

building a better world for children



World Vision is a Christian relief, development and advocacy organisation dedicated to working with children, families and communities to overcome poverty and injustice.

World Vision serves all people regardless of religion, race, ethnicity or gender.

In 2007, World Vision International

- > served more than 100 million people
- > worked in 98 countries
- > employed 31,000 staff
- > benefited 3.4 million children through child sponsorship
- > cared for 843,000 orphans and vulnerable children

World Vision Malaysia's aim is to raise funds for, and heighten awareness of, poor children and communities overseas. This is achieved primarily through Child Sponsorship, 30-Hour Famine and Gifts of Hope.

In 2007, we celebrated our 10th Anniversary by finding sponsors for over 5,000 children.

Currently, over 22,000 children are sponsored by Malaysians.



child sponsorship

Through its child sponsorship programme, World Vision carries out long-term, community-wide development projects.

These initiatives address the root causes of poverty and give children and families a brighter future.

Here are some real life examples...

food

Xinjiang, China | 31 farmers learnt to cultivate green-house crops, supplying vegetables all-year round!

water and sanitation

Yong Sheng, China | Toilets were built for 240 families.

health

Mya Nandar, Myanmar | 800 expectant mothers were vaccinated and given nutritional supplements

education

Singkawang, Indonesia | A new school was built for 131 students.

economic development

Bati, Cambodia | 24 women formed silk weaving support groups.

For detailed reports on World Vision's work in your sponsored child's community, please call (03) 7880 6414 or email admin@worldvision.com.my.



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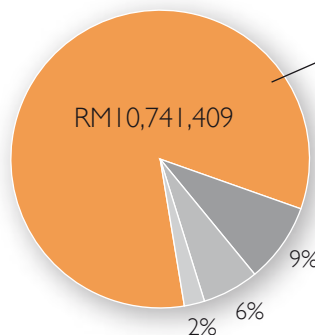
when she tells us how her village has changed since World Vision arrived.

The 17-year old Cambodian sponsored child and top student says, "(Now we have) roads, wells and proper toilets.

"Without World Vision, I would not have been able to pursue my education. It encourages me to study even harder."

financial highlights

Total Funds Received: RM12,939,456



83% of the funds received benefited children, families and communities in need.

68% Development programmes for children and communities

10% Emergency relief

5% Local Charities

9% Donor care & administration

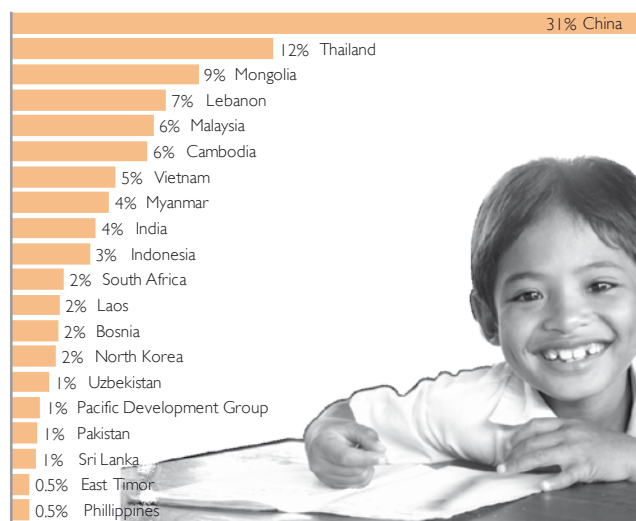
6% Fundraising & awareness

2% FY2008 community development programmes

World Vision's fiscal year 2007 was from October 2006 to September 2007. Our financial accounts are audited by Russ Ooi & Associates.

Funds Allocation according to countries

Total Funds Allocated: =RM10,741,409



30-hour famine

The 30-Hour Famine is a unique educational-cum-fund-raising movement. Participants fast for 30 hours whilst learning about the plight of children around the world. They also raise funds, transforming their hunger into hope for children in need.

The 10th Anniversary 30-Hour Famine garnered the support of over 10,000 partners. Over RM1.5 million was raised, bringing hope to children and families in Vietnam, Uzbekistan, North Korea, Thailand and Malaysia.



gifts of hope

Over RM400,000 worth of gifts were purchased for children and families in Mongolia, Bosnia-Herzegovina and Lebanon.

The children and their families were delighted with the practical gifts, which included winter jackets, wheel chairs, sewing machines, vegetable seeds, multi-vitamins and such.

Details available in Gifts of Hope 2007/08 Catalogue and <https://www.worldvision.com.my/goh/>

hope fund

The HOPE Fund was set up to prevent the spread of HIV/AIDS, and care for those who have been infected and/or affected.

In 2007, RM59,721 was raised, bringing care and support to Malaysians infected by HIV/AIDS (in partnership with local NGOs), and preventing the spread of the disease amongst the Myanmar migrant community in Phuket.

local projects

World Vision supports like-minded organisations to fight poverty in Malaysia. These are the local charities we assisted in 2007:

Children

- > Harvest Centre Bhd
- > Lawas Community, Sarawak
- > Miri Methodist Children Home
- > Pusat Bantuan Sentul
- > Pusat Kebajikan Good Shepherd

Challenged Individuals

- > Beautiful Gate Foundation for The Disabled
- > Bethany Home
- > Kenosis Home
- > Persatuan Kristian Shuang Fu untuk Orang-Orang Kurang Upaya Kuala Lumpur
- > United Voice

HIV/AIDS

- > Malaysian AIDS Coun
- > Malaysian Care



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