



# Anglo-Chinese School (Primary)

## Parent Support Group (PSG)

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12 November 2010

Dear Parents/Guardian,

### **ACS(P) PSG Family Trip to Cambodia (COSI Used/New items donation appeal)**

We are thankful that 44 people (parents, students & staffs) have stepped forward to join the ACS (Pri) PSG Family trip to COSI Cambodia from 7 Dec 2010 to 12 Dec 2010. We believe that this trip will be a rewarding experience for all, as we learn to take a moment of our time to share with the children in COSI.

COSI is an orphanage catering to 6 to 18 year old kids. Most of the children in COSI have lost their parents or were given up by families too poor to raise them. There are currently 120 children. It serves as a shelter and school to all of them. Most of the children in COSI would not have had an opportunity at education if they had not been brought in. Many rural families are not able to afford education past a rudimentary stage and children are often required to help out in the farming work from as young as 8 years of age.

COSI relies entirely on public funds to operate. The monthly budget of about US\$8,000 goes to food expenses, staff salaries, diesel for the electric generators, teaching supplies and a range of other needs. Though not a large sum, considering all this supports 120 children and more than 30 staff members, there is always a need for more.

As we are preparing for this trip, we are hoping to bring with us some items that are specifically requested by Rev Francis Lim. These items cater to the needs of the COSI children and the nearby villagers. We seek your help in raising these items for the COSI children.

The items requested can be either new or used (in good working condition):

1. School uniforms - small sizes 5 - 16 years esp. long pants, White Shirts.
2. Used clothes esp. jeans, t shirt and girls blouses - large quantities for relief work in poor villages.
3. School bags - 120 bags
4. Bath towels – 200pcs.
5. Slippers for ages 5 – 16.
6. Plastic tumblers for drinking water - 200pcs.
7. Foldable chair for staff room - 20pcs.
8. Used laptops for computer training room - 14 sets.
9. Airpots for boiled water - 5pcs.
10. Standing fans - 6pcs.
11. Electric kettle -plastic- 4pcs.
12. Used/New Bed sheets. (Single/Super single)
13. Stationeries.
14. Soccer Balls / Basket Ball / Badminton Rackets & Shuttle / Soft Volleyballs
15. Used Children/Teenager Clothings (Age 5yrs to 16yrs)



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**Collection Point:** Store beside the security post as we turn in to the car park from Barker Road.

**Collection Date:** 15 & 16 Nov 2011

**Collection Time:** 7.30am to 8.00am

Blessings,  
Alain Chan  
Outreach (Sub-com), PSG

Supported by:  
Danny Ng (Chairperson; PSG)