

First of all, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all the participants who were volunteers, for their effort and time to make the Program a success! We would also thank those who stayed behind for their earnest prayer!



Jinping Teams



Malipo Team – Trainers, Trainees and Govt. Officials

This year we had three teams, two to Jinping and one to Malipo. As in previous years, the trainees in Malipo are local teachers. The trainees of one team in Jinping are local teachers, as in Malipo while those of the other team are high school students, first time we did this. Thanks to Mr. Andrew Lai, who is very experienced in youth camps, led this team. As in previous years, the Program ran in mid-July for 8 days in Jinping and 9 days in Malipo.

We flew to Kunming, the capital city of Yunnan. A new airport just opened at the end of June, farther away from downtown, though. We went to our destinations (Jinping/Malipo) with vans provided by Yunnan government. It took us 8 – 9 hours to arrive at Jinping/Malipo from Kunming. The conditions of the roads had improved, new highways, wider with more lanes, are under construction. They are expected to be completed next year.



New Airport



Road Construction

We enriched the English skills of trainees, especially listening, speaking, grammar and writing; and demonstrate to them the American teaching methods. We also played games with the trainees. During this short period of time, we made friends with the trainees as well as fellow trainers. We experienced love, joy, patience, kindness and perseverance in the Program.





After the Program was concluded, the Malipo team visited the students. We were touched by their hardworking although in difficult situation and their gratefulness for our support and care.



Donor presenting gift to the student

Most of the trainers expressed their interest in joining the Program again next year!