

## 5.7 Summary Report of the use of Diversity Learning Grant (DLG) 2023-24

### Objective of DLG:

- To subsidize gifted senior secondary students (i.e. S4-6 students) to take more structured learning opportunities of Gifted Education through school-based pull-out programmes and/or off-school support programmes (e.g. credit-bearing courses offered by tertiary education institutions, enhancement programmes offered by academic associations or professional bodies)

**Total Amount of DLG:** \$84000 (\$7000 per senior secondary class per year, a total of 12 S4-6 classes)

### Reference of DLG:

[https://www.edb.gov.hk/attachment/en/curriculum-development/major-level-of-edu/secondary/learning-teaching-resources/DLG/FAQs\\_on\\_DLGE\\_N.pdf](https://www.edb.gov.hk/attachment/en/curriculum-development/major-level-of-edu/secondary/learning-teaching-resources/DLG/FAQs_on_DLGE_N.pdf)

### School-based selection criteria:

- (1) Students should be nominated by subject teacher / teacher in-charge;
- (2) Students are ranked top 10% / top 15% of the level of the subject; OR
- (3) Students demonstrate outstanding performance in the area(s) concerned.

### Programmes being subsidized:

Programmes (Subject/Team, PIC)	Number and levels of students	Subsidized by DLG (for S4-6 only)	Subsidized by other grants
Hong Kong Model United Nations Forum (English, Chan S) • \$21000 for 12 students, \$1750@	9 S4 students 3 S5 students	\$1750 x9 = \$15750	\$1750 x3 = \$5250 (SASG)
Taiwan PE Summer Interflow (Study Tour, Lee WY)	(Handball) 3 S4 student 1 S5 students	\$500 x4 = \$2000	(Settled before the interflow. Refer to the separate list.)
Taiwan Fine Art exchange programme (Study Tour, Lee WY)	1 S4 student 1 S5 student	\$1000 x 2= \$2000	(Refer to the separate list.)
Ireland STEM & English Study Tour (Study Tour, Lee WY)	1 S5 Students 4 S4 Students 1 S3 Student	\$16000	(Refer to the separate list.)
Singapore English Study Tour (Study Tour, Lee WY)	11 S4 students	\$1000 x 3=\$3000 \$500 x 8=\$4000	(Refer to the separate list.)
Handball Training course (PE, Cheung WH)	1 S4 Student 4D Chan Man Dik \$360	\$360	
Young Athletes Athletics Training Scheme (PE, Cheung WH)	1 S4 student 4A Cheung Hung Yam \$360	\$450	

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MIT Innovation Academy Bootcamp (STEM & Entrepreneurship , Lui CS) • \$20000 for 4 students, \$5000@	4 S4 students 4A Lam hei Man 4A Sit Wan Yau 4A Wong KA Kei 4B Tsoi Kei Chiu	\$5000 x4 = \$20000	
PolyU credit bearing course (Math, Au CC) • \$30000 for 20 students, \$1500@	10 S4 students  6 S2 students 4 S3 students	\$1500 x 7 = \$7500  Total: \$9000	\$1500 x8 = \$12000  \$1500 x 5= \$7500 (by Gifted, junior form)
CUHK Gifted education credit bearing course (STEM, Econ: Chuk SH) • \$4210@	2 S4 students 4A Cheng Kuen Fung \$4210 4B So Cheuk Hang \$4210	\$8420	
CUHK Gifted education credit bearing course (Biochemistry and Medicine : Chuk SH) • \$3960@	1 S4 Student 4B Ho Ka Wai \$3960	\$3960	
CUHK Summer Insititute credit bearing course (Medical Science /Chemistry History : Chuk SH) • \$3960@	1 S4 Student 4B Wen Kwan Ho \$4900	\$4900	
CUHK credit bearing course (Chem, Chan KY) • \$3000 @	6 S4 students 4A So Yik Chung\$3000 4B So Cheuk Hang \$3000 4B Tsoi Kei Chiu \$3000 4D Feng Yuk Wa \$3000 4D Yeung Sai Hong \$3000	Total: \$15000	
文學創作班 (劇本創作) (Chin, Chuk SH) • \$1040 @, \$5200 total	3 S4-5 students 2 S2 students	3 S4-5 students \$3120	2 S2 students \$2080

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文學創作班 (新詩創作) (Chin, Chuk SH) • \$1200@, \$6000 total	4 S4-5 students 1 S3 student	4 S4-5 students \$4800	1 S3 student \$1200
		<b>Total: \$114260</b>	SBASG: School-based After-school Learning and Support Grant (Koong) SASG: Student Activity Support Grant (YipPH)

### Summary of 2023-24:

The total expenses of DLG has been increased due to the resumption of serveal study tours. More S4 students particiapte in the Credit bearing courses of tertiary insitutions in different areas.

### Suggestions for 2024-25:

Given that the gifted education programmes offered by tertiary institutions and professional bodies are costly (i.e. \$1000-\$5000) to most grassroot families in the school:

- For CSSA and Full-Granted students, about 50% of the programme fee could be subsidized by DLG while another 50% by School-based After-school Learning Support Grant (SALSG, recurrent) and/or Students Activities Support Grant (SASG, clawed back every year).
- For Half-Granted and other NON-CSSA/Full/Half-Granted students, about 50% of the programme fee could be subsidized by DLG while another 50% could be self-financed by themselves. In case the students express that their families cannot afford the programme fee, they could be given some subsidies through SALSG and/or SASG (i.e. by signing a circular to apply for “Special Half”).
- The DLG subsidy for each student in a year shall be capped at \$12000 and/or 3 programmes only.

(Prepared by Chuk SH on 14 August)