Institutional Booklet of AHHA Education Laos
“We believe in Foundation Education. The basic elements of an education which can help anybody, from any background build themselves a successful, happy and fulfilled life.”

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Our goal is to help students develop the AHHA skills to achieve their full human ability and full potential so as to overcome the full challenge of life.

A = Aura
positive relationships, helping others, community life, teamwork.

B = Belief
belief in self, never give up, learn from mistakes, take on new challenges.

C = Calmness
positive manner, no fear of mistakes, work well under pressure, problem solving.

D = Discipline
high work ethic, follow society’s laws, respect authority, fulfill responsibilities.

E = Education
plan for the future, check information, independent investigation and research.

F = Fairness
no double standards, be kind to others, compassionate leadership.

G = Growth
self-learning, dynamic leadership, project management, teaching skills.

H = Happiness
positive thinking, independent thought, see the good in all situations.

H = Humility
respect teachers, learn from one another, control of ego, take criticism well.

A = Appreciation
learn to show thanks, repay the help given to us, giving back to the world.
AHHA Education is an NGO which provides award-winning educational programs in the development of one’s potential. The progress of AHHA Education since 2000, have created a complex eco-system of educational opportunities for many.

VISION
It is our vision that every individual whom we can reach out to, will come to understand the purpose for which he/she was created, and will have the tools and platform to develop his/her potential in a scientific and holistic way.

MISSION
To provide high quality, scientific, practice-based and holistic education to the underserved.

OBJECTIVES
AHHA’s Education’s primary objective is to provide high quality and holistic education through a structured program of employment and life-skills, to disadvantaged youths who face barriers to education due to:

Poverty: Unable to afford basic or higher education

Aptitude: Unable to cope with learning because of the levels of concentration and IQ required

Prejudice: Deprived of education on the basis of gender, race, religion, sexuality, nationality etc.

Attitude: Cannot see the value of education or lack the principles, ethics and forethought required to persevere.
**IMPACTS**

- Educated over 250,000 students
- 15,000 STUDENTS taught daily
- Operating since January 2000
- 250 CENTERS since 2000
- 95% graduate employment rate
- Currently operating 50 CENTERS for community service across 4 countries
- Enrolled over 350 INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEERS
- Activities in 7 COUNTRIES
  - Currently operating in 4 countries
- Highly effective PROGRAMS & CURRICULUMS tested in many communities.
- Provided training to TOP 160 EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS of Thailand
- EXCHANGE PROGRAM FOR 400 STUDENTS
  - To Malaysia, Laos, Thailand, Singapore, India, Timor-Leste and Cambodia.
- Partially profit making contracts with THE GOVERNMENT
Dr. Madenjit Singh, also known as Big Teacher, is a scientist, innovator and teacher and has obtained an impressive amount of experience in the field of education and development in about 10 countries. He is also a certified trainer at SMCI Programs (Texas, USA), and was a senior lecturer at Norton University in Cambodia.

An entrepreneurial humanitarian, he has dedicated his life to encouraging, training and helping poor youths in poor communities to achieve much more in life. For over 30 years, Dr. Madenjit Singh has researched and tested new and innovative ways to teach underprivileged communities.

**AWARDS**

- Top 10 Finalist of Global Teacher Price 2015.
- Personality of the Year 2012, Better Malaysia Foundation.
- Co-winner, Asians of the Year Award, Channel News Asia 2009
- Notes as one of the top 100 Social Service providers in the world, Japan.

**RECOGNITION**

- Prime Minister of Malaysia, Tun Dr. Mahathir
- President of Timor-Leste & Nobel Peace Prize Winner, José Ramos-Horta
- Prime Minister of Timor-Leste, Xanana Gusmão
- King of Cambodia, King Sihanouk
- Ministers for Education Cambodia and Malaysia.

**BIG TEACHER**

“We must have a balance in life. It’s pointless living an unfulfilled life. We must make it a point to give back to others, especially to the underprivileged, irrespective of strata and religion.”
Big Teacher has discovered, researched and developed 4 of the most innovative programs in the world, which are: Science of Life®, Science of Language®, NGO Life® and NGO Set-up®.

**Innovative Programs**

**SCIENCE OF LIFE®**

**Goal:** develop a person’s potential  
**Impact:** 100,000 students

Big Teacher has founded, pioneered and now promotes a new system of education where a youth is trained in all the different disciplines of education – AHHA Skills – a way of life for the 21st century that is advanced, holistic and highly balanced. The ultimate goal of the program is for each individual to understand their full potential and develop all the AHHA skills in order to achieve full human ability.

**NGO LIFE®**

**Goal:** balance between a material & a service life  
**Impact:** 10,000 students

Through years of experience and dedicated service to humanity, Big Teacher has come up with an NGO Life Program. Students who have gone through this program are able to live a balanced life in which they earn money for their survival needs, and are able to do lots of social service and personal development.

**NGO SET-UP®**

**Goal:** confidence and skills to start own initiative  
**Impact:** 2,000 students

Big Teacher has taught and encouraged others to start their own initiatives in their communities, whether it be setting up their own school or NGO. He has shown them how to set up a system where earning money and social service can be balanced in order to develop communities.

