



Xavier Science Foundation Inc KKKK Project

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GREETINGS!

Maayong Adlaw! (Good Day!)

We are the Xavier Science Foundation Inc. – Kaabag sa Kalambuan pinaagi sa Kabtangan sa Katilingban (KKKK) Project working with ChildFund Philippines and supported by Taiwan Fund for Children and Families.

We're currently based at Cagayan de Oro City in the country of Philippines. The project started at 2002 as a project of Southeast Asia Rural Social Leadership Institute (SEARSOLIN). Currently, we are serving 1,129 children in 5 barangays.

We will be showcasing the project's program being implemented in the community for fiscal year 2019 and the history and culture of the city. -KKKK Team

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OUR PROGRAMS

The KKKK Project has 4 major programs implemented in the F.Y 2019. Here's a brief detail from each program implemented in each appropriate age level:

Life Stage - 1 (0 - 5 years old)

The LS - 1 program focuses in ensuring the nutrition, health, children's education and access to early childhood development which its overall goal is healthy and secured. The following are the major programs accomplished for LS - 1;

1. 506 children are well-adjusted for successful primary education experience through Supervised Neighborhood Play (SNP) in home-based and center-based.



2. 354 households established backyard vegetable gardens to augment availability of nutritious food at home and to support the nutrition program of the SNP groups in improving the nutritional status of children providing fresh, nutrient packed and easily accessible vegetables.



Life Stage - 2 (6 - 14 years old)

The LS - 2 program focuses in enhancing reading through identity, culture and heritage (ENRICH) which its overall goal is confident and educated children. The following are the major program accomplishments for LS - 2;

1. A total of 6,954 children successfully improved their reading and arithmetic skills through the strong support of Department of Education in school-based and community-based.



3. A total of 447 children participated through Community-Based ENRICH tutorial session
4. 387 children exercised reading and computing during their Community Manage Savings and Credit Association (CoMSCA) operations with the integration of numeracy modules.



Life Stage – 3 (15 – 24 years old)

The LS – 3 program focuses on alternative life-long skills which its overall goal is skilled and involved youth. The following are the major programs accomplished for LS – 3;

1. Approximately 819 youth heightened their awareness on Adolescence Sexual Reproductive Health (ASRH) rights both in school-based and Community-based.
2. 175 youth also accomplished in attending the business and entrepreneurship skills training.



Cross Cutting Program (Endogenous Child Protection Mechanism) – Families and Local Organization

In the CCP Program, the project focuses in strengthening the network between families and local organizations in their communities to promote development and protection for the children. The following accomplished programs are;

1. A total of 5 partners forged for partnership between parent organizations and organizations that pursue programs for child protection and development
2. 5 barangays also maintained their integration of disaster risk management in their program.
3. A total of 884 children received school supplies as they entered school year 2019-2010.



Did you know?

Cagayan de Oro (abbreviated as C.D.O.) is one of the most important cities in Mindanao. It is the capital of the province of Misamis, Philippines, and the regional center for Northern Mindanao (Region X).

It is also tagged as **The City of Golden Friendship** because of the friendly, hospitable, and precious people or more known as, **Kagay-anons** who constantly offer a warm welcome to every person they meet. This has been one of the special traits of Kagay-anons in which, we Filipinos can be proud of and fortunately, this trait can be passed on from generation-to-generation.



Participants poses with their themed costume during the Higalaay Festival Street Parade. (Supplied photo)

Among all the ethnic groups of the area, **Higaonons** are the least known located at northern and central regions of Mindanao. They are described as the **“people of the living mountains”** and **“people of the wilderness.”** In fact, their name is derived from **higa (to live or reside)**, **goan (mountain)**, and **onon (people)**. The culture of the Higaonon tribe can be best described as one of peace for solving the internal conflicts of other ethnic groups.



Two Higaonon smiles with their tribe costume during the Higalaay Festival Street Parade. (Supplied photo)



“As a peer tutor - being confident, friendly, and energetic to your fellow children can maintain their participation during Child Development session. – Jellian

“The (K K K K) project able us to meet other children and participate programs that creates friendship to one another. – Roldamz & Sheryl



“We’re once shy if we see each other at school. But with 4K (K K K K), we’re able to boost our confidence and lead our program trainings in the community. – Precieuse, Princess & Jasmine

THANK YOU SPONSOR



THANK YOU, DEAR SPONSOR!

For the support and sponsorship you provided for us to achieve, participate, and learn on the programs that we implement and not just for the us but also to our families, siblings, peers and communities.

We really appreciate your valuable and continuous support to us in helping improve our lives, promote our well-being and educate ourselves in reaching our own development potentials.

We hope that you continue supporting us in the near future.

Once again, Daghang Salamat! (thank you)

-KKKK Children-



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