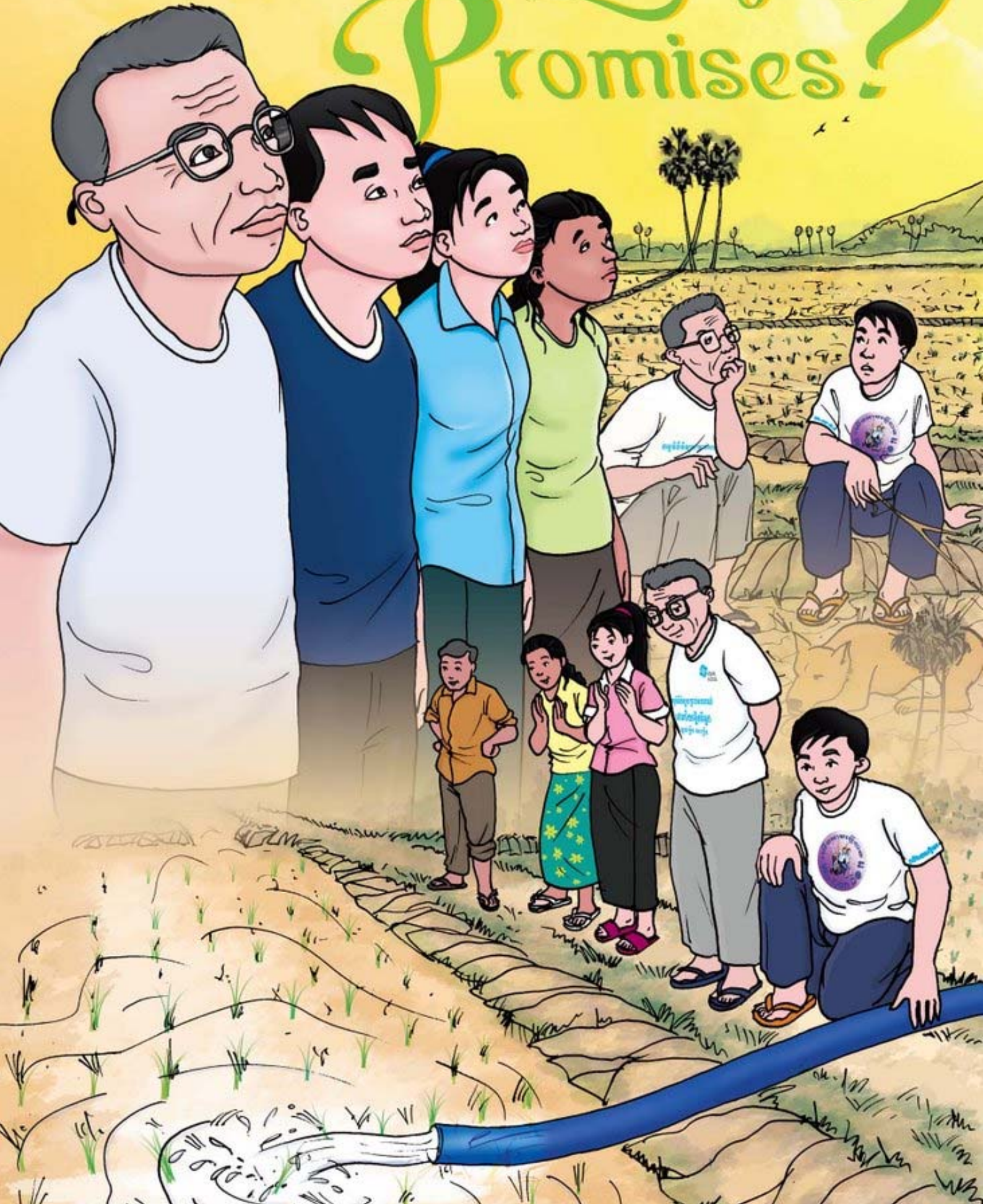
