

City University of Hong Kong
Outstanding Athletes Entrance Scholarship for Non-local Students
(for 2023/24 Entry)

Name of Scholarship : Outstanding Athletes Entrance Scholarship for Non-local Students
(International/Continental Level)

Scholarship Amount : HK\$175,000 per annum

Terms and Conditions:

1. The Scholarship is tenable for a maximum of four years or until the completion of the undergraduate programme as enrolled by the recipients, whichever is the shorter period. The Scholarship may be suspended for any period when the recipients are absent from the University for any reason, including enrolling in a job placement scheme or other interruption; or if the recipients are absent/ have withdrawn/ have been removed from University's sports teams.
2. The Scholarship consists of three components:
 - a) Tuition Fee
 - i. The Scholarship covers the tuition fee for the minimum number of credit units required to complete the registered programme within the normal duration of study.
 - ii. The portion for tuition fee is in the form of tuition fee deduction. It is not a cash award. It is not transferable and refundable.
 - iii. In the event that the tuition fee payable is reduced due to reducing study load, the remaining amount of the portion for tuition fee will not be refunded.
 - iv. The Scholarship will not cover any additional tuition fee if the maximum number of credit units for the registered programme is exceeded.
 - b) Student Residence Fee
 - i. The Scholarship covers the student residence fee (for double occupancy of the Undergraduate Hall).
 - ii. In the event that the scholarship recipients do not reside in the Undergraduate Hall, the portion of student residence fee will be deposited into the recipients' bank account.
 - c) Living Allowance

After deducting the portions of 2a) and 2b), the remaining amount of the Scholarship will be deposited into recipients' bank account as a living allowance.
3. The Scholarship is automatically renewed each year on condition that the recipients achieve a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) at 2.5 or above by the end of Semester B each year and demonstrate satisfactory sports performance as determined by the Physical Education Section of Student Development Services. The decision of the Physical Education Section of Student Development Services is final.
4. Should the recipients fail to meet the scholarship renewal requirement as stated in point 3, a grace period of one-semester in the following academic year, i.e. Semester A, will be granted. However, should their CGPA and/or sports performance be lower than the scholarship renewal requirement by the end of Semester A of the following academic year, the Scholarship will automatically be terminated with effect from the commencement date of Semester B in that academic year.

5. The Scholarship will be paid by offsetting the recipients' tuition fee and student residence fee (for double occupancy), if applicable, for two semesters in each academic year. The student residence fee (if applicable) and living allowance will be deposited into the recipients' bank account in two equal installments. The first installment of the Scholarship will be released in the middle of Semester A while the disbursement of the second installment in Semester B if the recipients can achieve satisfactory sports performance in Semester A, as determined by the Physical Education Section of Student Development Services.
6. If the recipients' status changes from 'non-local' to 'local', the Scholarship will be withdrawn.
7. The recipients must adhere to the academic regulations regarding 'enrolment' in Section 3.4 below:

“Unless otherwise approved by the University, students who are admitted for full-time studies are expected to study full-time in the degree concerned and are not permitted to enrol in full-time or part-time study for any other award qualification either at the University itself or at any other tertiary institution.”
8. If the recipients fail to meet the requirement as stated in point 7, the University reserves the right to demand that the recipients refund the Scholarship.
9. The recipients are liable to pay all other expenses, such as graduation fee and workshop/training programme fee, that the University may change from time to time.
10. The recipients have to abide by the laws of the HKSAR and the rules and regulations of the University.

Remarks:

- *With an objective to nurture our students and to promote caring culture, the University encourages each award recipient to make an annual donation of HK\$200 or more to the City University of Hong Kong for student support via CityU Alumni Giving Club when they are in employment after graduation. This term has been incorporated into all scholarship/prize/award/bursary schemes since February 2008.*
- *The University reserves the right, at its entire discretion, to withdraw or suspend any scholarship, and to review, modify, revoke, or add to relevant scholarship regulations. In the event of any disputes, the decisions of the University shall be final.*