





COMPETITIONS
AND
AWARD
SCHEMES

CLP Energy for Brighter Tomorrows Award ↘

Organised by the Federation and sponsored by CLP Power Hong Kong Ltd. (CLP), the Award acknowledges and supports young people who have overcome adversity with a positive attitude. In 2022, 195 nominations from 87 schools and NGOs were received, and 20 of them were selected after undergoing two rounds of interviews.

The Awards Ceremony, officiated by the Hon. Kenneth Fok Kai-kong, JP, Member of the Legislative Council, was held on 6 August 2022. Each winning student was awarded a scholarship of HK\$10,000. They will also join a one-year mentorship programme with CLP engineers.



Turning Point - Youth Improvement Award ↘

It is easier to fall and fail than it is to pick oneself up and try again. This is especially so for teenagers who have made mistakes but want to change course.

With continued support from The Lions Club of Tsuen Wan and the Correctional Services Department, the Turning Point - Youth Improvement Award, in its ninth year, recognises the efforts of young people who have turned their lives away from drugs, gangs, and other criminal behaviour to become law-abiding and contributing members of society. All this fitted well into the year's theme, "Activating Positivity".

Eight awardees, aged between 15 and 26, were recognised and at an Awards Presentation Ceremony in May 2022 at The HKFYG Youth Crime Prevention Centre, received their awards from the Commissioner of Police, Mr. Raymond Siu Chak-ye, PDSM, PMSM and the President of Lions Club of Tsuen Wan, Mr. Sy Lai-yin.



Innovation and Technology Scholarship

For the past 11 years, 275 young talents in the fields of science, engineering and health-related studies have been awarded the Innovation and Technology Scholarships.

Supported and sponsored by The Innovation and Technology Commission and HSBC, annually 25 awardees each receive a scholarship of HK\$150,000 to take part in a series of elite training opportunities through the Overseas or Mainland Attachment Programme, Mentorship Programme, Local Internship Programme and Service Project Programme.

This year, the Scholarship also supported awardees to further their studies at overseas or Mainland renowned institutions. Due to the pandemic, some of the awardees participated in online attachment programmes. They were also able to intern in technology corporations and government departments.

Over the years, over 65% of graduated awardees have either set up their own technology businesses or are working in the innovation and technology industries; another 25% are enrolled in postgraduate studies.

In parallel with the Scholarship, the Innovation and Technology Scholarship Alumni Association and "Hub for the Future" offer support to previous winners, while also promoting science and technology in schools and the community.



HKFYG English Public Speaking Contest

This year, over 1,000 students from 113 secondary schools joined the English Public Speaking Contest, which supports them to improve their English language speaking skills and confidence through online competitions. After three fierce rounds, ten finalists in two divisions were required to deliver a prepared speech on the theme of "Compassion and Resilience" followed by a Q&A session. The Hon. Andrew Leung, GBM, GBS, JP, President of the Legislative Council, was invited to be the Guest of Honour. The other judges included, Mr. Kenneth Chen, SBS, Vice-President of the HKFYG, and Mr. C.M. Chan, President of The Law Society of Hong Kong.

Co-organised with The English Speaking Union (Hong Kong), the competition was supported by different organisations, including the Education Bureau, British Council Hong Kong, The Chinese Manufacturers' Association of Hong Kong and The Law Society of Hong Kong.



Outstanding participants were invited to join the Sir Ti Liang Yang English Language Ambassadors Outreach Programme to further promote public speaking. The winners were nominated to represent Hong Kong at national and international public speaking competitions.

