

New Horizons English Club

The English club is held once a week and provides an opportunity for university students and the general public to practice speaking English within a variety of special activities. These gatherings happen every Sunday morning between 8-10 a.m.

Community English Class

These English classes provide additional opportunities for primary, middle and high school and university students to learn and practice speaking English.

Currently, New Horizons has 28 classes a week that last for about 60 minutes. In the primary classes, volunteer teachers from native English speaking countries are assisted by local volunteer students in their communication with students.

Vocational Training program

New Horizons Project also wishes to help unemployed local young people to acquire skills that will increase their chance of finding long-term employment. Currently, in partnership with a local organization (REACH), the project is helping several people gain access to training in:

Hospitality, Web and Graphic Design, Sales and Marketing, Hairdressing, Nail art

It is early days and the project is currently seeking ways to identify those courses of most interest to the unemployed youth and to how best facilitate the uptake of these courses by the locally unemployed

Summer Program

In order to meet the demand of studying English with native speakers in the area as well as building up an extra activity for students during their Summer holiday, New Horizons organizes Summer Program with English courses available for students in different English levels varying from Primary School to High School. Each course is organized within 10 lesson under the instruction of foreign volunteers.

The program takes place in the first week of June annually. This year, it is expected to start on 9 June.

Schools support program

This program aims to provide schools with extra resource for English teachers. It seeks to help teacher with their own English skills, assist in the teaching of conversational skills and also to encourage an English speaking environment for the students.

Native English- speaking volunteers are allocated to schools to assist the Vietnamese English teachers by helping them with conversation activities and pronunciation in English classes. The teachers also welcome the opportunity to further improve their own English skills.

There are 9 schools in the area involved in this program. So far, we have been working official with 3 schools (2 primary schools, and 1 secondary school).



Who we are

New Horizons Project is a partnership between FMSI and CSDS, and provides the disadvantaged youth in western Hanoi, specifically Quoc Oai District, with necessary support. The project seeks to address the needs of the local Vietnamese youth in English Education, Vocational Skills Training and access to Employment Opportunities.

The project was officially launched in August 2012. So far, after nearly 2 years being with Quoc Oai residents, New Horizons has established, implemented and developed many programs and activities to support the local community:



Mission Statement

New Horizons stands with the young people of Quoc Oai, particularly the most disadvantaged, as they step into the future in their rapidly changing world.

It seeks to provide them with increased educational opportunities and to widen the horizon of life's possibilities.

By fostering strong positive relationships between the young people and their teachers and guides, within an environment of cooperation, New Horizons specially encourages self-esteem and self-determination.

Through a variety of programs the participants are challenged to discover and nurture their skills and interests, and then to envision their future and courageously embark on it.





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