Morningside College Emergency Bursary Scheme

The College Emergency Bursary Scheme aims to support students who are facing severe financial difficulties and whose financial needs cannot be covered by the existing College bursaries or other available assistance from the Government and the University.

The bursary is open for application all-year-round. Each bursary shall depend on individual circumstances but in any case aims to cover basic living expenses only. The emergency bursary is one-off and shall not normally exceed HK\$6,500. An eligible student can receive it once per his/her entire study period at Morningside College except under very exceptional circumstances.

Eligibility

- The College Emergency Bursary is available to local and non-local undergraduate students of Morningside College, but it is <u>not</u> available to incoming exchange students.
- Students who are facing <u>unanticipated</u> emergency financial difficulties arising from, but not limited to, sudden changes of family financial conditions such as acute illness, unemployment, redundancy, work injuries, hospitalization, bankruptcy, and death of a close family member in the most recent 6 months are eligible to apply.
- As College bursaries and financial aid are a supplement to Government and University assistance, students are required to apply for and exhaust all other available sources of financial support before applying for the College Emergency Bursary.

Application Procedure

- Applicants are required to submit the application form with full justification and with relevant supporting document(s) clearly showing their financial difficulties.
- Apart from the items listed on the application form, the College reserves the right to request further details in order to consider the application.
- The College reserves the right to make enquiries to verify any or all of the information submitted with the Emergency Bursary application, and shall review the application for completeness and compliance with the Bursary policy.
- Should the College have queries and/or require more supporting information or proof, applicants are required to supplement such information/data/proof for the application to proceed.
- Applicants may be invited to discuss their application with a senior member of College staff.
- The College Admissions and Financial Aid Committee will oversee all applications for College Emergency Bursaries.

Enquiries

For enquiries, please contact the College Office or email mc.sfa@cuhk.edu.hk.