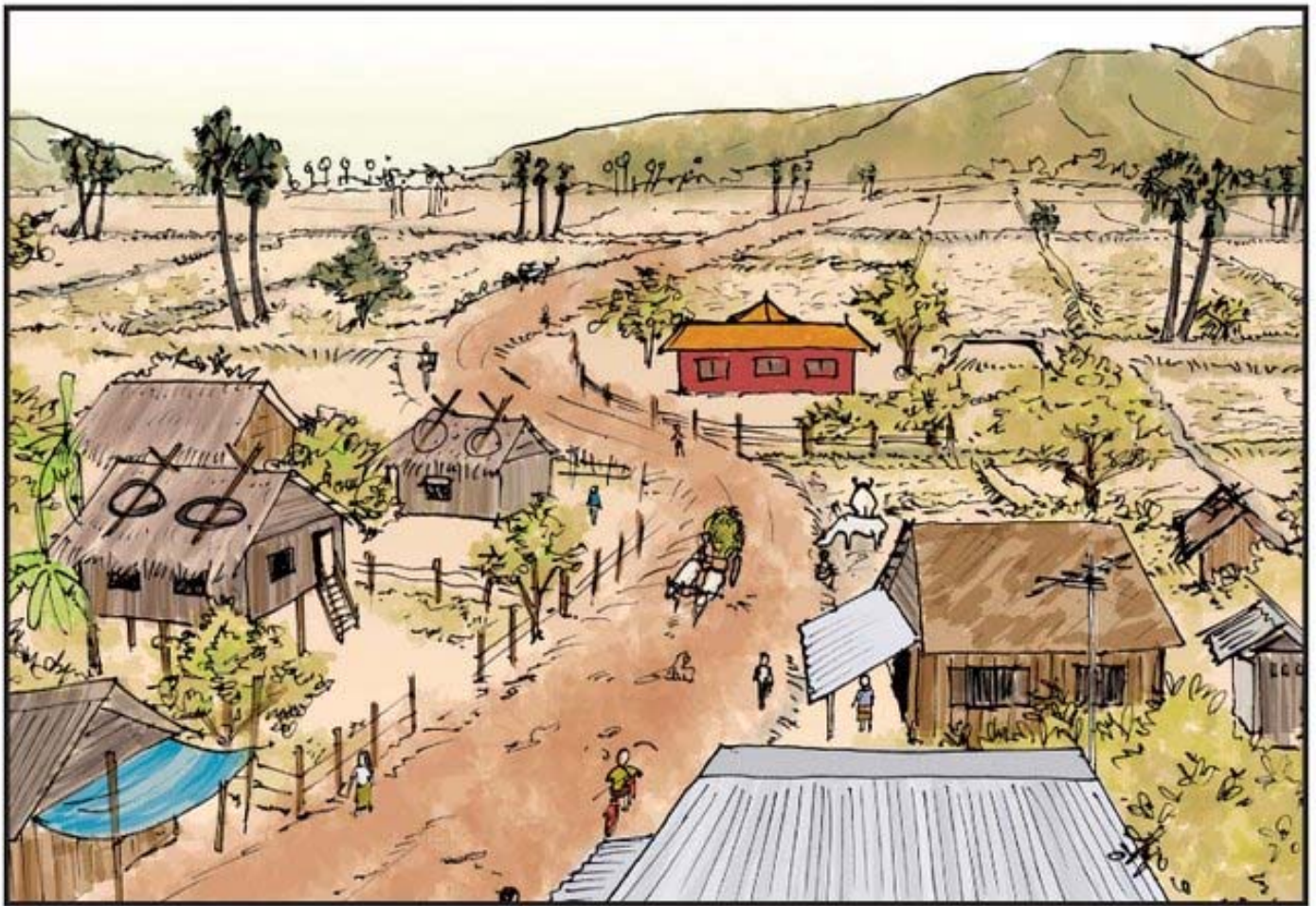


