

HKSAR Government Scholarship Fund – Endeavour Merit Award (EMA) 2017-18

The Award(s) aims to give recognition to deserving students with special educational needs (SEN) in the pursuit of excellence in academic and other area.

Value of the Award : HK\$10,000@ **(SFA000947)**

Eligibility and Criteria :

1. Students with SEN (as specified below) will be the target group of students for the Award (**documentary proof of SEN must be provided**):
 - Specific learning disabilities
 - Intellectual disabilities
 - Autism spectrum disorders
 - Attention deficit / hyperactivity disorder
 - Physical disability
 - Visual impairment
 - Hearing impairment
 - Speech and language impairment
 - Others
2. The Awards will be offered to **students with SEN pursuing full-time UGC-funded programmes at all levels** (including sub-degree, degree, master's degree and research degree programmes), both local and non-local students are eligible. Exchange students not studying a full degree or above programme in Hong Kong are not eligible.
3. The nominees should achieve satisfactory academic attainment with cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above. For first-year students, institutions may select those who have satisfactory academic results during secondary/post-secondary education (including public examinations).
4. A student may be awarded with the EMA for more than once throughout his/her studies of the relevant programme, and each nomination should be considered based on individual merits.
5. Students may only be awarded either the HKSAR Government Scholarship for outstanding performance or the EMA in each academic year, but they may be awarded other scholarships/awards under the HKSAR Government Scholarship Fund, such as Talent Development Scholarship and Reaching Out Award in the same academic year.