

## **Open University Malaysia Post Graduate Diploma of Teaching Scholarship Regulations**

1. Objective: Provide professional education training to teachers who do not familiar with Chinese languages and non-Chinese teachers in Chinese Independent Secondary School.
2. Description: In order to allow teachers who do not familiar with Chinese languages and non-Chinese teachers who serve in Chinese Independent Secondary School to receive the same educational courses, we have cooperated with OUM nowadays to provide educational courses with Bahasa Malaysia and English as the medium of instruction to improve the overall level of teachers in Chinese Independent Secondary School.
3. Course description: Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching (hereinafter referred to as PGDT) is a one-year teacher professional qualification course which offered by Open University Malaysia (OUM) and recognized by Malaysia Qualification Agency (MQA). This course is designed for educators whose teaching qualification have not been recognized by nation and wish to pursue more professional teacher education and training.
4. Application conditions:
  - a. Priority admission for teachers who do not familiar with Chinese languages and non-Chinese teachers;
  - b. Have an undergraduate diploma with MQA certification and a CGPA of 2.5 or above;
  - c. If applicant's CGPA is less than 2.5, you must have at least 5 years of teaching-related experience (can be evidenced by the principal's recommendation letter).

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5. Course details:
  - a. Start time: May, 2021
  - b. Duration: 1 year
  - c. Semester: 3 semesters, 17 weeks per semester, will be starting on May, September and January (2022) respectively.
  - d. Teaching location: OUM campus all over Malaysia, regarding to minimum students number. (Refer to Attachment 3)
  - e. Teaching method: Under Covid-19 circumstances, OUM will maintain Fully Online Mode, until further notice.
  
6. Fee details:
  - a. 1st semester: RM 5000;
  - b. 2nd semester: RM 2120;
  - c. 3rd Semester: RM 2120;
  - d. Registration fee: RM50
  - e. Retake course fee: RM 200 (If students need to retake courses, payment should be made by students.)
  
7. Scholarship:
  - a. Yu Cai Foundation will provide sixty scholarships which worth RM5000 for each qualified teachers to apply ;
  - b. The selection, review and issuance of scholarship applications will be perform by the Yu Cai Foundation.
  
8. Scholarship application conditions:
  - a. Teachers who serve in Chinese Independent Secondary School and Kuantan Chong Hwa High School.
  - b. Priority admission for non-Chinese teachers;
  - c. Students who apply scholarship must sign an in-service teaching agreement with current school;
  - d. Only students who have signed up through Dong Zong can apply for scholarships.

