## CHEUNG CHUK SHAN COLLEGE ALUMNI FOUNDATION FUND PRINCIPAL'S ACTIVITIES REPORT 2020 – 2021

#### A. ACADEMIC PROJECTS

#### 1. ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING PROJECTS

## a. Outstanding English Ambassador Award

Owing to the pandemic and the adoption of half-day school after school resumption, the English Corner during lunchtime had been suspended and the English ambassadors were not recruited this year. Hence, no relevant expenses were recorded.

## b. English Reading Scheme

Recognizing students' efforts on reading, the award scheme continued to motivate students to read extensively after lessons. A total of 77 students from S1 to S5 were presented the awards based on their reading records and book coupons worth \$4,050 were given out.

## c. English Writing Competition

Students were assigned to write on a topic set by the teachers of the level concerned. Three prizes were given in each form from S2 to S5 this year. Prizes were presented and book coupons worth \$880 (First Prize: \$100; Second Prize: \$70; Third Prize: \$50) were awarded to the winners .

## d. Training on English Debating / Public Speaking

The pandemic condition resulted in the cancellation of different school activities and it was foreseen that there would be a surplus of the Life-wide Learning Grant subject to clawback of the EDB by the end of the school year. To avoid that, the expense for the activity concerned was charged instead under it and thus the subsidy from the Alumni Foundation Fund was not spent.

## 2. CHINESE LANGUAGE LEARNING PROJECTS

#### a. Academic support

Item	Name of Activity	Budget	Expenditure	Balance
1	資助清貧學生修讀中文進修班	\$6,000	\$0	\$6,000
2	鼓勵學生寫作獎品(每班一名)	\$3,000	\$2,619	\$381
	Total	\$9,000	\$2,619	\$6,318

#### Note:

- i. Owing to class suspension caused by the coronavirus outbreak, the Chinese enhancement class was not held and thus no expenditure was recorded.
- ii. Under the writing award scheme implemented this school year, the Chinese teacher of each class nominated the student with the best overall performance in composition writing in the school year to get the award. This award managed to spur students to produce quality work throughout the school year.

## b. Chinese Debating Team

No expenditure was recorded for the Chinese Debating Team also due to the pandemic condition, which resulted in the cancellation of different school activities

originally to be funded by the Life-wide Learning Grant. To prevent the surplus of the grant from being clawed back by the EDB by the end of the school year, the expense for the Chinese Debating Team was charged instead under it.

#### 3. LUNAR NEW YEAR FAIR STALL

As the Lunar New Year Fair in Victoria Park was cancelled again, no money was spent on bidding a stall, setting up one or sundry items.

## 4. PROMOTION OF STEM EDUCATION

a. Subsidy for organizing STEM-related activities and participation in STEM-related competitions

Not many students have participated in external paid events due to the pandemic and all expenses of STEM-related activities can be covered by the school fund, therefore no expenditure was recorded this academic year.

- b. Purchasing equipment, instruments and consumables promoting STEM activities
  - i. S2 students learnt how to program micro:bit with the use of various sensors. 164 sets of micro:bit kits and 15 sets of Grove Inventor kits for micro:bit kits were bought for the activities and projects in S2 ICT lessons. The total amount spent on the learning kits was \$25,921. The kits will still be used for S2 students in subsequent years. From a student survey, 95% of the respondents agreed that their computational thinking and problem solving skills have been enhanced through micro:bit programming.
  - ii. 2 sets of Google AIY Vision kits, 2 sets of Google AIY Voice kits and 2 sets of Raspberry Pi packages, amounting to \$4280, were bought for demonstrating some STEM activities for S3 students. However, due to the pandemic situation this year, some teaching time was lost. Teachers could only finish teaching the part on Python programming. The STEM activities related to Python programming could not be carried out. The kits will be still used for S3 students in subsequent years.

#### 5. GIFTED EDUCATION PROGRAMMES

The expenses of junior-form students joining gifted education programmes organized by local tertiary institutions were subsidized and the grant of \$17,000 was used up.

#### **B. WHOLE-PERSON DEVELOPMENT**

#### 1. RED CROSS YOUTH TEAM

The closing ceremony was held on 17 July 2021 via an online mode due to the pandemic and so there was no expense.

## 2. COMMUNITY SERVICES

No expenditure is recorded for subsidizing the Community Service Student Team as there is still reserve for the Team.

# 3. SUBSIDY FOR EXPENSES OF JUNIOR FORM STUDENTS JOINING COURSES OF OTHER LANGUAGES

Yu Ka Wah of S1D and Tsoi Tsz Lam S3C attended Japanese language courses in the school year. A total of \$4,150 was reimbursed.