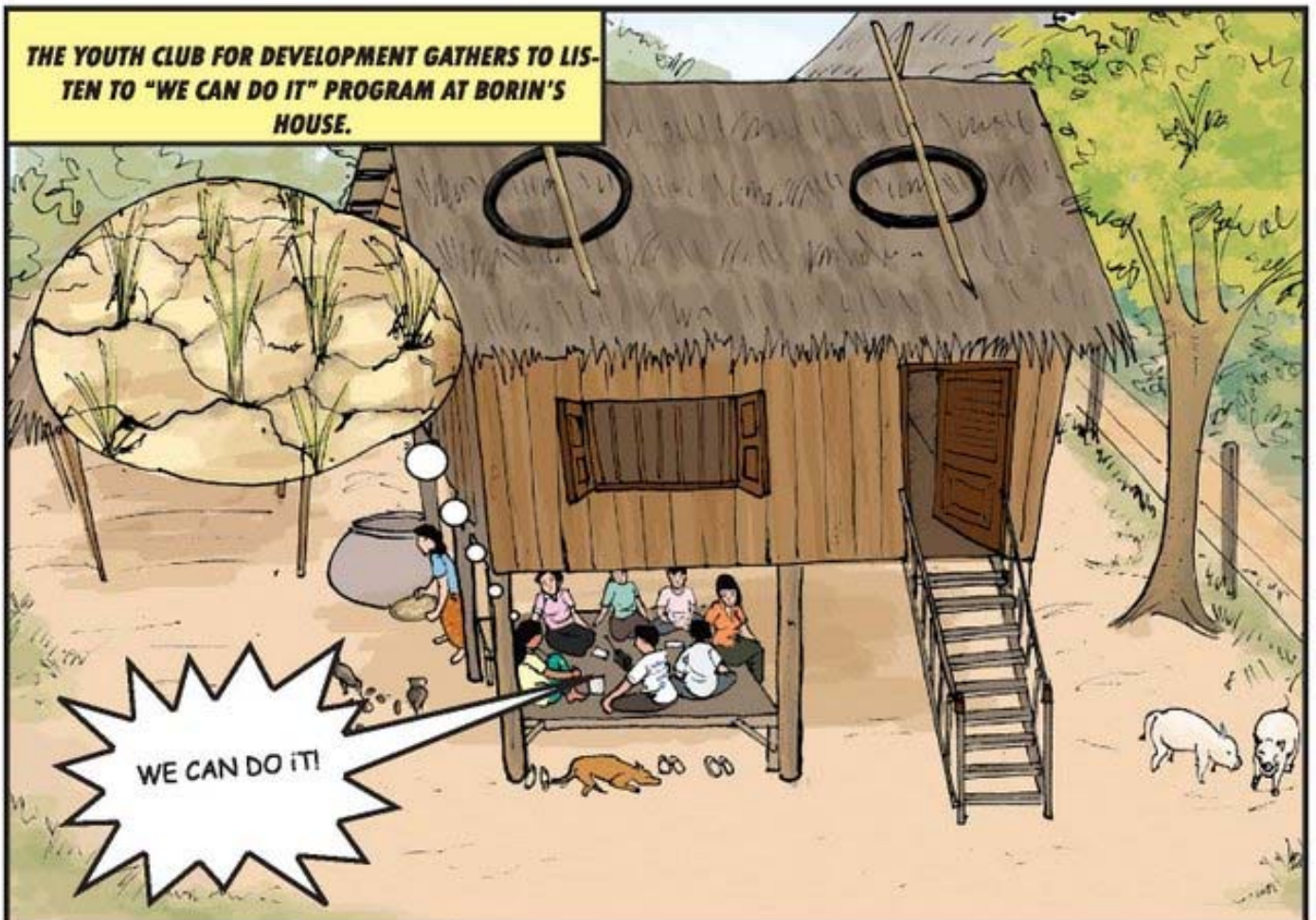
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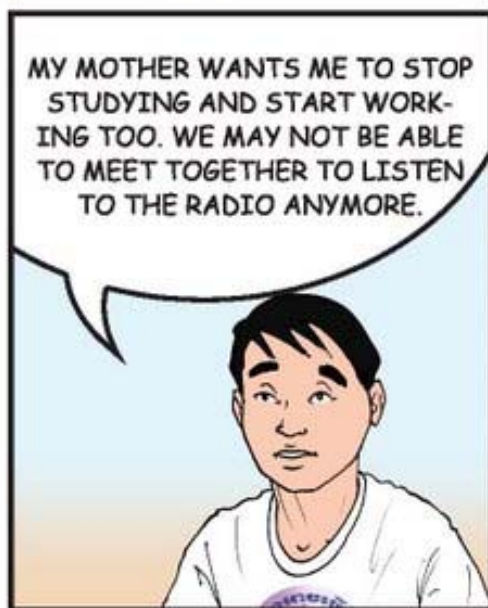
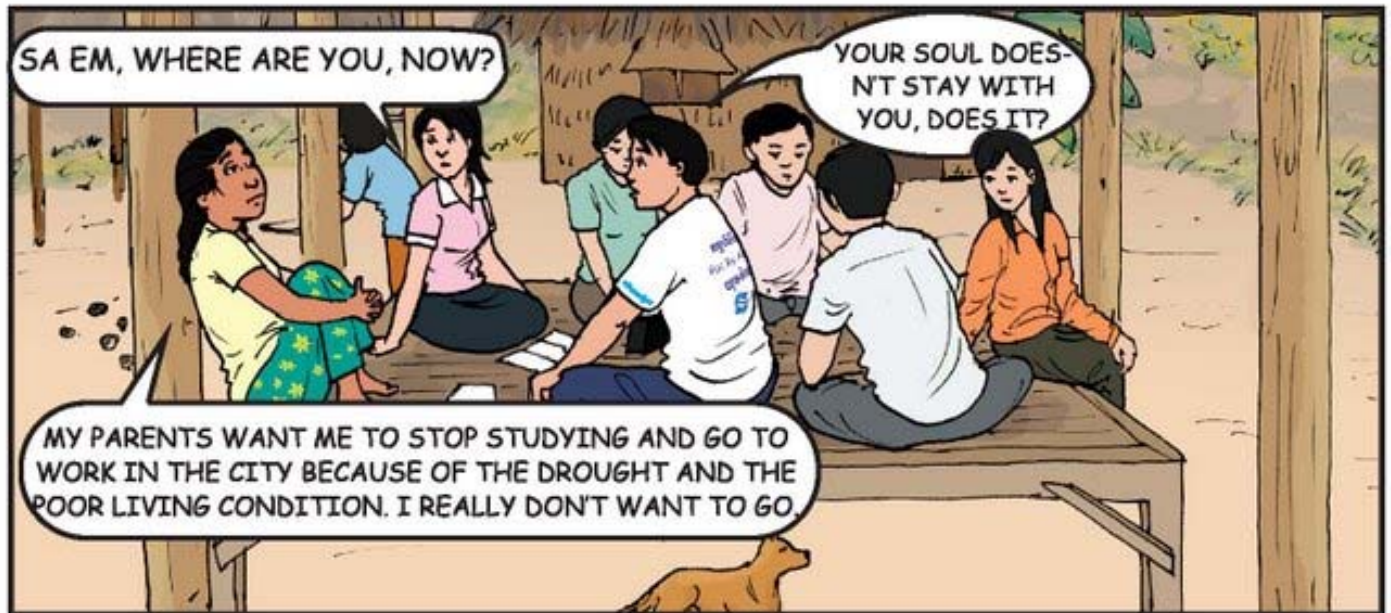


