

Annex

Name of Dedicated Fund/Subsidy Scheme	Category of Organisation/ Group Subsidised	Funding Granted Annually (The figures in brackets denote the percentage of funding granted to the category of organisations/groups out of the total amount of funding under all dedicated funds/subsidy schemes of the year)		Details of Dedicated Fund/Subsidy Scheme
1. Various subsidies granted by HAD to NGOs providing support services to ethnic minorities	District Grassroots Organisations	2017/18	\$ 53,110,000	The relevant subsidies cover eight Support Service Centres for Ethnic Minorities, District-based Integration Programme, Ambassador Scheme, District-based Programmes for Racial Harmony, Mobile Information Service, Cross-cultural Learning Youth Programme, Language Programme for Adults and Community Support Teams which provide support services to ethnic minorities in order to enhance their access to public services and facilitate their integration into the community.
		2018/19	\$ 53,190,000	
		2019/20	\$ 79,840,000	
		2020/21	\$ 82,630,000	
		2021/22	\$ 82,010,000	
2. Funding Scheme for Women's Development under Women's Commission	Women's Groups ¹	2017/18	\$ 2,550,000	Established in 2012 to subsidise community projects conducive to women's development
		2018/19	\$ 4,470,000	
		2019/20	\$ 4,880,000	
		2020/21	\$ 4,210,000	
		2021/22	\$ 4,210,000	

¹ Funded organisations / groups include NGOs providing services for women.

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3. Recurrent subvention to youth uniformed groups	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	\$ 82,400,000	The relevant subvention has been provided since 2000. The aim is to support the provision of informal education and training to young people which serves to help them foster positive values, strengthen leadership skills and attain whole-person development.
		2018/19	\$ 80,210,000	
		2019/20	\$ 86,920,000	
		2020/21	\$ 89,630,000	
		2021/22	\$ 86,920,000	
4. Funding Scheme for Youth Internship in the Mainland	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	\$ 75,000,000	Established in year 2014-15. Through sponsoring NGOs in organising internship projects to the Mainland, the Funding Scheme aims at enabling Hong Kong young people to experience first-hand the actual workplace environment in the Mainland, cultivate a deeper understanding of the employment market, work culture and development opportunities there, with a view to helping them set their future career goals, gain more work experience establish interpersonal network and boost their employment advantage in the future.
		2018/19	\$ 76,000,000	
		2019/20	\$ 63,000,000	
		2020/21	\$ 28,000,000*	
		2021/22	\$ 40,000,000#	
5. Funding Scheme for Youth Exchange in the Mainland	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	\$ 36,000,000	Established in year 1998-99. Through sponsoring NGOs in organising exchange tours to the Mainland, the Funding Scheme aims at enhancing Hong Kong young people's awareness and understanding of their home country, fostering exchange with the Mainland people and
		2018/19	\$ 37,000,000	
		2019/20	\$ 31,000,000	
		2020/21	\$ 24,000,000*	

² Since the relevant funding schemes do not have restrictions on the type of NGOs eligible for application, the funded associations /organisations include NGOs that provide youth services.

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		2021/22	\$ 28,000,000#	strengthening their sense of national identity.
6. Funding Scheme for International Youth Exchange	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	\$ 3,000,000	Established in year 2017-18. Through sponsoring NGOs to organise international exchange projects for local young people, the Funding Scheme aims to provide more in-depth international exchange opportunities to enable young people to widen their global exposure and broaden their international horizons.
		2018/19	\$ 2,000,000	
		2019/20	\$ 11,000,000	
		2020/21	\$ 6,000,000*	
		2021/22	\$ 2,000,000#	
7. Funding Scheme for Youth Life Planning Activities	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	\$ 15,500,000	Established in 2014, the Funding Scheme aims to sponsor NGOs, in collaboration with secondary schools, in organising various life planning projects, such as thematic talks, workshops, workplace visits, job attachments, etc.. These projects not only cater for the needs of students, but also cover training courses and activities for teachers and parents to enhance their awareness of life planning and multiple pathways.
		2018/19	\$ 10,370,000	
		2019/20	\$ 41,030,000^	
		2020/21	\$ 31,410,000	
		2021/22	\$ 28,570,000	
8. Funding Scheme for Youth Entrepreneurship in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	Not Applicable	Established in 2019, the Funding Scheme consists of two components, namely entrepreneurial support and incubation services, and start-up capital – (i) the entrepreneurial support and incubation services: this component aims to subsidise NGOs in Hong Kong to offer deeper, broader, more specific and sustainable entrepreneurial support and incubation services for Hong Kong young people, including helping them settle in youth innovation and entrepreneurial bases in Hong Kong and/or Mainland cities of the Greater Bay Area; and (ii)
		2018/19	Not Applicable	
		2019/20	Not Applicable	
		2020/21	Not Applicable	
		2021/22	\$ 38,710,000@	

