

**P.A.T.H.S. to Adulthood: A Jockey Club Youth Enhancement Scheme**

**Guidelines for special schools to join the P.A.T.H.S. Project  
for the school years 2009/10 to 2011/12**

**1. Implementation**

- 1.1 For participating schools, the Project will be implemented at Secondary 1, Secondary 2 and Secondary 3 levels in 2009/10 school year.
- 1.2 For schools newly join P.A.T.H.S in 2009/10 school year, the Project will be implemented at Secondary 1 level in 2009/10 school year.
- 1.3 The Project will be implemented according to the following timetable:

	SCHOOL YEAR		
	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12
Participating schools	Secondary 1, 2 & 3	Secondary 1, 2 & 3	Secondary 1, 2 & 3
Newly joined schools	Secondary 1	Secondary 1 & 2	Secondary 1, 2 & 3

**2. Training**

- 2.1 All special schools operating secondary classes are welcome to join the training programme for teachers and social workers each year.
- 2.2 To cater for the needs of teachers and social workers, the format of the training programme for teachers will be restructured and redesigned. Under the new arrangement, the three-day training programme (20 hours) will be divided into two parts: 7 hours of e-learning and 2 days (13 hours) of interactive workshops.
- 2.3 One teacher per level and one social worker from each participating special school will be invited to join the training programme of the Project. A teacher relief subsidy of \$2,100 per teacher will be allocated to each participating school. The schools can have flexibility in utilizing the teacher relief subsidy, whether to recruit supply teachers or for professional development of teachers.
- 2.4 After training, teachers and social workers from special schools will be given the permission to use the training materials and adapt the Tier One programme in their respective schools.

**3. Tier One Programme**

- 3.1 Special schools with students of normal intelligence and adopting mainstream curriculum are eligible for joining P.A.T.H.S. to carry out the Tier One Programme.
- 3.2 A subsidy of \$10,000 per class will be provided for each participating school, i.e. \$10,000 x number of classes participating in the Project.

- 3.3 The Tier One Programme (20 hours) content will be provided by the Research Team of the Project. Please note that schools may deliver the 20-hour Programme in different modes:

	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Mode</b>	4 sessions [2.5 hours per session] PLUS 10 sessions [1 hour per session]	10 sessions [30 minutes per session] PLUS 15 sessions [1 hour per session]	20 sessions [1 hour per session]	40 sessions [30 minutes per session]

#### 4. Application Procedures

- 4.1 Participating schools which have already joined P.A.T.H.S. before 2009/10 school year are required to fill in the application form at Annex B, while schools newly join P.A.T.H.S. from 2009/10 school year are required to fill in the application form at Annex C. Please return the form to Ms Edith LAM of the Education Bureau on or before **28 February 2009** by fax at 2574 7954.
- 4.2 Schools may wish to note that only those schools which have joined P.A.T.H.S. in 2009/10 school year will be contacted again for the next two academic years. NO invitation will be made to the other schools.

<b>Application form for schools already joined P.A.T.H.S. before 2009/10 school year</b>
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To: Ms Edith LAM  
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 Education Bureau  
 Rm 201, East Block  
 Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre  
 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong  
 Kowloon, Hong Kong

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 Tel: 3698 3722

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「共創成長路」 – 賽馬會青少年培育計劃

**Special School Application Form**

**(For School Year 2009/10)**

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1.  will apply for the training of P.A.T.H.S.
2.  will apply for both training and the Tier One Programme of P.A.T.H.S.

(For item 1, please go to Part A and C. For item 2, please go to Part A, B and C.)

**Part A Training for Teachers and Social Workers**

Each participating school can send one S.1 teacher, one S.2 teacher, one S.3 teacher and one social worker to attend the training programme. The interactive workshops of the training programme are scheduled to be held from May to October 2009.

To facilitate our planning, please indicate below your preferred month in joining the interactive workshops in order of priority from "1" to "6" ("1" as the first choice, "2" as the second choice ... and "6" as the last choice):

_____	May 2009	_____	August 2009
_____	June 2009	_____	September 2009
_____	July 2009	_____	October 2009

\*Remarks: Teachers and social workers are required to take the 7-hour e-learning part of the training through the Internet before attending the above interactive workshops.

## Part B The Tier One Programme in the 2009/10 School Year

Please provide necessary information:

1. Estimated number of Secondary One, Secondary Two and Secondary Three class(es) in 2009/10 school year

No. of S.1 class(es) \_\_\_\_\_

No. of S.2 class(es) \_\_\_\_\_

No. of S.3 class(es) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Total Grant Applied

HK\$10,000 x \_\_\_\_\_ (no. of classes) = HK\$ \_\_\_\_\_

3. Choice of programme mode for Tier One Programme  
(please refer to item 3.3 of Annex A and "✓")

Mode 1

Mode 2

Mode 3

Mode 4

## Part C General Information of School

Name of School	(In English)
	(In Chinese)
Address	

Programme coordinator / Contact Person of P.A.T.H.S.

Name	
Post	
Telephone	
Fax	
Email	

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Name of Principal : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form on or before **28 February 2009**.

<b>Application form for schools newly join P.A.T.H.S. from 2009/10 school year</b>
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## Part B The Tier One Programme in the 2009/10 School Year

Please provide necessary information:

1. Estimated number of Secondary One class(es) in 2009/10 school year

No. of S.1 class(es) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Total Grant Applied

HK\$10,000 x \_\_\_\_\_ (no. of classes) = HK\$ \_\_\_\_\_

3. Choice of programme mode for Tier One Programme  
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Mode 2

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Mode 4

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Post	
Telephone	
Fax	
Email	

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Name of Principal : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

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