**SCENE 1: AT BORIN'S HOUSE AND IN THE EVENING.**

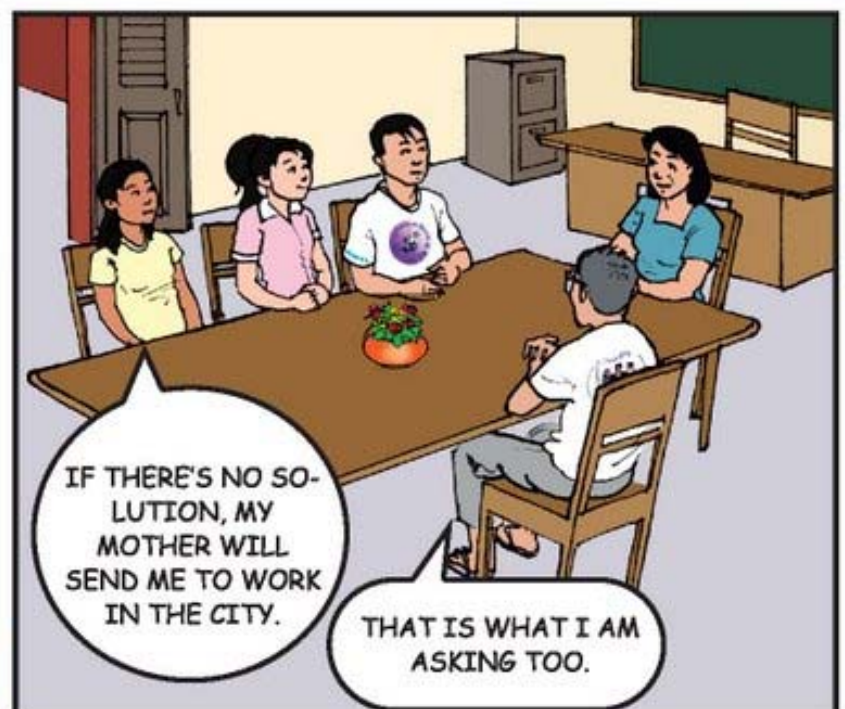


**THE YOUTH CLUB FOR DEVELOPMENT GATHERS TO LISTEN TO "WE CAN DO IT" PROGRAM AT BORIN'S HOUSE.**





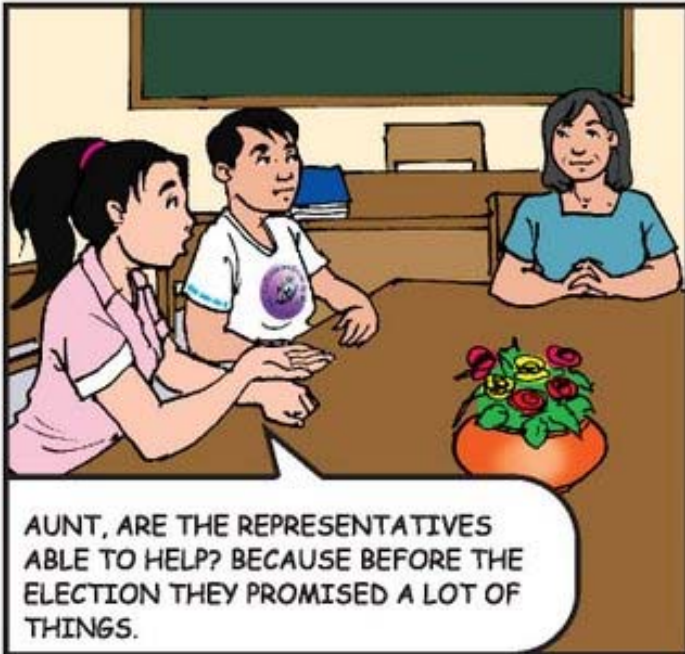
## SCENE 2: AT THE COMMUNE HALL



THE COMMUNE IS ALSO CONSIDERING ABOUT IT BUT WE DON'T HAVE ENOUGH BUDGETS TO DIG THE CANAL. WE WANT TO RAISE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THIS, BUT IT SEEMS THAT OUR VILLAGERS ARE POOR.



SO WHAT WILL WE DO?



AUNT, ARE THE REPRESENTATIVES ABLE TO HELP? BECAUSE BEFORE THE ELECTION THEY PROMISED A LOT OF THINGS.



