

International Master Program in Asia-Pacific Affairs
National Sun Yat-sen University
Regulations Governing Awards & Subsidies
for the Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language

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I. Aim:

These Regulations are enacted to encourage students studying the International Master Program in Asia-Pacific Affairs (hereinafter referred to as IMAPA) to take the Test of Chinese as a Foreign Language (TOCFL), so as to strengthen and improve their Chinese proficiency.

II. Source of funding:

Tuition revenue for the IMAPA

III. Application criteria:

Students studying the IMAPA who take the TOCFL during their studies may apply for a subsidy with their transcript and qualification certificate.

IV. Application documents:

- (1) TOCFL Registration Fee Subsidy Application Form
- (2) An original copy and a photocopy of the transcript and qualification certificate (the original copy will be returned after verification)
- (3) Payment receipt (such as remittance or credit card payment details)
- (4) A photocopy of student ID
- (5) A photocopy of passport. Also, a photocopy of the entry/exit stamp on a passport is required if the applicant has been resided in the Republic of China for 183 days in the current year.
- (6) A photocopy of Alien Resident Certificate (ARC)
- (7) A photocopy of postal or bank passbook

V. Item eligible for a subsidy:

| Category | Level | Amount of Subsidy |
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| TOCFL | Above the Basic level (A2) | 80% of the registration fee (rounded off to the nearest dollar) |

VI. Application dates:

First semester: From November 15 to November 30 every year

Second semester: From April 15 to April 30 every year

VII. Number of subsidies given and method by which they are granted:

Subsidies will only be given once to test takers, regardless of the type of the test they take. Please download the application form from the IMAPA website, fill in the form within the application period and submit the completed form to the Office of the IMAPA for review. The list of subsidy recipients will be announced after their applications have been approved.

VIII. These Regulations will be implemented upon approval by the Program Affairs Meeting. Amendments to the Regulations shall be processed accordingly.