

Girl's Profile: Loeurng Sokleap



(This is a photo of Loeurng Sokleap captured in front of her aunt's house.)

Sokleap is a 13-year-old, student in 5th Grade at the Sunnyside School, located at Prasat village, Prasat commune, Prey Chhor district, Kampong Cham province.

Sokleap is the first child in the family. There are two children in the family. Her father's name is Lorn Lon. He's 47 years old. Her mother's name is Muong Sok. She is 46 years old. Her parents have left her for many years. Her parents have no their own farmland.

Nowadays she lives with her aunt and uncle. Her aunt's name is Moeurn Sokha. She's a farmer and she's a local tailor, too. She could earn \$100-160\$ per day. She has to feed her two children and Sokleap as well. Her uncle-in-laws is a building worker, he could earn \$4-\$5 per day. His daily wage is very low to support the whole family.

Her aunt hopes that Sokleap could finish her study in the future and can live by herself and help support her brother. Her aunt feels happy to get to know there is scholarship for her niece. She will let Sokleap to study everyday and encourage her to succeed.

Sokleap is an active student. She always walks to school and walk back home because she doesn't have a bike. At home she helps her aunt's housework looks after her brothers and take time to study more by herself. She commits to try to study to become a teacher and get salary to support her brother her and his brother.

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