



ACCESS HK
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access to education, access to opportunity, access to love."*

Access HK Sponsorship Invitation

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing on the behalf of our Hong Kong registered charity, AccessHK (charity number: 25225). Our charity is committed to equal opportunities. We work to fight inequality and to provide underprivileged children with educational opportunities, which are otherwise unaffordable by them.

AccessHK was set up in the summer of 2001 by a group of Hong Kong students at leading US and UK universities who felt strongly about equal opportunities and are dedicated to make a difference to the community. Today we still cherish the ideal of equal opportunities, and firmly believe that no matter what background a child might come from, that he/she still has the right to receive a top quality education. We work to provide underprivileged children with education opportunities that would otherwise be unavailable to them.

In the past two years, we have run free 4 week summer schools for over 200 Primary 5 and 6 students in Hong Kong with an emphasis on the use of English as a means of communication. Feedback from various sources, whether they be the children themselves, the parents, the media or the Education Department has been greatly encouraging, which is why we are hoping to push through our plans listed above. However, none of this would be possible without financial backing.

We believe that your generous support would be able to further aid our cause in providing education opportunities for the underprivileged children in Hong Kong, and invite **your company** to be one of our sponsors. Your contribution will enable us to provide each child with the resources and support necessary to further develop their inherent potential whether through teaching materials at the summer school, scholarships or the utilisation of the book reservoir. Your organization's name and logo will also be publicized on our website and printed materials.

Enclosed please find an **Introduction of Our Organization** and **The Summer School Programme 2003 Outline**. Meanwhile, should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned 9234 2798 or fax on 3015 8060 or via email at ka.liu@ic.ac.uk or fundraising@accesshk.org.

Thank you for your kind consideration. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

Ka-Chun LIU

AccessHK Fundraising Team Chairman



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Access HK Sponsorship Form

Attn.: Mr. Ka-Chun Liu
Contact: Ka.liu@ic.ac.uk or fundraising@accesshk.org
Tel. No.: 9234 2798
Fax No.: 3015 8060

Name of organization: _____
Contact person: Mr/Mrs/Miss
Tel. No: _____
Fax No: _____
Email address: _____

Our organization would like to pledge a donation of:

- HK\$20,000 Diamond Sponsor *
 HK\$15,000 Platinum Sponsor *
 HK\$10,000 Gold Sponsor
 HK\$5,000
 HK\$3,000
 Other Amount HK\$ _____
 Monthly contribution of HK\$ _____ from the period _____ to _____

*A Scholarship fund under your organization/personal name will be established for Platinum or Diamond sponsors.

Ways of payment:

- Cash
 Cheque payable to "Access HK" sent to the contact address above
 Our organization is interested in supporting Access HK but would like to receive more information.
 Our organization regrets to say we are unable to contribute at the moment.



OUR GOALS

ACCESS HK strives to provide underprivileged children with opportunities that would otherwise be unavailable to them. There are many highly motivated children in Hong Kong, yet due to their economic or family backgrounds, they have fewer opportunities to succeed in school. Many students face obstacles such as having recently immigrated from China, coming from households receiving inadequate welfare benefits, single parent households or simply not having the resources to make the most out of their summer vacation.

HOW WE DO IT

1) SUMMER SCHOOL

Since 2001, ACCESS HK targeted at P5 -P6 (10 to 12 years old) school children. Volunteers for the summer school are recruited from a number of US/UK/HK universities. The summer curriculum involves English, Math, Speech and Drama, Debating and IT. We hope to expose the children to experiences that would otherwise not be available for them. Classes are small with an average teacher to student ratio of 1:5, so that the students get enough individual attention. No fees will be charged.

2) FUNDRAISING

This will take the form of private donation, charity film premiers, dinners, advertising, etc. Money raised will then be used to cover expenses for the summer school and to provide book grants, bursaries and scholarships to children in need.

3) SCHOLARSHIPS

Money raised will then be used to provide book grants, bursaries and scholarships to children in need to support their development in academic or extra-curricular activities. We hope to ask schools to recommend students and certify their family income. The actual amount of grants given to each student depends on how much we can raise in the fundraising events.

4) STORYBOOKS RESERVOIR

We have been collecting storybooks as gifts for our students, hoping to foster a love in reading storybooks outside the current school syllabus and at the same time improving their English and Chinese language skills.



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5) SCHOLASTIC MATERIALS

We have also been collecting scholastic materials for our students, from stationary to the second hand- computers. All of these resources are important to the future development of the education of underprivileged children.

6) DONATION BOXES

Donation box programme aims to collect spare changes to help the **underprivileged children**, it can easily be achieved by just providing a small space for us to keep our donation boxes in your company. This will not only help raise funds for children, but also educate and spread message across all strata of society. It can make people more sensitive towards the problems of the unprivileged children and help mobilize more support.