

Guidelines of

Overseas Internship Subsidy and First Generation University Education Fund

To encourage students to participate in overseas internships that may not be remunerated, the following subsidies from OSA are available to eligible students. These financial supports are based on the principle of shared responsibility and aim to support part of the costs incurred during the internship.

Overseas Internship Subsidy

1. Asian Locations (excluding Chinese Mainland)*

Internship Type	Duration	Amount
Unpaid	4 weeks	HK\$8,000
	5 weeks	HK\$9,000
	6 weeks or above	HK\$10,000
Paid	4 weeks or above	HK\$4,000

2. Europe & Rest of the World

Internship Type	Duration	Amount
Unpaid	4 weeks	HK\$16,000
	5 weeks	HK\$17,500
	6 weeks	HK\$19,000
	7 weeks or above	HK\$20,000
Paid	4 weeks or above	HK\$10,000

First Generation University Education Fund*

Internship Locations	Amount
Asian Locations (excluding Chinese Mainland)	HK\$5,000
Europe and rest of the world	HK\$10,000

**Participants of Japan Internship Programme co-organised by Japan Hong Kong Society & KWSpreading should refer to its [programme webpage](#) for subsidy amount.*

Eligibility Criteria

For Both Subsidies:

- Full-time undergraduate student from any programme at Lingnan University (graduating on or after 31 August 2026)
- Aged 18 or above with valid travel document
- Maintains a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above and not in academic probation
- The internship must last a minimum of 4 weeks, taking place between mid-May and late August 2026
- Students must return to Hong Kong on 31 August 2026 or before
- Must complete Compulsory Modules of Pre-Internship Training Programme (PTP)
- Each student may apply once per academic year
- Subsidies will be provided to students AFTER the completion of internship, along with the required post-internship tasks

Additional Criteria for the *Overseas Internship Subsidy*:

- Students who have received Virtual Internship Subsidy in the same academic year are NOT eligible for the Overseas Internship Subsidy

Additional Criteria for the *First Generation University Education Fund*:

- Must be a full-time undergraduate student who is the first generation in the family to receive university education
- Must have financial need (e.g., recipient of Tertiary Student Finance Scheme)