

Learning Tours for Students

Our centre is an exciting new visitor destination in Vientiane. In a beautiful garden setting, it is situated on Thadeua Road in Hadsayfong District, near the Friendship Bridge. Women with disability come from all over Laos to live and study here, gaining life skills and vocational training to empower them to set up an independent life. Students can learn about disabilities, how a non-profit organization works, enjoy educational games, make handicraft and meet some inspiring women. Funded almost entirely through donations, your tour will provide crucial support to help us continue raising awareness and enabling the disabled in Laos.

Students Tour program (2 – 2.5 hours)

Begin with a welcome by your guides, followed by a tour that explains the mission of the centre and the activities the centre is involved in. Each year, students from all over Laos come to learn life and business skills here and you can see how they live and study, and how the centre generates income from products made by them and the skilled teachers. Enjoy some games that demonstrate some of the challenges disabled people face, and learn to make fun paper products.

Format:	Tour (30 minutes) Games (30 minutes) Handicraft (30 minutes) Lunch (30 minutes – 1 hour)
Price:	30,000kip per student based on class of 30 students
Includes:	2 guides per group of 30 students Handicraft materials, students take home what they make Drinking water and Lao lunch

About the Lao Disabled Women's Development Centre

Established in 2002, the Lao Disabled Women's Development Centre is a non-profit organisation, run by women with disabilities, for women with disabilities and their families in Laos. The centre believes that everyone has unique abilities because everyone is different. Its mission is to empower women to engage their abilities through providing access to education and employment.

Since 2002, the centre has delivered vocational training to more than 400 women with disabilities from around Laos. It provides training in sewing, weaving, handicrafts, computers, healthcare, social development, small business, English and Lao language. These are offered as part of a nine month comprehensive training program at the centre and as short courses run in different locations throughout Laos. Each year up to 30 new students undertake the comprehensive training program and live at the centre during this time.

Bookings

Bookings are required, please contact us by phone or email. We are open Monday to Friday from 9am to 4.30pm and by appointment over the weekend.

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Directions

We are located close to the Friendship Bridge on Thadeua Road and on the way to Buddha Park. It is 20km from downtown Vientiane, the drive takes approximately 30 minutes.

