

## SUCCESS STORY – THOUNG CHANRATHA



Chanratha's is one of six children from a province 50km from Kampot . His father has passed away. His mother, occupied in raising a family, gets little work or income. The family is severely impoverished.

Between 2008 and 2012, Chanratha lived with an older sister in Kampot while he attended school. During this period he was assisted with a CLS scholarship which provided him with school supplies and uniforms. He also attended English classes at the CLS Evening School.

On completing school, Chanratha enrolled in a 4-year course in IT at a university in Kampot. Living in Kampot, he continues to share a room with his sister and presently works with the Kampot Environment Department. He hopes to eventually secure an IT job in the commercial sphere.

Chanratha is a child from a poor background who, with assistance from CLS, has secured a good education. This gives him the opportunity of a professional future far removed from the poverty of his childhood.