

EMBASSY OF JAPAN  
IN THE KINGDOM OF CAMBODIA

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**JAPAN PROVIDES TOTAL OF US\$272,877 FOR IMPLEMENTATION  
OF THREE PROJECTS**

Under Japan's economic cooperation framework, the *Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects* ("KUSANONE" Grant), the Government of Japan provides US\$272,877 to 3 recipient organizations. The Grant Contract was signed today between H.E. Mr. KUMAMARU Yuji, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the Kingdom of Cambodia, and representatives of the recipient organizations, which would carry out the following projects:



1- The Project for Constructing a School Building at Beung Thong Primary School, Bavel District, Battambang Province (US\$88,034)  
Recipient: Battambang Provincial Department of Education, Youth and Sport

This project is to construct a school building equipped with school furniture and sanitation facilities at Beung Thong Primary School in Battambang Province. Under this project, more than 300 students will be able to enjoy studying at the safe and comfortable classrooms.

2-The Project for Constructing a School Building at Toul Krous Primary School, Veal Veng District, Pursat Province (US\$86,005)  
Recipient: Cambodian Organization for Children and Development

This project is to construct a concrete school building equipped with school furniture and sanitation facilities at Toul Krous Primary School in Pursat Province. This project will enable to provide more than 140 students at the school in an improved educational environment.



3-The Project for Constructing a School Building at Beung Thnot Primary School, Bakan District, Pursat Province (US\$98,838)

Recipient: Vocational Training for the Alleviation of Poverty and Social Development

This project is to construct a school building with sanitation facilities at Beung Thnot Primary School, Pursat Province. Under this project, around 430 students will be able to study at safe and comfortable classrooms.



*Japan's "KUSANONE" Grant Assistance* started in Cambodia in 1991 in order to support Cambodia's reconstruction and development efforts at the grassroots level. The assistance is aimed at promoting the human security of the vulnerable individuals, i.e. protecting them from such factors as poverty and misfortunes that directly threaten their lives, livelihood, and dignity, as well as at enhancing self-reliance of local communities. Since 1991, the Government of Japan has provided over US\$52.3 millions for local authorities and non-governmental organizations to implement 522 projects throughout Cambodia.



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