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### **US FORWARD OPERATING LOCATION (USFOL) IMPACTS FUIK STUDENTS WITH 'BIG BROTHER & BIG SISTER PROGRAM'**

On 24 Feb 2011, 22 volunteers from the 429th Expeditionary Operations Squadron located at the U.S. Forward Operating Location (USFOL) visited the FUIK community to interact with students. Volunteers helped students with homework and other extra-curricular activities. The main goal of the visit was to donate ANG 400 and two bags of clothing, but the volunteers remained longer to mentor children in several academic subjects. FUIK administrators expressed their utmost appreciation and arrangements were made for follow up on visits to further mentor their hard working students. "The FUIK community continues to grow and we want to make sure we are right there with them," said Lt Col Brian Bell, USFOL Commander. "A strong work ethic begins with hard work and dedication in school, and we all at the USFOL want to contribute in making their future brighter."

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