**SCIENCE OF LANGUAGE®**

**Goal:** speak a language in a short period of time  
**Impact:** 150,000 students

Students acquire skills in Reading, Writing, Speaking, Listening, Conversing, Comprehension, Presentation and Critical Thinking skills. The program has been tailor made to consider the difficulties of students coming from disadvantaged backgrounds. Classes have a strong emphasis on practicing and using the language. The Science of Language program is currently offered for learning English, Korean and Portuguese.
6 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

BOARDING PROGRAMS

18 MONTH BOARDING PROGRAM

NON-BOARDING PROGRAMS

FREE YOUTHS DAILY CLASSES
FREE CHILDREN DAILY CLASSES
PARTNER PROGRAM DAILY CLASSES

TRANSFER OF SKILL PROGRAMS

GOOD CITIZEN PROGRAM
BRING BACK HOME PROGRAM
IMPACTS

Educated more than 3,700 students

300+ students taught daily

Taught our programs to government staff

Taught our programs in 10 public schools

Taught our programs in health institutes

6 centers since 2010

Exchange students: 75 received - 9 sent

Currently operating 1 center in Vientiane
BOARDING PROGRAMS

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Due to this, when youths become adults, they often suffer and are unable to live a happy and successful life.

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**18 Month Boarding Program**

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**OUTCOMES**

- **Better Employment**: double/ triple higher starting rate
- **Character Skills**: care/ help others/ give back/ upright character
- **Just & Moral Life**: do to others what you what do to yourself
- **Positive Impact on Family, Community & Nation**

**4 SEMESTERS**

**Semester 1: FOUNDATION EDUCATION**

Basic English, Science of Life, Living in a Community, Team-work, Moral Living, Building Confidence & Character, Computer, Math

**Semester 2: TEACHER TRAINING CENTER**

Pre-intermediate English, Science of Life, Basic Life-skills, Develop Self-esteem, Community Life, Concentration, Computer, Math, Songs, Teacher Training.

**Semester 3: TRAINEE COURSE**

Intermediate English, Life-skills, Community Development, Social Service, Teaching, Computer (Office skills), Basic Administration

**Semester 4: ACADEMY COURSE**

Advanced English, Advanced Computer, Life-skills, Academic skills (Business, Admin, Marketing, Job Employment, Management, Accounting).
NON-BOARDING PROGRAMS

FREE YOUTHS DAILY CLASSES

FREE CHILDREN DAILY CLASSES

PARTNER PROGRAM DAILY CLASSES
Free Youth Daily Classes are provided in our center. There we provide quality English and Motivation. The courses are offered to school-going youths, university students and company employees who want to learn English or Motivation.

Classes are interactive, student-focused, practice intensive and fun. Teachers and students often form friendships which enhances the learning experience.

The daily classes are carried out from Monday until Friday.

**ENGLISH**

Most of the students join the school to study English level 1. Upon completion they continue to level 2 (presentation & conversation).

**MOTIVATION**

By enrolling into the motivation program, students not only learn English, but also gain skills as comprehension and learn about potential.

**OUTCOMES**

- English speaking & conversation skills
- Better scores in public school
- Understanding & Realization about life
- Better job opportunities & work qualifications
AHHA Education Laos’ Free Children Classes teaches children the English language, creativity, compassion and moral values in a fun way. Children learn through a variety of mediums and early interaction with peers helps them to develop social skills at a young age. Our classes are focused in developing a strong foundation in the child’s character and in nurturing a child’s potential.
Our partner program is a partnership between AHHA Education Laos and various hospitals, nursing schools or other departments where education is needed. We also had partnership programs with public schools. We provide our educational programs (mainly English) for 1-2 hours a day. Classes are given for free and students enjoy the extra support they are getting from our programs.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS
[the program has finished]
Children and youths received English education which improved their overall results in public school, especially in their classes and exams.

NURSING SCHOOLS
We’ve delivered our programs in 2 nursing schools. Our programs improve the students overall capacity and ability to perform in school.

HOSPITALS
We have taught English in 4 hospitals. Hospital workers could improve their communication and overall work-performance by learning English.

DEPARTMENTS
The Department of Public Work and Transport also received training from our side. They could benefit especially in the field of external relationships.
Live as if you were to die tomorrow; learn as if you were to live forever.

Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies.

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

Try not to become a man of success, but rather try to become a man of value.
Upon graduation, students have the choice to pursue their studies in AHHA Education Laos and enter the “Good Citizen Program (Local Volunteer Program)”. This program is the first building stepping stone to become a well-experienced teacher, manager and leader in the field of social service and community development.

Students of the program take on a range of responsibilities from being teachers to being in charge of the school operations, the school kitchen, school logistics and more.

Through these activities, they can learn management, planning, leadership, community-thinking and so on, which are important components of Big Teacher’s NGO Service Life and NGO Set-up program.

Not only do they learn different hard skills, they also practice different soft skills and continue to develop their AHHA skills in order to continuously develop their full potential.
Our Bring Back Home Program is a powerful educational program where outstanding volunteers get a 2 year placement in one of our overseas operations: Laos or Cambodia.

After getting a lot of experience and having developed many skills, the volunteers return to Timor-Leste and transfer their gained knowledge and skills to Timorese youths for another 6 months.

Upon completion of the ‘Bring Back Home Program’, students will be rewarded with an Action Learning NGO Bachelor Degree in Language & Development studies.

What do students gain?

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