

School-based After-school Learning and Support Programme 2012 ~ 2013

The Proposal

(I) Aim: The aim of this scheme is to develop the abilities of the youth in different areas, such as communications with parents, teachers as well as peer groups and the control of self-emotion. What's more, the purpose of the scheme is to build up one's confidence and have all-round development. What we expect to achieve, through this scheme, are as follows:

1. To build up the students' self-confidence to deal with their routine daily work, academic studies in particular.
2. To improve the students' social skills to communicate with their peer groups and adults.
3. To improve the students' self-determination and self-esteem and develop their self-efficacy.
4. To provide recognition for positive behaviour.
5. To promote the youth's moral competence.
6. To promote the youth's emotional competence.

(II) Target Group: Students from low-income families.

(III) Content: It is expected to make arrangements for the students concerned to fulfill the scheme. The proposal may include the following items:

- (1) **Rock climbing** : This activity offers opportunities for students to experience peer support in accomplishing a task that needs not only physical strength but also determination and perseverance. The activity will also enhance students' self-esteem that comes from the successful experience.
- (2) **Learning skill workshop** : In this workshop, students will have the chance to work together with peers in discussions and accomplishing learning tasks. Students learn not only some important learning skills that will help them do better in their studies, but also communication skills in their group interaction.

(3) **Enhancement courses of English, Chinese and Mathematics :**

These programmes offer support to students who lack family support in improving their academic performance in these core subjects.

Summary of the scheme:

Month/Year	Target Group	Nature of the activity	Proposed Budget	Approved Budget
September ~ November,12	S. 1 ~ 6	Rock-climbing	\$ 15,000.00	
October, 12	S. 1	Learning Skills (Workshop)	\$ 5,000.00	
September 12 ~ May 13	S. 1 ~ 6	Enhancement Courses (Chinese)	\$ 10,000.00	
September 12 ~ May 13	S. 1 ~ 6	Enhancement Course (English)	\$ 24,400.00	
September 12 ~ May 13	S. 1 ~ 6	Enhancement Course (Mathematics)	\$ 10,000.00	
Total :			\$ 64,400.00*	

*School-based Grant for 2012/2013.