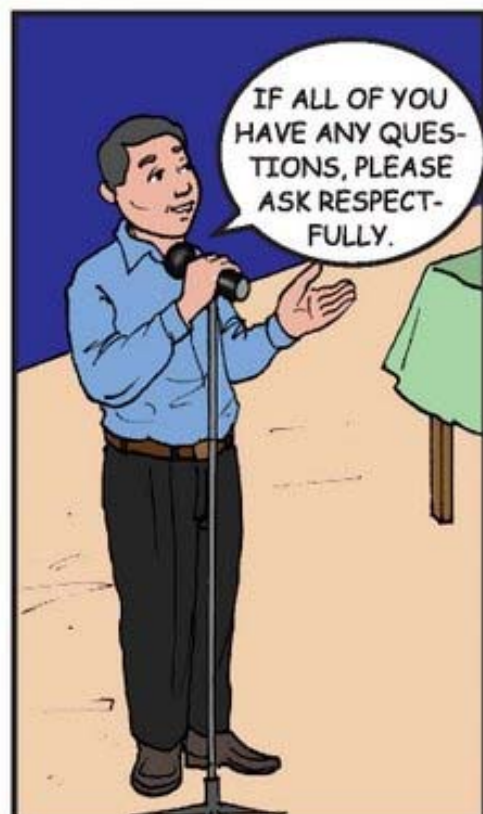
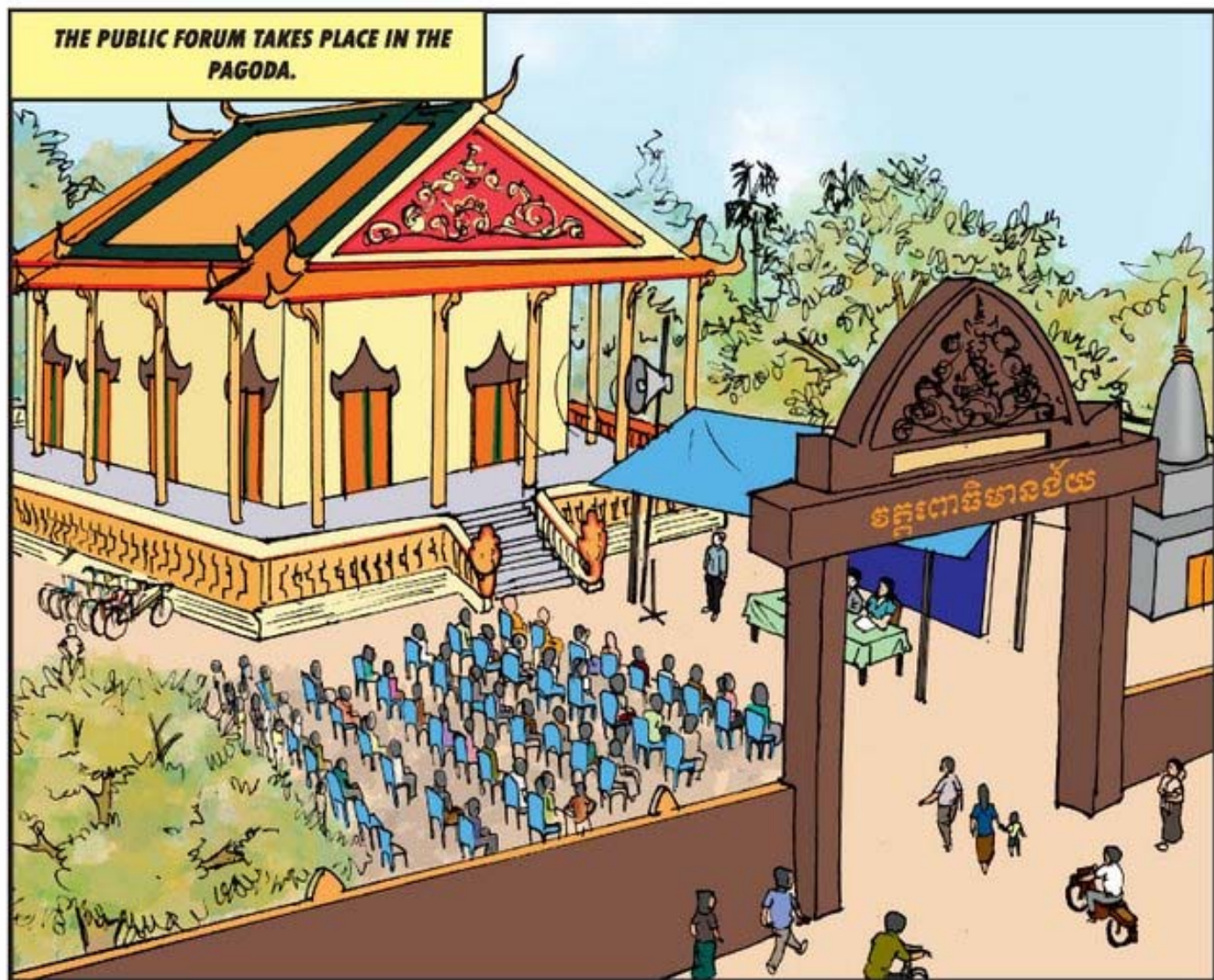
THIS SUNDAY ONE ORGANIZATION ARRANGES THE PUBLIC FORUM IN OUR PAGODA AND THE PARTY REPRESENTATIVES COME TOO AND THEN WE CAN ASK THEM DIRECTLY.

