young Explorers

The Young Explorers have dove into their lessons. Reviewing and refreshing their skills as they head into the new year. Gardening started off spicy, growing chili peppers, and creating art out of the nature around them with land art. In English, the Kindergarten class reinforced their phonics skills and letter recognition, while elementary focused on self-introductions and descriptions. Socheata, our new social worker, conducted a handwashing workshop to make sure everyone knows how to wash their hands properly!



The Future Leaders

The young adults continued their English courses and developed graphic design posters using Canva in computer class. We do not only equip our Future Leaders with hard skills, but also critical skills that will ensure they thrive academically and professionally. Future Leaders had a fantastic time camping at the magical Kulen Mountain. They also had a day focused on communication and project development where they did some activities and began conceptualizing their community service projects.



FUNDRAISING UPDATE

We have two weeks left for our annual fundraiser! We are nearly 40% to our goal, can you help us get further?? No donation size is too small.

After two years of school closures and seemingly never-ending financial hardship, schools and borders have reopened in Cambodia. Anjali House has been supporting its families through food packages and cash transfers.

Now, the center is reopening. With your help, we will be able to continue with its programs for the 200 children who spend their days learning, playing, and having fun at Anjali House in 2022.

You can donate via [Chuffed](#), or our [Paypal](#). If you are a UK donor, you can donate via [Globalteer](#) and we will receive Gift Aid!

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ALUMNI FOCUS

Anjali House has been open for 15 years. We love seeing [the lasting impact our programs have had on our students' lives](#). We are continually amazed by the perseverance, dedication, and commitment they have to not only improve their own lives, but also the lives of those around them. Kosal is one of these amazing students. He agreed to share his story with us. In the midst of finishing his university degree and developing his own start-up – we are excited to see where he goes!

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