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Welcome



Welcome to Southbridge!

A message from our Chairman & CEO

Dear Parents,

May I extend to you and your children a very warm welcome to Southbridge International School Cambodia!

I feel privileged and honored to be a part of this strong and vibrant school community - a community that pursues excellence in teaching and learning whilst nurturing the social and emotional needs of students to support them to become confident and resilient individuals.

We pride ourselves in providing a school with a warm, safe and happy environment where students feel welcome and are cared for. Our aim is to provide opportunities that extend and challenge every student to exceed their potential and achieve personal, social and academic success.

I invite prospective parents and students to visit our school and see the great learning opportunities in studying at Southbridge International School Cambodia.

Let us continue to seek growth and opportunities for a safer, healthier, and kinder place to nurture our future leaders and nation-builders.

Again, we welcome you to Southbridge International School Cambodia!

Neak Oknha Kith Meng

Chairman & CEO
The Royal Group of Companies

Southbridge International School Cambodia

Your child's academic success begins here!

Southbridge International School Cambodia was founded to serve a community that is quickly becoming an epicenter of Phnom Penh's economic transformation. Our school culture reflects the diversity and dynamism of its surrounding neighborhoods. Like these neighborhoods we build, we adapt, and we grow.

Our school currently caters for Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary and Secondary students ranging from Nursery (2.5 years old) to Grade 12 (19 years old).

We are guided by a respect for tradition as well as a firm understanding that the world can be made better through the transformative power of new ideas.

Our Vision

- To be Cambodia's leading school that offers both International and Khmer education.
- To be the center of a caring community which values diverse cultures and success.

Our Mission

- We inspire students to develop their own high standards of academic excellence and personal growth through engaging and exciting teaching and learning.
- We bring together all members of our community to celebrate our students' journeys and their contributions to the world around them.

Why choose us



Why study at Southbridge?

A first class English-Khmer bilingual international school in Cambodia

Southbridge offers a unique bilingual programme with excellent learning facilities and a strong curriculum that enables your children to achieve their full potential and prepares them for future success.

Southbridge international curriculum sets a global standard for education, and is recognised by universities and employers worldwide. Our curriculum is flexible, challenging and inspiring, culturally sensitive yet international in approach. Our students develop an informed curiosity and a lasting passion for learning. They also gain the essential skills they need for success at universities and in their future careers.

The best choice for high quality education and great learning environment

Southbridge offers students the newest and most up-to-date facilities in Cambodia including the materials and resources that allow the teachers to deliver the highest standard of education to the students.

- ✓ Full Cambridge international curriculum certified
- ✓ Talented, experienced and international teachers
- ✓ International outlook with local relevance
- ✓ Career and University Counselling Programmes
- ✓ Complete facilities with modern learning equipments
- ✓ Large campus and healthy school environment (natural green space)
- ✓ Owned and operate by Royal Group – One of the top and fast-growing conglomerates in Cambodia
- ✓ A diverse culture in a caring community and more!

Students Attributes

Our curriculum is designed with the Cambridge learner attributes in mind. The five attributes are our way of recognising that students need to develop attitudes and life skills throughout their education, as well as academic skills, in order to be successful at university and in employment.

Southbridge learners are . . .

- ✓ Confident in working with information and ideas,
- ✓ Responsible for themselves, responsive to and respectful of others,
- ✓ Reflective as learners, developing their ability to learn,
- ✓ Innovative and equipped for new and future challenges, and
- ✓ Engaged intellectually and socially, ready to make a difference.

RESPONSIBLE

CONFIDENT

ENGAGED

INNOVATIVE

REFLECTIVE

Our Teachers



We teach. We inspire.

Dynamic & Experienced Educators

SISC teachers are committed to supporting the continuing improvement of the quality of educational outcomes for all learners following Cambridge programmes in schools around the world.

We recognise that classroom teaching has the largest impact on the quality of educational outcomes. What teachers know and do makes the differences in improving student learning outcomes – their knowledge, pedagogical practices and relationships with students. In support of this, we have developed the Cambridge Teacher Standards to define key characteristics and practices of effective teachers.

Teaching and Learning

We provide professional development for teachers to continually improve their performances and practices throughout their careers. We encourage teaching practices that develop the ability of students to reflect on their learning.





Early Years Programme

Our Early Years curriculum is designed around different topics. Each term, students have a different science or social studies unit which they focus on. Within this topic, the teacher teaches all the other subjects in a cross-curricular manner. Students are given time to be creative and innovative during drama and role-playing and rhythmic and music time. We also designate time for sensory and fine motor skills and for core subjects such as language arts (English), maths, art, music, library and P.E.

Topics and learning goals guide the teachers' planning. Teachers use many sources and other available activity guides, materials and resources to plan their lessons.