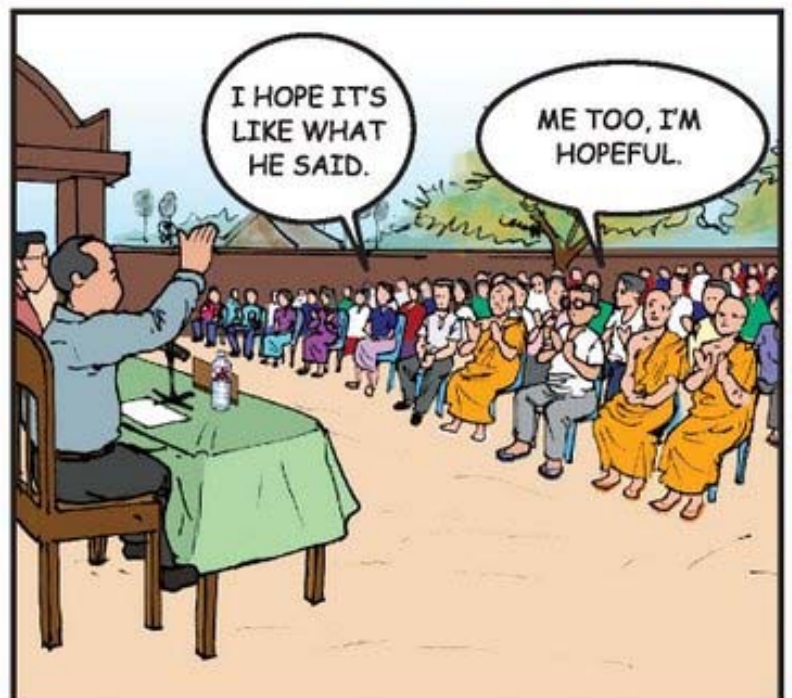
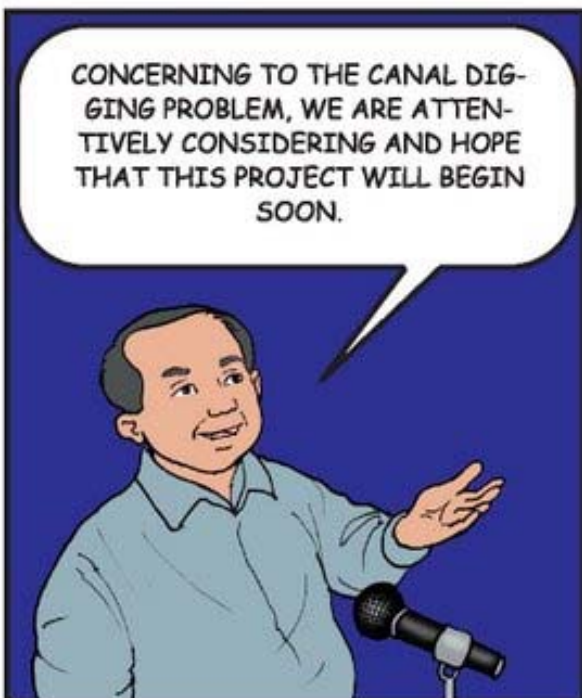
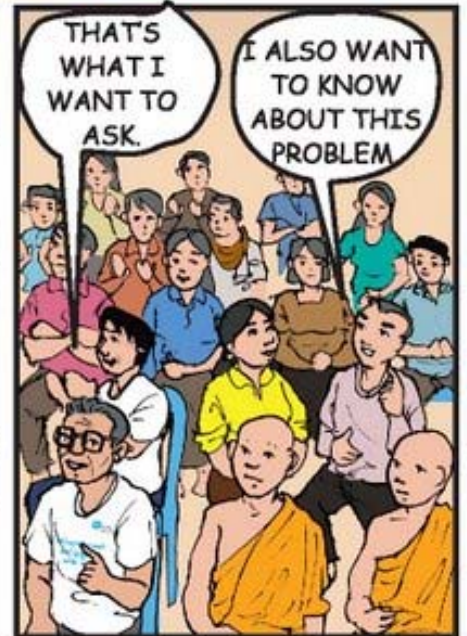


IF SO, IT'S GREAT.

THAT'S WHAT I WANT.

