



CORNERSTONE ACADEMY  
MANIPUR INDIA

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Dear Generous Friends of the Haokips and Cornerstone Academy:

Dr. Thangboi and Kimsi Haokip continue to champion excellent Christ-centered education for K-10 students in Northeast India's state of Manipur.

As you may remember, for at least two years of the COVID pandemic they valiantly housed and boarded nearly 100 children and gave them a valuable informal education in the Bible and other subjects. The number of regular students was up to 330 as school re-opened last year at their main campus in the fast-growing city of Pallel, and now, in their latest report, they indicate that those numbers are up to at least 400 students. The enclosed photo pictures a recent outdoor student convocation.

Thangboi reported to us recently about the reputation of Cornerstone Academy: "Our stand for hard work, honesty and integrity...is the talk of the town." Isn't that great?

Something else significant has happened in the past few months: After over 20 years of service in Indian government schools, Thangboi recently retired and now is able to devote his fulltime to building and growing Cornerstone Academy. Of his years at the government school, he wrote that he was able to "turn barrenness into blossoming." Recently, he conducted a three-day Gospel camp for the school, and the school received special recognition for their efforts in environmental education.

**If you are in the Twin Cities, please welcome Thangboi and Kimsi as they travel here in late August and early September after the Wilberforce International Institute Global Summit. Call me at 651-402-2600 to learn more about their schedule.**

Will you write a check now to help ensure Northeast India's poor children continue to receive a high-quality Christian education through Cornerstone Academy? **Your support is deeply valued and very important.**

With gratitude for your Christ-animated generosity on behalf of children in Manipur,



Bob Osburn, PhD

For the Cornerstone Academy committee: Dr. Joel Lawrence, Mark Stage, John Stage, and Dr. Bob Osburn

P.S. Please write your generous tax-deductible check to Global Horizons (note that it is for "Cornerstone Academy"). It will especially encourage Thangboi, whose father died in the past several months.