The International Early Years Curriculum (IEYC) is an innovative research-based curriculum, recognizing global best practice and the developmental needs of 2½ - 5 year olds. It supports key areas of learning through holistic enquiry and play-based approaches encompassing all curriculum areas including personal, social and emotional development.



Cambridge Education

International curriculum
Challenging and inspiring students worldwide

The curriculum at SISC is based upon the programmes of the University of Cambridge International Group, starting with Cambridge Primary and moving through to IGCSE, AS and A Level in the senior years.

We provide a full Cambridge programme for 5 to 19 year olds with the university entrance qualification of Cambridge Advance Levels for the older students.

International recognition
A world famous qualification

How does the Cambridge Pathway help students applying for universities?

Success in Cambridge qualifications often gives students admission to the world's best universities – in the US, Australia, Canada, Germany and beyond. Cambridge qualifications are accepted and valued by universities around the world, including MIT, Harvard and Cambridge. They are recognised as qualifications that prepare and equip students with the skills they need to succeed both at university and beyond.

Cambridge Pathway

A clear path for educational success from age 5 to 19

Cambridge Primary Age 5+

Curriculum and assessment for 10 subjects (Including English, Maths and Science)

Cambridge Lower Secondary Age 11+

Curriculum and assessment for 10 subjects (Including English, Maths and Science)

Cambridge Upper Secondary Age 14+

Cambridge IGCSE™ (70+ subjects)
Cambridge O Level (40+ subjects)
Cambridge ICE Certificate

Cambridge Advanced Age 16+

Cambridge International AS & A Level (55+ subjects)
Cambridge AICE Diploma
Cambridge IPQ

Primary Programme

Grades 1 - 5 (5 to 11 years old)

The Cambridge Primary is typically a 6-year programme for learners aged 5 to 11 years. The programme offers a series of subjects such as English as a first or second language, mathematics, science, ICT, global perspectives and arts.

The curriculum is flexible and we offer subjects available in any combination. At the end of the programme, students can take the Cambridge Primary Checkpoint tests, an external international benchmark for learner performances that provide feedback on learners' strengths and weaknesses before they progress to the next stage of education.





Secondary Programme

Lower Secondary

The lower secondary years are characterised by an increasingly focused approach with specialist teachers for all subjects. This ensures that not only are students developing their knowledge and skills but also they are prepared for the rigours of the examination courses which begin with the Cambridge IGCSE "International General Certificate of Secondary Education" from Year 10.

The final two years of schooling are dedicated to the Advanced Subsidiary and Advanced (AS and A) Level examination courses of the University of Cambridge. Recognised around the world for university entrance they offer students the flexibility of a completely free choice of subjects. So a student could specialise in the sciences, the arts or languages, or take a broad range of subjects from across different disciplines. As well as these high-level examination courses, SISC is also able to support students with different aspirations such as a focus upon developing English language skills whilst obtaining a school leaving diploma. We recognise that a dedication to academic courses is not the right fit for all, so we are flexible in our offering and support individual learning needs.

Upper Secondary

Wherever in the world your students want to go, help them get there with **Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)**. Cambridge IGCSE was created more than 30 years ago. Today, it's the world's most popular international qualification for 14 to 16 year olds. Not only is it truly international but also it gives students more options than any other international qualification. That means more subjects to choose from, more ways to learn and more ways to succeed.

Cambridge AS and A Level

The Cambridge Advanced Level is typically for learners aged 16 to 19 years. There are two routes for **Cambridge Advanced--Cambridge International AS & A Level**, and Cambridge Pre-U. In November 2019, Cambridge International Assessment announced the plan of withdrawing Cambridge Pre-U and the last examinations for all subjects will be June.



Khmer Education Programme

A rich culture and comprehensive native language

Southbridge International School Cambodia (SISC) provides a comprehensive wide range of Khmer General Education (KGE) from kindergarten to grade 12 that is fully accredited by the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport (MoEYS) of Cambodia. SISC is committed to providing the students with professionally qualified and well-trained teachers (pedagogical certificate is strictly required) with many years of teaching experiences. At SISC, students can be transferred officially from public and private schools with a certificate of equivalence, from kindergarten to high school level.

Early Years Subjects:

1. Psychomotrivity
2. Pre math
3. Khmer Language
4. Science
5. Social Studies

Primary Subjects:

1. Khmer Language
2. Mathematics
3. Science
4. Computer
5. Social Studies
6. Arts Education

Lower Secondary Subjects:

1. Khmer Language
2. Mathematics
3. Science
4. Social Studies
5. ICT
6. Arts Education
7. Health Education
8. Local Life Skills



Upper Secondary Subjects:

1. Khmer Literature
2. Mathematics
3. Foreign Languages
4. Home Economics
5. Physics
6. Earth-Environmental Science
7. Chemistry
8. Biology
9. History
10. Geography
11. Moral-Civics
12. ICT
13. Health Education



Extra-Curricular Programmes

Music & Arts

Music fosters creativities and builds confidence. It helps learners to express themselves and shows them the importance of communication as they learn to connect with other musicians and with audiences. Learners explore music as performers, composers and informed listeners. They make, understand and appreciate music from different cultures, times and places, helping them to develop leadership and collaboration skills as well as self-confidence.

