# Trinka and Sam The Rainy Windy Day

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Translated in Waray
for the children of Leyte and Samar
whose families experienced
Super Typhoon Haiyan
in 2013

## Hil Trinket ngan hi Sam Mauran ngan Mahangin nga Adlaw



No. of schools visited: 4

No. of books distributed: 490 (children who were absent were provided books as well)

## Caluctogan Elementary School

Barangay Caluctogan, Dagami, Leyte, Philippines Books distributed to Grades 1-6 (all students in the school)

December 6, 2017 (morning)



This was one of the schools where we pretested the Waray translation of the hurricane story. We returned to give each of the school's 130 students a copy of the final story/coloring book, a box of crayons and snacks which included apples. Most of these children come from indigent families. The apples, a rare and expensive treat, brought smiles to their faces, as well as ours!







The assigned teacher-storyteller projected the story on a screen while she read aloud from the book.





#### Explaining the Parents' Guide to the parents and teachers



The school Principal in front of her office.

The school area gets easily flooded even with light rain. In fact, it rained when we came and some of teachers wore boots.



#### The OPS team with the parents and teachers



## Mohon Elementary School

Barangay Mohon, Tanauan, Leyte, Philippines Books distributed to Grades 1-3, and few from kindergarten

December 6, 2017 (afternoon)

In 2013, when Super Typhoon Haiyan made its first massively devastating landfall in the area, 27 of the school's students perished. This structure in photo was built from foreign aid.







The assigned teacher-storyteller read aloud from the book and the students read along. She then quizzed the students throughout the storytelling.





#### Discussing Parents' Guide with parents and teachers





### Kapaingan Central Elementary School

Tacloban City, Leyte, Philippines
Books distributed to Grade 1 students
December 7, 2017 (morning)





This school is located in a heavily populated area in the city and served as an evacuation center during Haiyan. Unfortunately, the school was not spared the storm's devastation.

The flood
waters reached
up to the ceiling
above where the
group in photo
is standing,
causing the
evacuees to move
upstairs.





The teachers assigned to the storytelling were very creative. They prepared a chart with the enlarged book pages and told the story with matching sound effects of strong wind and rain. Prior to the storytelling they engaged the students in a Trinka and Sam puzzle-solving activity.







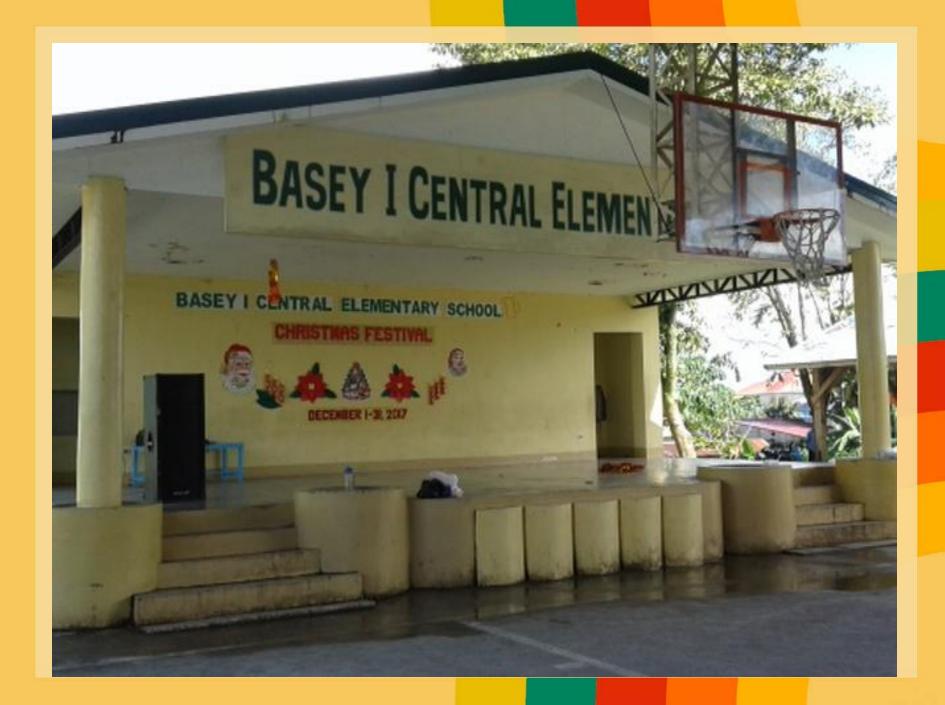




## Basey I Central Elementary School

Basey, Samar, Philippines
Books distributed to Grade 1 students

December 7, 2017 (afternoon)



Basey is known for its handwoven mats called "banig" which are made of palm or sea grass leaves.

The storytelling session was held at the gym and the children sat on colorful banigs spread out on the floor.





