



The 2024 Ministry of Education Huayu Enrichment Scholarship Program (for Mandarin studies)

For Education Division of TECO in San Francisco

Education Division in San Francisco serves the residents of the following region: California (North), Nevada, Utah, Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming

I. Purpose:

The Scholarship is created by the Ministry of Education (MOE) of the Republic of China (Taiwan), which provides a great opportunity to study Mandarin Chinese language and learn about Taiwan's culture at a Taiwan's university-affiliated Mandarin Chinese learning center. This program also aims to promote friendship between the United States and the Republic of China (Taiwan), as well as increase educational links for both countries' institutions of language learning.

II. Duration and Period of Scholarship:

- a. Two-month summer term (between June 1st and August 31^s, 2024 only)
- b. Three months (between September 1st, 2024 and August 31st, 2025)
- c. Six months (between September 1st, 2024 and August 31st, 2025)
- d. Nine months (between September 1st, 2024 and August 31st, 2025)

III. Scholarship Particular:

A monthly stipend of **NTD25,000** (approximately US\$800) will be disbursed through the scholarship recipient's Mandarin Chinese learning center after the class session begins.

IV. Eligibility:

An applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

- a. Is 18 years of age or over.
- b. Is a USA national.



- c. Is a high school graduate or above, of good moral character and does not have any criminal records.
- d. Is not a R.O.C. (Taiwan) national.
- e. Does not have the status of being a R.O.C. (Taiwan) overseas compatriot student.
- f. Is not currently a registered student at a Taiwan's Mandarin training center, and has never been a degree pursuing student at any universities or colleges in Taiwan.
- g. Is not an exchange student in accordance with any agreements of cooperation between an international university/college and an educational institute in Taiwan, in the period of receiving a Huayu Enrichment scholarship.
- h. Has never received a Huayu Enrichment Scholarship, a Taiwan Scholarship, or a Taiwan-United States Sister Relations Alliance (TUSA) Summer Scholarship.
- i. Does not have any revocation records regarding the Taiwan Scholarship Program, the Ministry of Education Huayu (Mandarin) Enrichment Scholarship Program, or the Taiwan-United States Sister Relations Alliance (TUSA) Summer Scholarship Program.
- j. Is not a recipient of any other scholarship or subsidy offered by the Taiwan government or by any other educational institutions in Taiwan.

V. Application Deadlines:

- a. Applicants for two-month summer term must submit application documents by **March 22th, 2024**.
- b. Deadline for the other applicants will be **March 31st, 2024**.

VI. Application Documents:

- a. One completed Application Form
Online application form are available at <https://taiwanscholarship.moe.gov.tw/Apply>.
After completing the online application form, please submit it with other required documents to our office.
- b. One photocopy of the passport or other nationality certificates
- c. One completed sheet of the "Scholarship Terms of Agreement"
- d. One photocopy of the highest-level diploma and that of the academic transcript
- e. One photocopy of the application form for admission to a Taiwan's university-affiliated Mandarin Chinese learning center (Mandarin Chinese centers in Taiwan)



https://lmit.edu.tw/lc/school_list

- f. Two reference letters

VII. Application submission:

Applicants who permanently live in the state of Alaska, northern California (as far south as Fresno), Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington or Wyoming must submit the completed application documents to our office by mail or by email before the deadline:

Mailing address:

Education Division, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San Francisco

555 Montgomery Street, Suite 503, San Francisco, CA 94111

Attn: 2024 Huayu Enrichment Scholarship

Email address:

sfmoe503@gmail.com / Subject: 2024 Huayu Enrichment Scholarship Application

VIII. Selection & Notification of Application Result:

- a. The selection of applicants will be based on review of application documents and if necessary, it may include an interview.
- b. Applicants will be individually notified by e-mail of the results of a preliminary selection before May 31st, 2024.
- c. Successful applicants in the preliminary selection will be required to submit a photocopy of their admission letter from the Mandarin Chinese learning center stated in their application to the Education Division of TECO in San Francisco by the requested deadline. Late submission of this document after the deadline will be deemed as a waiver for accepting the scholarship. In this case, the alternative(s) will be informed to fill any vacancy(s). The class period specified in the admission must be coordinate with the duration of the scholarship. Once the admission is verified, the Education Division of TECO in San Francisco will issue an Award Certificate to fully confirm the award status.

X. Contact for Inquiries:

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