## SCENE 3: AT THE PAGODA



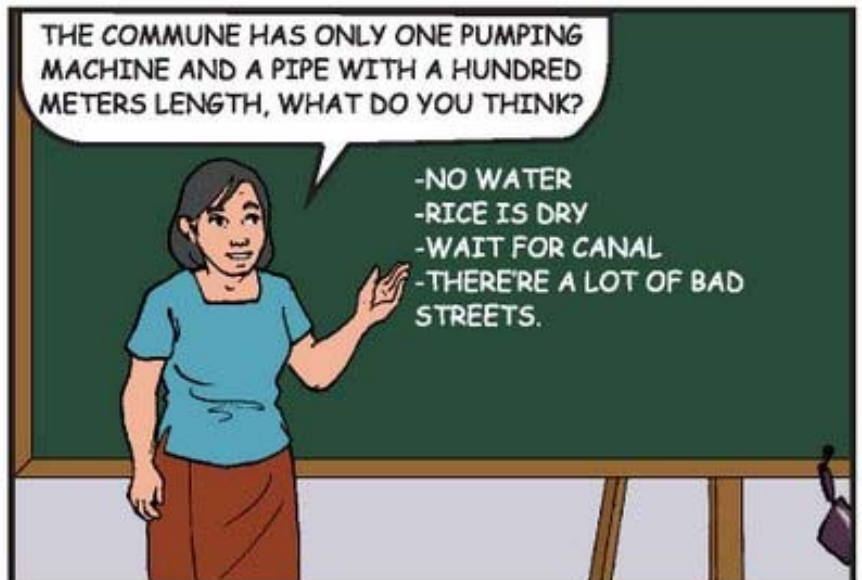
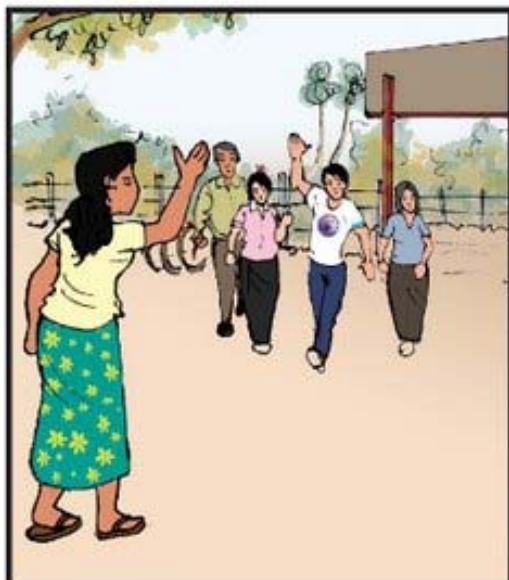
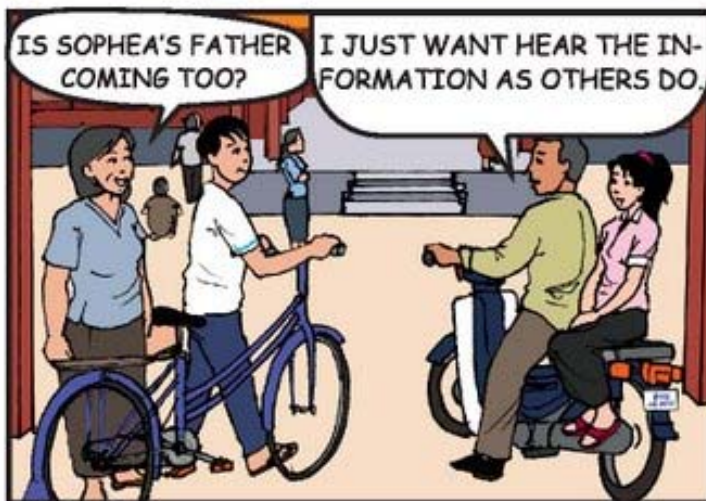


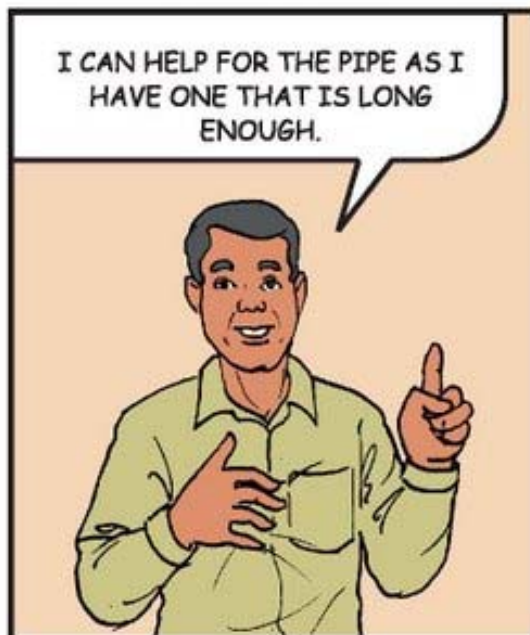
**SCENE 4: AT THE RICE FIELD, IN THE AFTERNOON.**