Art & Design gives learners a platform to express themselves, sparking imagination, creativities and developing transferable skills. Students explore and push boundaries to become reflective, critical and decisive thinkers. They learn how to articulate personal responses to their experiences.

Physical Education and Sports

Physical education is a vital part of a balanced school curriculum. This subject is about learning to move and moving to learn. Learners develop skills through a wide variety of age-appropriate physical activities, including games, sports and dances. As individuals and team members, they will:

- ✓ Increase confidence, moving with increasing control, fluency and variety,
- ✓ Improve their understanding of concepts, rules, tactics, strategies and compositional ideas,
- ✓ Participate in respectful and responsible ways, engaging appropriately and safely,
- ✓ Improve knowledge and understanding of how physical education can contribute to a healthy and active lifestyle, and
- ✓ Develop transferable skills promoting physical, cognitive and social development and become independent, critical and reflective movers and thinkers.



Facilities

Modern & State-of-the-art features

Our campus provides students with a comprehensive list of features and facilities to cater to our students' learning needs and comfort during their years with us. We believe in creating an environment that is conducive for learning and development to complement our academic programmes.

We ensure that all facilities are built with high quality materials and adhere the highest safety standard.

Classroom: Every student's second home

We want our students to have that warm fuzzy feeling of belonging when they walk into their classrooms. That feeling doesn't come from a perfectly curated 'grammable space; it comes from a familiar and welcoming purpose-built space made with them in mind.

Our target class is size 24 students. SISC will number of students per class to 24-25. This limited number will allow the teacher to spend more time with each undividual student during the course of a day. If the number of students enrolled in any grade exceeds more than this, a new section of that grade will be opened.

Teaching assistants are available for classes ranging from nursely to grade 3.





Gymnasium

The gymnasium provides a dedicated space for physical education. Provide a clear ceiling height of 24 feet (7.32 m). Windows, light fixtures, and mechanical equipment that can withstand the impact abuse of balls. There are bleachers, student locker rooms and offices for the teachers as well.

Football Field

The largest greenery to our campus. This is where most of physical education programme and sports take place.

Because we care for the safety of our students, we especially have grown real Japanese bermuda grass which is safer than artificial turf.



Swimming Pool

We believe in the importance and many benefits of teaching swimming to a child. Students learn how hard work, discipline and dedication affect their lives both in and out of the water.

AT SISC pool, we provide a safer swimming environment, better year round facilities and more trained instructors.

Playground

Our playgrounds (3) provide space and structure for students socialization, imaginative play and physical activities. It supports children's needs to outdoor learning through play. SISC Playgrounds encourage physical activities, students' interactions, creativities and problem solving as well as contact and interactions with nature. It's all made of high-quality soft materials such as rubber or plastic for topmost safety.



Library

Our beautiful school library is a key resource in supporting the delivery of the curriculum for excellence and plays a central role in helping students gain the knowledge, skills and attributes needed for learning and life. Our library is well-stocked with wide range of educational reading materials as well as entertaining books that make reading more fun.

Computer Lab

Our computer lab is equipped with modern computers and up-to-date system to engage students in their learning through the integration of technology into every lesson.



Canteen

We made sure that our canteen space is big enough and have complete tables and chairs to accommodate all students during lunch / breaktime. Our canteen is also serving selected range of clean and nutritious meals. Our staffs are stricly following good food management and food safety.

Nurse Station

Our nurse facility supports not only physical care but also promotes health and wellness. Students experiencing illness or injury during the school day often report to the school nurse for assessment. We ensure that first-aid care is always ready and available.





Ready to enroll?

Welcome to a new and improved learning experience

Southbridge International School Cambodia welcomes children of all nationalities whose families are looking for and are committed to supporting a bilingual international educational curriculum in English and Khmer. Southbridge International School Cambodia is committed to providing an equal opportunity for all students to obtain and access an education founded with inclusion for everyone. The school does not discriminate against individuals on the basis of race, color, gender, orientation, religion, disability, nationality, background, or ethnic origin within its educational practices and admissions policies and procedures.

