



## FAMILY INTRODUCTION SHEET

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Birla children's Village

Dear PSBI Sponsor,

On behalf of Pearl S. Buck International and our Country Office in Vietnam, we are very pleased to introduce Bui Dac Thanh Dat and his foster family to you. It is called foster family as Bui Dac Thanh Dat lives in an orphanage that cares for orphans and displaced children. Bui Dac Thanh Dat was born on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021. He has lost the source of nourishment because he does not know who his father is while his mother has been in prison. Thanks to support from Hanoi Department of Labor, Invalids and Social Affairs, he was turned over to live in the Birla Children's Village Hanoi in 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025. He has been living in the orphanage ever since then.

Bui Dac Thanh Dat is 4 years old with a height of 3'85" and a weight of 48 lbs. Thanks to housemothers' caring, he has been in good health condition. At present, he is studying in Hoa My Nursery school which is 300 meters far from the orphanage. Every day, housemothers take him to school and pick him up. At class, he is taught color, number and simple letters. He enjoys drawing, and coloring. In his free time, he plays soccer and plays toys with foster siblings. He loves eating candies and drinking milk. He is very cute and obedient so everyone loves him much.

Established in 1987 at Mai Dich ward, Cau Giay district, Hanoi city, the Birla Children's Village is a big house for orphans and disadvantaged children. Currently, there are 88 orphans, who are from 3 to 18 years old living in 4 buildings including C1, C2, C3 and C4. There are 6 housemothers, who live here 24 hours per day and take care of the orphans with all their heart and love, and from 24 to 27 children in each building. Each house has 2 floors; the 1<sup>st</sup> floor with a living room that has sofa and wardrobe and on top of the wardrobe is an altar to worship ancestors and 4 bedrooms; the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor with 5 bedrooms of which 2 rooms are reserved for 2 housemothers. Each room has 5 beds, 5 studying tables and chairs, 1 wardrobe for keeping clothes. Kitchen and dining room are located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor and by the stairs. Each month, the orphanage is provided by the Government with approximately USD 63 per child. This limited amount is not enough to cover nutritional expenses for the children with 3 frugal meals per day. Despite of many difficulties, the village manages to bring the best things for these disadvantaged children. The Birla Children's Village highly appreciates charity and donation from interested organizations and individuals to support the children.

With support from the housemothers, Bui Dac Thanh Dat is very happy to share his life at the Birla Children's Village with you. We hope that you will establish an everlasting and meaningful relationship with him and the rest of the children at the village. Thank you for your generosity and kindness.

Yours Sincerely,

Nguyen Thi Hanh  
Country Director