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Seven recipients of OSK scholarships

OSK Foundation awarded scholarships to seven deserving students from Tunku Abdul Rahman University College (TAR UC) this year.

The full scholarship programme, introduced in 2017, covers the cost of the diploma courses and a monthly living allowance.

All recipients are currently studying the first year of their diploma programmes in various fields including Business Studies majoring in Accounting, Business Administration, E-Commerce & Marketing, and Finance & Investment.

The scholarship award scheme also gives recipients an opportunity for internship or practical training at OSK Group or its affiliates if so required as part of their programme of study.

Speaking at the awards presentation ceremony, OSK Foundation chief executive officer Cheryl Ong said: "We are pleased to be able to partner with TAR UC once again in providing the opportunity for tertiary education for these deserving students."

"It is no secret that a good education has the power to change the life of a person, and hopefully the ripple effects of that will bring about positive impact to the lives of the family and community surrounding that person as well," she said.



Leong Huat (third from left, back row) with TAR UC representatives and the scholarship recipients at the presentation ceremony.

Cheryl presented the scholarships to the students.

This was witnessed by OSK Group executive chairman Tan Sri Ong Leong Huat and TAR UC vice president of student affairs and quality assurance Dr Chook Ka Joo and other representatives from the institution.

Leong Huat spent some time with the students and shared his experiences and words of wisdom.

These included to always count their blessings and be a blessing to others when they are able to. He also encouraged them to study and work hard in order to achieve their dreams.

In line with the philosophy of paying it forward, apart from the financial assistance, scholarship recipients are also required to undergo a minimum of 20 hours volunteering for community service each semester.

This is to instil the practice of giving back to society as well as to

mould the recipients into well-rounded individuals.

At the end of the ceremony, Dr Chook thanked OSK Foundation for investing in the students' lives.

He emphasised the importance of education to the recipients and to keep on working hard in order to be successful.