#### 4. SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAMME

As all cross-border and overseas exchange tours were cancelled, no relevant expenses were paid.

#### 5. PARTICIPATION OF DISADVANTAGED STUDENTS IN STUDY TOURS

No study tours were held in the school year due to the global outbreak of the coronavirus disease and thus no relevant expenses were recorded.

## C. AWARDS

#### CCSC ALUMNI FOUNDATION FUND OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

a. 2019/20 Awardees

Owing to the long class suspension and disruptions to school activities, no students were nominated for the award. Hence, the item would be removed from the budget for 2020 - 21.

#### b. 2020/21 Awardees

The award was not offered due to the cancellation of activities caused by the pandemic.

#### 2. CCSC ALUMNI FOUNDATION FUND COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD

a. 2019/20 Awardees

Owing to the long class suspension and disruptions to school activities, no students were nominated for the award. Hence, the item would be removed from the budget for 2020 - 21.

#### b. 2020/21 Awardees

The award was not offered due to the cancellation of activities caused by the pandemic.

## 3. STAR OF CCSC AWARD

- a. 1 awardee for 2019/20:
  - Koo Ching Ling (S2D) representing HK in the National Youth Finswimming Championship in Wuzhou, China during the period 9 18 August 2019. She got 3 relay medals, gold for A grade 4x100 mono, two bronze medals for girls B grade 4x50 bi fin and mix 4x100 bi fin.

#### b. 1 awardee for 2020/21:

Yu Tsz Hin (S1D) too part in the 12<sup>th</sup> ICEHK 2021 International Drawing Competition organized by the ICEHK (International Colere Exchange (Hong Kong) Consultants Ltd and defeated about 6,500 contestants from all over the world and won the first runner-up in the Junior Division.

This award was a good recognition of the effort of the awardees in competing in international competitions with representatives of other countries.

## 4. TOPPING UP AWARDS FOR STUDENTS

A subsidy was granted to keep the values of the awards for the Graduation Day prize winners (those getting  $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$  prizes, subject prizes and the service award) in line with inflation in recent years and to embody their importance. 137 instead of 140 subject prizes were given out. Hence, the cost should be \$10,170. Yet, with a 3% discount in the bulk purchase of book coupons, a total of \$9,864.9 was spent instead.

#### 5. LANGUAGE LEARNING AWARD

As there was a tie in the second prize of S3, an extra \$200 had to be used, making up a total of \$3,500.

#### 6. ACTIVE LEARNING AWARD

In the School Development Plan for 2018 - 22, the promotion of an active learning culture as a major concern. To encourage students to adopt an active learning attitude, an award was offered to those considered by a number of subject teachers as showing the attitude. In the first term, there were 48 S1 - S3 award winners and 45 S4 - S6 award winners while in the second term, there were 35 S1 - S3 award winners and 40 S4 & S5 winners. Since there were book coupons left behind due to the suspension of the award for the  $2^{\text{nd}}$  term of the school year 2019 - 20, just \$3,430 worth of new coupons were purchased.

#### 7. MOST IMPROVED STUDENTS AWARD

Since there was still surplus in the donation received from the Classes 1978 & 79 for offering the award, the amount of \$2,250 obtained was not spent.

## 8. OUTSTANDING EXTRA-CURRRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP AWARD

Due to school suspension, the number of awardees was greatly reduced. A \$200 book coupons was offered to each awardee [\$200 x 6 students = \$1,200  $\approx$  \$1,164 (with discount)].

Class (19-20)	Class (20-21)	Name
4B	5B	WONG WAI YING
5A	6A	LAM KING MAN
5A	6A	TAM HO HIM

Class (19-20)	Class (20-21)	Name	
5C	6C	CHEUNG SI YUNG	
5C	6C	LAI YUET CHI	
5E	6E	CHEUNG SIK PUI	

#### 9. MODEL PREFECT AWARD

The following students showing outstanding performance as prefects throughout the year and each was given a book coupon of \$200:

Class	Name	Service period
6A	Tam Ho Him	2018-2021
6A	Lam King Man	2018-2021
6A	Zhen Ching Ho	2018-2021
6B	Tam Kiu Wai	2018-2021
6B	Wong Tsz Yui	2018-2021
6B	Wong Wai Tung	2018-2021
6E	Cheung Sik Pui	2018-2021
5A	Chen Wing San	2019-2021

This award scheme was praiseworthy as it encouraged students who excelled academically and morally to join the Prefect Body and devote wholeheartedly to their duties. The awardees also appreciated the recognition given by the CCSC Alumni Foundation Fund.

#### 10. GLOBAL LEARNING AWARD

The global pandemic situation had made the organization of study tours impossible. Hence, the award was not offered.