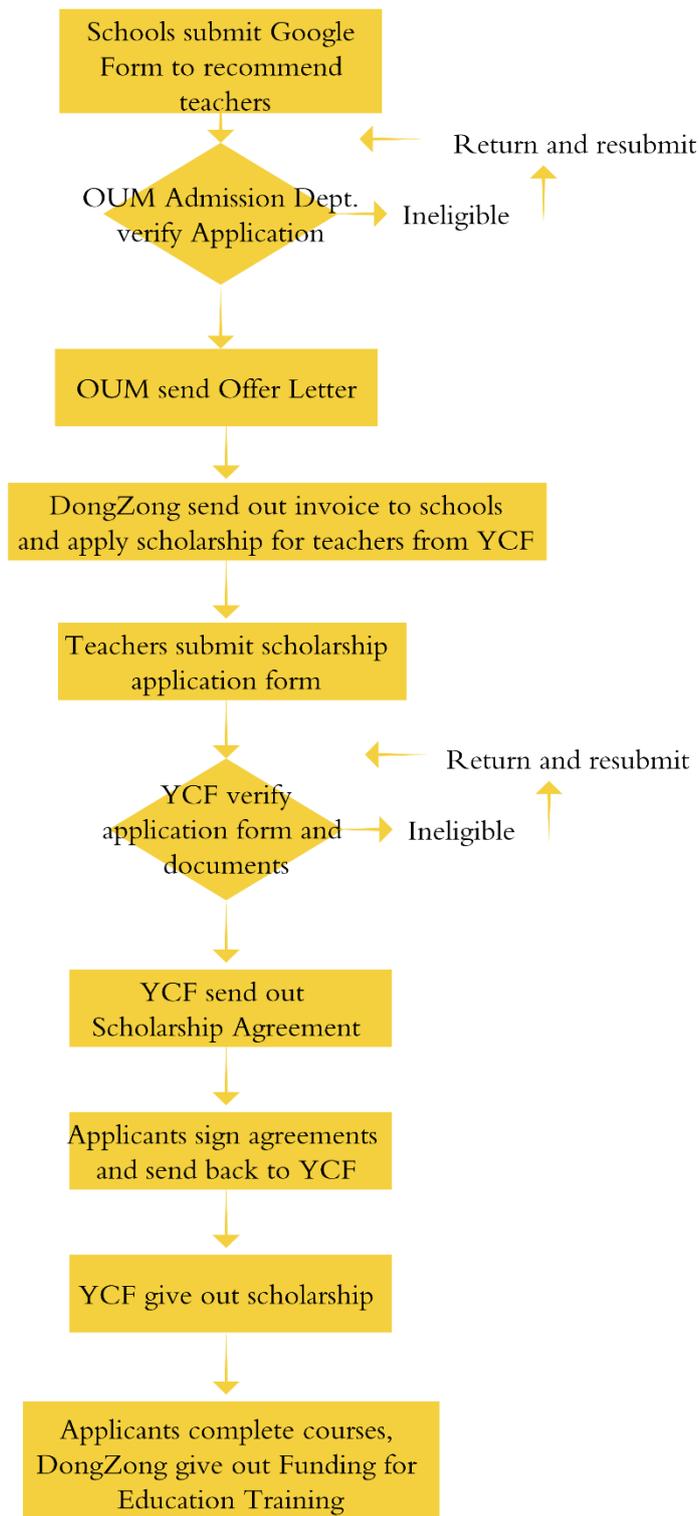
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### 9. Dong Zong Funding for Education Training

According to the “Methods for the Education Funding Program for Teachers of Chinese Independent High Schools Funded by Dong Zong”, those who have applied for the PGDT after the Dong Zong and OUM, passed the assessment and successfully completed the course. The application will be submitted by the enrolling school. After passing the review, each will receive a grant of RM1000. The main purpose of this funding is to reduce school’s burden and encourage more teachers to enroll in teaching courses in order to improve the professional level of teaching.

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10. Registration procedure:



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### Notice:

- a. Application form of OUM PGDT (Google Form) has to be filled up by principals or Head of Academic Department. Applicants should attach documents below in order to complete the application: Softcopy of Identity Card, Degree Certificate, Bachelor Transcript, and profile picture.
- b. Application form of YuCai Scholarship will be prepared by YCF, applicants should submit following documents: Softcopy of Identity Card, Offer Letter of OUM (which will be received after enrollment), and Teachers' Agreement. Whereas the Agreement should present "Year limitation teachers should serve in school after complete the course".
- c. Applicants of YuCai Scholarship should sign Scholarship Contract with YCF, to ensure applicants complete courses in time.

### 11. Lessons details:

- a. Details of OUM PGDT, please refer to Attachment. 3;
- b. To ensure students get the best quality education in limited time, DongZong and YuCai Foundation suggest students take 3 courses every semester. If students request to take less than 3 courses, students should provide reasonable explanation, and get agreement from DongZong and YuCai Foundation.

### 12. Enquiries:

Please contact Mr. Tan Chun Liang, DongZong Teachers' Education Department: [chunliang\\_tan@dongzong.my](mailto:chunliang_tan@dongzong.my).

13. If there are any imperfections in this chapter, after discussion and acceptance, DongZong Teachers' Education Department has the right to add or delete it.

Attachment 1: OUM PGDT Scholarship Regulations (2021) (Chinese version)

Attachment 2: OUM PGDT Scholarship Regulations (2021) (English version)

Attachment 3: Introduction of OUM PGDT Courses

Attachment 4: Application form of OUM PGDT (Google Form) (For preview purpose only)