TutorABC Study Chinese in Taiwan Scholarship Guidelines (2026 Edition)

1. Purpose
The *TutorABC "Study Chinese in Taiwan" Scholarship* (hereinafter referred to as "the Scholarship") is established by **TutorABC Chinese** to promote international cultural exchange, encourage global learners to study Chinese in Taiwan, and support outstanding foreign learners who are passionate about the Chinese language and culture.

2. Objectives
This Scholarship aims to:

- Encourage international learners to experience Taiwan's high-quality Chinese language education environment.
- Support learners who demonstrate academic excellence, passion for language learning, and cultural curiosity.
- Promote cross-cultural understanding and strengthen Taiwan's visibility as a global destination for Mandarin study.

3. Eligibility
Applicants must meet **all** of the following requirements:

1. Be a foreign national (non–R.O.C. citizen) with a valid passport.
2. Be at least 18 years of age by the time of application.
3. Hold a high school diploma or above.
4. Have applied for or obtained admission to a recognized **Chinese language program in Taiwan** (proof of admission/enrollment required).
5. Have not received this Scholarship before.

4. Number and Duration of Awards

1. The number of scholarships shall be determined by TutorABC.
2. Each recipient will receive a **one-time scholarship stipend of NT$30,000**
3. Each recipient will also receive **30 complimentary 1-on-1 online Chinese lessons** on TutorABC Chinese.
4. Each individual may receive the Scholarship **only once**.

5. Application Period
Applications open annually. The exact dates will be announced on the official **TutorABC Chinese website and social media channels**.

6. Required Documents
Applicants must submit the following:

1. Completed online application form (including personal statement).
2. Copy of passport (bio-data page).
3. Copy of the highest academic transcript or diploma.
4. Proof of admission or enrollment from a recognized Chinese language center in Taiwan.
5. One letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer, or community leader.
6. (Optional) Chinese language proficiency certificate (TOCFL or equivalent).

7. Selection Process

1. TutorABC shall establish a **Scholarship Review Committee** composed of representatives from the Academic, Operations, and Marketing departments, and may include external advisors.
2. The Committee shall review applications based on the following criteria:
    - Academic performance and motivation (40%)
    - Personal statement and interview performance (40%)
    - Cultural engagement potential and global representation (20%)

3. Selected candidates will be notified via email and announced on the official TutorABC Chinese website.
4. Alternate candidates may be placed on a waiting list in case any recipient declines the scholarship.
5. The Committee's decision shall be final and not subject to appeal.

8. Scholarship Obligations

Recipients must:

1. Maintain regular attendance at their enrolled Chinese language center and may not be absent for more than 10 classroom hours in any given month without a valid reason.
2. Submit a copy of their monthly transcript and attendance record issued by the language center to TutorABC for verification.
3. Comply with all local laws, visa requirements, and the regulations of the language center during their stay in Taiwan.

Recipients may be invited to voluntarily share their learning experiences related to studying Chinese in Taiwan. Participation in such activities is optional and will not affect the recipient's scholarship eligibility.

Recipients are encouraged to submit a short study reflection describing their learning experience in Taiwan within three (3) months of receiving the scholarship stipend.

9. Payment and Disbursement

1. The scholarship consists of a one-time stipend of NT$30,000.
2. The stipend will be disbursed after the recipient has completed the first full month of study at the enrolled Chinese language center and submitted the monthly attendance record and transcript issued by the language center for verification.
3. TutorABC reserves the right to withhold or cancel the scholarship stipend if the recipient fails to maintain regular attendance, withdraws from the program, or does not provide the required verification documents.
4. The stipend will be issued in New Taiwan Dollars (NTD) in Taiwan through an approved payment method determined by TutorABC.

10. Withdrawal and Termination

TutorABC reserves the right to revoke the Scholarship and require reimbursement of funds in part or in full if the recipient:

1. Withdraws from the program or is expelled by the language center.
2. Is absent for more than 10 classroom hours in any given month without a valid reason or fails to maintain satisfactory academic performance as determined by the language center.
3. Violates R.O.C. laws or any rules set by the language center or TutorABC.
4. Submits false or misleading information in their application.
5. Refuses to participate in required promotional activities.

In such cases, TutorABC may require the recipient to return part or all of the disbursed funds within a specified period.

11. Publicity and Use of Information

With the recipient's prior consent, TutorABC may use non-commercial content voluntarily shared by the recipient (such as photos, written reflections, or testimonials) for educational or cultural exchange purposes related to Chinese learning. Such use is not a condition of the scholarship and does not constitute compensation for services.

12. Other Provisions

1. Any matters not covered in these Guidelines shall be subject to the discretion of TutorABC.
2. TutorABC reserves the right to interpret, revise, suspend, or terminate these Guidelines at any time.
3. In case of discrepancies between the English and Chinese versions of these Guidelines, the **English version shall prevail**.
4. In all disputes or matters of interpretation, **TutorABC's decision shall be final**.