## SCENE 5: AT THE COMMUNE HALL





**SCENE 6: THE PEOPLE'S ACTIVITIES OF PUMPING THE WATER IN.**

**PEOPLE'S ACTIVITIES OF CONNETING THE PIPE.**



## SCENE 7: VILLAGERS' MIX ACTIVITIES

**BORIN GROWS THE MUSHROOM.**



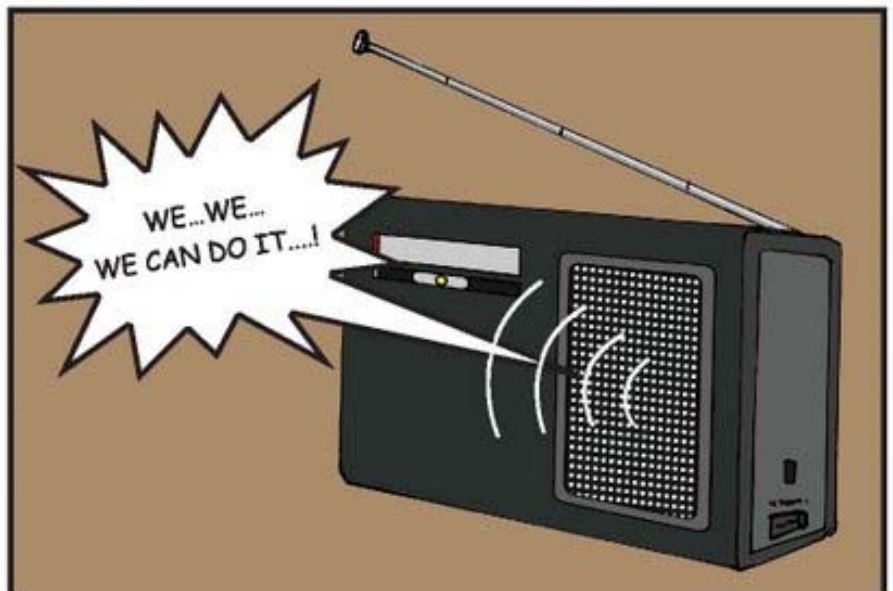
**SA EM'S FAMILY DOES EXTRA JOB FOR SUPPORTING THE LIVING.**



**THE RICE SEEDLINGS GROWS WELL.**

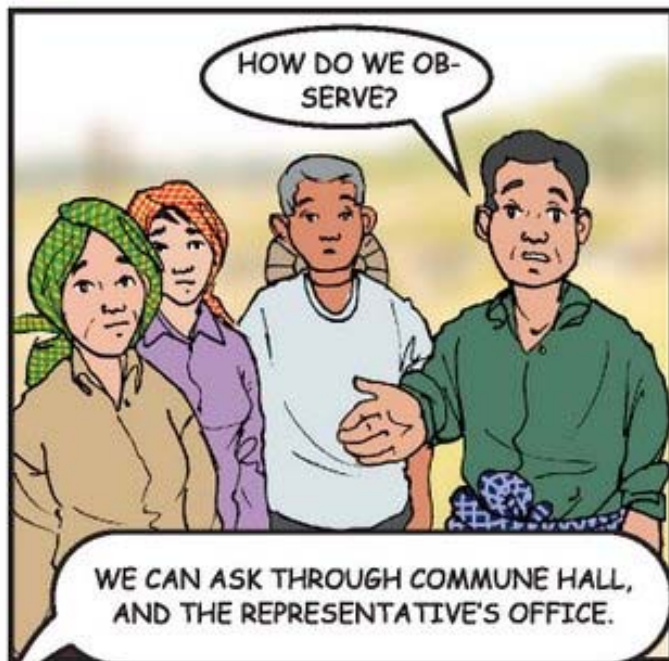


**SCENE 8: BORIN'S HOUSE IN THE EVENING.**



**SCENE 9: AT THE RICE FIELD AND IN THE AFTERNOON.**







### **Sopheha, 18**

She is clever, courageous and helpful. She was born to a middle class family so she can concentrate on her studies and help solve her friends' problems.



### **Borin, 19**

He is a responsible, an outgoing and a courageous guy. He lives with his mother and so is responsible for making money. He is also a listening club facilitator.



### **Sa Em, 18**

She is always sad and needs positive reinforcement. She is easily scared and surprised. Her family is poor, so it is her responsibility to solve any family issues.



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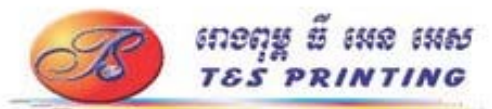
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# WAITING FOR PROMISES?



Sophea, Sa Em, and Borin are close friends. The three of them set up a listening club in their village with some other friends.

Because of poverty and drought, Sa Em's parents and Borin's parents suggest them stop their studies and make some money to help buy gasoline for the rice field waterpump. They are sad. Sophea is

their best friend. She encourages them to find solutions to their problems.

The villagers are waiting for help from their representatives. They were promised during the election campaign that an irrigation canal would be built if their representatives won the election. But the rice is starting to die because there isn't any water for the fields. What should the villagers do?