

Guidelines for Use of DHS Opportunity Fund

The Opportunity Fund is directed towards providing needy students with more opportunities to enrich their educational experiences and build firmer foundations for learning. Only Singapore citizens are eligible for the fund.

Access to ICT – IMDA DigitalAccess@Home Scheme

The DigitalAccess@Home scheme provides subsidised broadband and laptops/tablets to lower-income family. The eligibility criteria are as follows:

1. Stay in a HDB flat
2. At least one member of the household is a Singapore citizen.
3. Monthly Gross Household Income (GHI) is less than or equal to \$1,900 or monthly per capita income (PCI) is less than or equal to \$650.
4. Monthly GHI is less than or equal to \$3,400 or monthly PCI is less than or equal to \$900 if there is a primary school student or person with disabilities in the household.
5. Monthly GHI less than or equal to \$3,400 or PCI less than or equal to \$900 if the household has MOE school-going child/children (with none in primary school).
6. Subsidy of 80% (cap at \$280) from DHS.

Subsidy for Enrichment Programmes

7. Subsidy of 80% (cap at \$200) for students with monthly per capita income (PCI) of \$1,000 and below. Student to co-pay 20%.
8. Subsidy of 60% (cap at \$150) for students with monthly per capita income (PCI) of \$1,100 and below. Student to co-pay 40%.
9. Subsidy of 40% (cap at \$100) for students with monthly per capita income (PCI) of \$1,200 or a gross household income (GHI) of \$4,800 and below. Student to co-pay 60%.
10. Subsidy of 20% (cap at \$50) for students with monthly per capita income (PCI) of \$1,300 or a gross household income (GHI) of \$5,200 and below. Student to co-pay 80%.

| ENRICHMENT PROGRAMMES | | |
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| Monthly Per Capita income/ Gross Household Income | Subsidy of | Student to co-pay |
| ≤ \$1,000 | 80% (cap at \$200) | 20% |
| ≤ \$1,100 | 60% (cap at \$150) | 40% |
| PCI ≤ \$1,200 or GHI ≤ \$4,800 | 40% (cap at \$100) | 60% |
| PCI ≤ \$1,300 or GHI ≤ \$5,200 | 20% (cap at \$50) | 80% |

Subsidy for Overseas Learning Journeys

11. Subsidy of 80% (cap at \$2,000) for students with monthly per capita income of \$1,000 and below. Student to co-pay 20%.
12. Subsidy of 60% (cap at \$1,500) for students with monthly per capita income of \$1,100 and below. Student to co-pay 40%.
13. Subsidy of 40% (cap at \$1,000) for students with monthly per capita income of \$1,200 or gross household income of \$4,800 and below. Student to co-pay 60%.
14. Subsidy of 20% (cap at \$500) for students with monthly per capita income of \$1,300 or gross household income of \$5,200 and below. Student to co-pay 80%.

| OVERSEAS LEARNING JOURNEYS | | |
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| Monthly Per Capita income/ Gross Household Income | Subsidy of | Student to co-pay |
| ≤ \$1,000 | 80% (cap at \$2,000) | 20% |
| ≤ \$1,100 | 60% (cap at \$1,500) | 40% |
| PCI ≤ \$1,200 or GHI ≤ \$4,800 | 40% (cap at \$1,000) | 60% |
| PCI ≤ \$1,300 or GHI ≤ \$5,200 | 20% (cap at \$500) | 80% |