

# A nurse from the local Health Promotion Hospital performed an annual medical checkup for all School for Life children.

On the 28<sup>th</sup> of May 2018, a nurse from the Sub-district Health Promotion Hospital, Doi Saket District, Chiangmai Province, came to School for Life and performed an annual medical checkup for all students. The medical check-up included physical examination and taking weight & height measurements of the children.

The physical examinations for the children included general appearance, throat examination, head & neck examination, and hand & wrist examination.

A yearly physical exam by pediatrician is an important part of child’s health care. Having a long-term history with a child gives the doctor the awareness of the child’s progress and development over time. This helps the doctor detect emerging problems.

For the teeth of the children, the dentists from Doi Saket Hospital come to School for Life every year and perform dental checkups for all children. They usually do some treatments at the school, for example, tooth extraction, filling and teeth cleaning, and make an appointment with the children at the hospital for other treatments which need a fully-equipped treatment room.











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