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### PSBU Student Support Schemes

PSBU has several initiatives aimed at supporting students from low- and lower-middle-income families, particularly those from rural areas of Cambodia, to ensure they have the resources necessary to complete their education. These efforts are directly aligned with **SDG 1: No Poverty** and reflect PSBU’s strong commitment to addressing inequality in access to higher education.

PSBU offers **fully funded scholarships** to all eligible students from low-income families, with a special focus on rural and marginalized communities. Since its inception in 2007, these scholarships have enabled countless students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds to pursue higher education, covering their tuition and other academic expenses. This initiative ensures that students who might otherwise be unable to afford university education have the opportunity to study at PSBU.

Additionally, PSBU provides **on-campus accommodation** free of charge for both male and female students. These dormitories, housing over 200 students each, offer a clean, safe, and secure living environment, reducing the financial burden of housing costs and eliminating travel barriers for students from remote regions. The university also offers **free Wi-Fi** to all students, further supporting their academic progress.

To ease the financial burden on students further, PSBU provides **free textbooks** and access to learning materials, ensuring that students do not have to bear additional costs for their education.

Moreover, PSBU has developed several student support services, including **guidance services** and **counseling programs**, designed to assist students in navigating both academic and personal challenges. These services are vital in ensuring that students from disadvantaged backgrounds receive the emotional and academic support needed to succeed.



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PSBU also offers **internship opportunities** through programs like the **PSBU Media Team**, where students can gain practical experience in media and communication while studying. This initiative helps students build skills that will be valuable in the job market, improving their employment prospects after graduation.

By offering comprehensive support in the form of scholarships, free housing, learning materials, guidance services, and internships, PSBU actively helps students from low- and lower-middle-income backgrounds overcome financial obstacles and complete their university education. These efforts significantly contribute to reducing inequalities in education access and supporting sustainable development in Cambodia.

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