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				the start-up capital: this component aims to provide youth start-ups with seed funding through subsidising funded organisations in the form of a matching fund.
9. Funding Scheme for Experiential Programmes at Innovation and Entrepreneurial Bases in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area	Youth Groups ²	2017/18	Not Applicable	Established in 2019, the Funding Scheme aims to subsidise NGOs in Hong Kong to organise short-term experiential programmes at the youth innovation and entrepreneurial bases in the Mainland cities of the Greater Bay Area, with a view to enriching Hong Kong young people's understanding of the entrepreneurial bases in the Mainland cities of the Greater Bay Area, as well as the relevant policies and supporting measures on innovation and entrepreneurship in the Mainland. This will in turn assist young people to consider settling in the relevant entrepreneurial bases and starting businesses therein in the future.
		2018/19	Not Applicable	
		2019/20	Not Applicable	
		2020/21	Not Applicable	
		2021/22	\$ 360,000	
10. Mental Health Initiatives Funding Scheme (Phase 1)	District Grassroots Organisations	2017/18	Not Applicable	Established in 2021, the objective of which is to fund projects that could help provide better support to the needy in the community and raise public awareness of mental health.
		2018/19	Not Applicable	
		2019/20	Not Applicable	
		2020/21	Not Applicable	
		2021/22	\$ 12,230,000	
11. Mental Health Initiatives Funding Scheme	Youth Groups	2017/18	Not Applicable	(Ditto)
		2018/19	Not Applicable	
		2019/20	Not Applicable	

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(Phase 1)		2020/21	Not Applicable	
		2021/22	\$ 13,120,000	
12. Mental Health Initiatives Funding Scheme (Phase 1)	Women's Groups	2017/18	Not Applicable	(Ditto)
		2018/19	Not Applicable	
		2019/20	Not Applicable	
		2020/21	Not Applicable	
		2021/22	\$ 6,310,000	
All Dedicated Funds/ Subsidy Schemes	District Grassroots Organisations	2017/18	\$ 53,110,000 (20%)	Not Applicable
		2018/19	\$ 53,190,000 (20%)	
		2019/20	\$ 79,840,000 (25%)	
		2020/21	\$ 82,630,000 (31%)	
		2021/22	\$ 94,240,000 (28%)	
	Youth Groups	2017/18	\$ 211,900,000 (79%)	Not Applicable
		2018/19	\$ 205,580,000 (78%)	
		2019/20	\$ 232,950,000 (73%)	
		2020/21	\$ 179,040,000 (67%)	
		2021/22	\$ 237,680,000 (69%)	
	Women's Groups	2017/18	\$ 2,550,000 (1%)	Not Applicable
		2018/19	\$ 4,470,000 (2%)	

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		2019/20	\$ 4,880,000 (2%)	
		2020/21	\$ 4,210,000 (2%)	
		2021/22	\$ 10,520,000 (3%)	

- * In response to the development of the COVID-19 pandemic, HYAB (the former Home Affairs Bureau) have requested all funded organisations to suspend or postpone their outbound exchange and internship projects to the Mainland and overseas since early 2020. The expenditure for the year 2020-21 represents the expenses claimed for completed projects of preceding years on a reimbursement basis.
- # The expenditure for the year 2021-22 represents the expenses claimed for completed projects of preceding years on a reimbursement basis and the expenses claimed for uncompleted projects due to the pandemic on a reimbursement basis under a special sponsorship.
- ^ The expenditure for the year 2019-20 includes the final allocation for Funding Scheme for Youth Life Planning Activities (2016-18) and Project Extension and the first phase allocation for the Funding Scheme for Youth Life Planning Activities (2019-22).
- @ Under the Funding Scheme for Youth Entrepreneurship in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area, about \$130 million has been granted for 16 NGOs to organise youth entrepreneurship projects. As for the Funding Scheme for Experiential Programmes at Innovation and Entrepreneurial Bases in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area, about \$5 million was granted for 15 NGOs to organise short-term experiential programmes at the entrepreneurial bases in the Mainland cities of the Greater Bay Area.