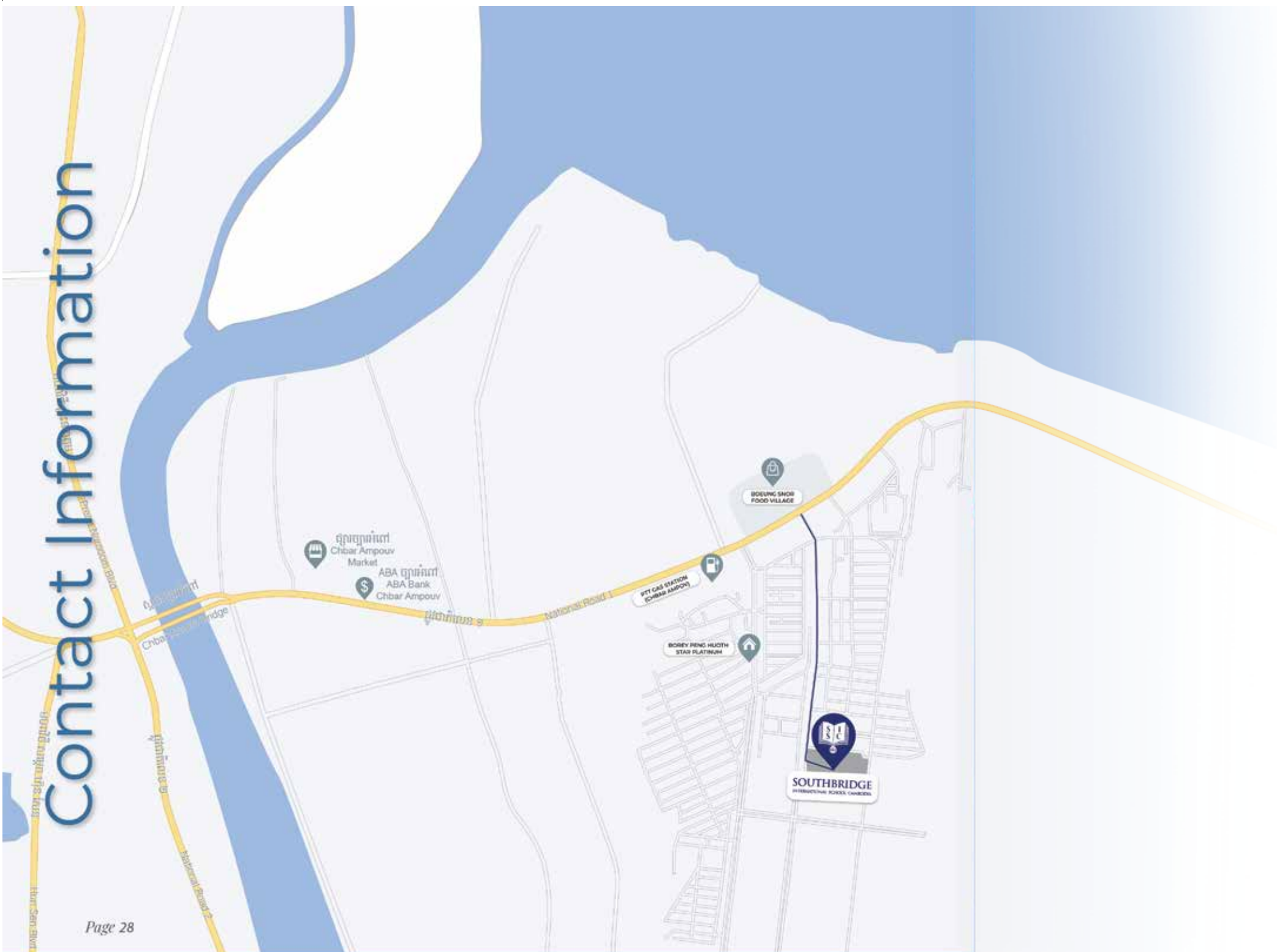
Enrollment Process

To apply to SISC, parents must provide the following documents:

- Completed SISC application form (available from the Admissions office at SISC)
- Copy of a birth certificate and/or passport (please show the original)
- Copy of school record/report from previous school
- Copy of vaccination report if any
- Provide the following photos:
 - Student** – Size: 4×6 and 3×4, 5 pieces each
 - Parents** – Size: 3×4, 2 pieces of each parent
- Letter of transfer if student is studying/studied Khmer national program at previous school and is admitted to SISC

We may also request additional documents we deem necessary to assess a student for entrance to SISC.

Once all the required documents have been received, the application will then be reviewed by school administrators and a child will be placed for test; Parents will be informed of the admissions decision.
All school fees must be paid in full before any child can start school.



Get in touch with us!

Discover more and exciting news

Southbridge International School Cambodia is perfectly situated in a verdant, healthy and comfortable community of Borey Peng Huoth -- A sophisticated housing development in the south of the vibrant city of Phnom Penh.

Our admissions office is open from 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday to Friday and 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, Saturday. Contact us for your inquiries and our friendly admissions staffs are happy to assist you.

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