

K.B. Chen Inclusive Education Award
Application Guidelines for 2026-27

1. Objective

To recognize the achievements of students with a disability or special educational needs in the fields of (a) academic study or (b) extra-curricular or outside classroom learning activities.

2. Eligibility

2.1 Full-time local students who are reading for a UGC funded programmes with a proven disability or special educational needs¹ (including physical disability, hearing impairment, visual impairment, speech impairment, visceral disability, specific learning disabilities, attention deficit / hyperactivity disorder, autism spectrum disorder, developmental coordination disorder, mental illness and chronic medical illness) are eligible to apply.

2.2 Applicants must also have:

- (a) A Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above (or equivalent); **or**
- (b) Actively participated in student activities, such as taking up official positions in student groups/societies or representing the University in external events and competitions in the preceding academic year. Each student can only submit one application per academic year.

3 Award

Five annual awards of HK\$10,000 each will be disbursed, but the Steering Committee may decide to offer more than five awards.

¹ The definition of “disability” in this Fund follows the Disability Discrimination Ordinance under Hong Kong law. For details, please refer to: <https://www.jupas.edu.hk/en/application-procedures-information/application-information/applicants-with-disabilities/>. The definition of ‘SEN students’ follows the JUPAS sub-system for applicants with a disability. For details, please refer to : <http://www.jupas.edu.hk/en/j4/applications/application-procedures/disability>

4 Application Procedure

Applicants should submit the following documents to Student Support & Inclusion, Centre of Development and Resources for Students (CEDARS) on-line:

- (a) The completed [application form](#) (HKU Portal login required for download)
- (b) A copy of the most recent medical report which indicates the current level of disability;
- (c) A CV; and
- (d) Proof of academic achievement and/or records of extra-curricular activities.

5 Application Deadline

The Steering Committee will invite applications at the beginning of every semester. The application deadline for Round I is 31 October 2026.

6 Assessment of Application

Selection for the award will be conducted by the Steering Committee after the deadline and the applicant will be notified of the application result by email.