

## **Link University Scholarship 2021**

*for Year 2-4 University Studies*

Link University Scholarship 2021 supports first generation university students within their families to attend universities in Hong Kong. An extension of scholarship, Link Scholars Alumni aims to help Scholarship recipients widen the horizon, promote further development and enrich their university life through various community engagement activities and workshops.

Scholarship Value	HK\$20,000 per awardee
Eligibility	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The first-generation university student from his/her family (i.e. his/her grandparents and parents do not hold any degree from any university) to study at one of the Hong Kong's universities, and is able to provide one of the following:<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. A recommendation letter by the principal or teacher of his/her previous secondary school (click <a href="#">here</a> to download the template), or</li><li>b. A declaration* issued by Home Affairs Department of HKSAR (click <a href="#">here</a> to download the template);</li></ol></li><li>2. A full-time student who will continue their Year 2/3/4 full-time bachelor's study at one of the Hong Kong's universities#;</li><li>3. Having a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of at least 3** on a 4.0 scale and eligible for next year's admission by a Hong Kong university#;</li><li>4. A local student (<i>definition</i>) (e.g. holder of HKID card (Permanent) or Permit for Proceeding to Hong Kong and Macau (One-way Permit));</li><li>5. Aged 25 below (i.e. born on or after 1 September 1996); and</li><li>6. Proactively participating in community services</li></ol> <p><i>* Student applicants can make the oath at any Home Affairs Enquiry Centre free-of-charge, declaring they are the first amongst three generations of their families to study at university.</i></p> <p><i>** HKCSS will contact you or your relevant university in July to verify your latest CGPA.</i></p> <p><i># Eleven Universities are (in alphabetical order): City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong Shue Yan University, Lingnan University, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, The Education University of Hong Kong, The Hang Seng University of Hong Kong, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, The Open University of Hong Kong, The University of Hong Kong</i></p>
Application Deadline	30 June 2021 (before noon)
Details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eligible applicants should submit application via online system (<a href="https://fgu.hkcswg.org.hk">https://fgu.hkcswg.org.hk</a>) before 12 noon on 30 June 2021. Late submissions will not be accepted.</li><li>• HKCSS will coordinate all successful applications and verify the information submitted.</li><li>• After first-round assessment, shortlisted students will be invited to the interview. The applications can be considered unsuccessful if applicants do not receive any invitation for interview.</li></ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Interview will be held in November 2021, and the results will be announced in December. Awarded students will be notified.</li></ul> <p>The latest application details will be available on the Link's website on 6 May 2021.</p> <p><a href="https://www.linkreit.com/en/about-us/community/university-student-scholarship/">https://www.linkreit.com/en/about-us/community/university-student-scholarship/</a></p> <p>Leaflet: English:- <a href="https://www.hkcss.org.hk/upload/wg/Link_Scholarship/Poster_Guideline_EN.pdf">https://www.hkcss.org.hk/upload/wg/Link_Scholarship/Poster_Guideline_EN.pdf</a> Chinese:- <a href="https://www.hkcss.org.hk/upload/wg/Link_Scholarship/Poster_Guideline_CH.pdf">https://www.hkcss.org.hk/upload/wg/Link_Scholarship/Poster_Guideline_CH.pdf</a></p>
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