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CHC provides financial assistance to needy students in Government or Government-Aided schools (including for this purpose, Primary and Secondary Schools, Junior Colleges and Centralised Institutes, Polytechnics and any MOE-registered institute).

A. Who is eligible for this scheme?

1. CHC members who are current attendees and connected to the church.
2. Students who are currently studying or parents whose child/children is/are currently studying.
3. CHC members whose gross household income falls below the stated income limits (please refer to page 2).
4. Successful applicants will be eligible for such percentage of financial assistance as indicated in the table on page 2 for the duration of one (1) academic year.

B. How to apply for this scheme?

1. CHC EAS application forms are available from the CHC corporate office at *1 Raffles Boulevard, #05-02, Singapore 039593 (Tel: 6737-6266)*. Alternatively, you may download the form from our website at www.chc.org.sg.
2. Applicants should submit the completed application, attaching copies of the required supporting documents (as listed out in the Application Form), to the CHC corporate office at *1 Raffles Boulevard, Suntec City, #05-02, Singapore 039593*.
3. Applicants are required to attend an interview by a CHC staff or its appointed agent, who will appraise the suitability and eligibility of the applicant and the merits of the application, and thereafter make recommendations either to approve or reject the application.
4. Upon approval of an application, the financial assistance will be disbursed directly to the educational institute on a per term basis, prior to the commencement of such term, and based on the prevailing rates levied by the respective educational institution.
5. For personal allowances, recipients must furnish proof of payment of fees within 14 days of the issuance of any official receipts from the relevant educational institution or GIRO statements reflecting such payments.

6. Students will be reviewed periodically with regards to their school attendance (80%), punctuality (80%) and academic performance (based on the applicable minimum passing rate, grade or mark). Should a recipient's performance be assessed to be unsatisfactory, CHC or its appointed agent has the right to reduce, withdraw, suspend or terminate all forms of assistance, and for such period as it deems fit or necessary.

C. CHC EAS for Government and Government-Aided Schools, Polytechnics

The income limits and other criteria (which are not exhaustive) that would take into account in appraising an application for CHC EAS are set out below:

- Gross household income not exceeding \$3,000 per month or \$750 per capita per month.
- Students who are not receiving other financial assistance from MOE schemes, scholarships or Government loan schemes.

The following types of financial assistances are available for needy students under this financial assistance scheme:

Financial Assistance				
Level	School Fees	Miscellaneous Fees	Textbook	Transport Allowance
Primary	Up to 100%	Up to 100%	Up to \$250/yr	Up to \$41/month
Secondary	Up to 100%	Up to 100%	Up to \$250/yr	Up to \$51/month
Junior College / Centralised Institute	Up to 100%	Up to 100%	Up to \$500/yr	Up to \$51/month
Polytechnic *	Up to 75%	Up to 100%	Up to \$500/yr	Up to \$85/month

* Includes any other MOE-registered institute not specifically mentioned above

D. What is expected for successful applicants of CHC EAS

1. Such applicants are expected to perform community work with CHC for a minimum of 4 hours per month.
2. Should applicants fail to attain the minimum performance indicators set out in Section B, Paragraph 6 of the preceding section (namely, school attendance, punctuality and academic grades), CHC or its appointed agent reserves the right, without prejudice, as stated in the said Paragraph 6, to withdraw 20% of the financial assistance allocated towards each semester.