## HKMA David Li Kwok Po College Plan concerning the use of the Capacity Enhancement Grant 2008-2009

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| The diverse special learning needs of students | This builds upon previous work done before 2008-09 whereby a framework was created that addressed the following:  a. To identify clientele that needed help,  b. To be timely, c. To show intervention d. To have close monitoring There is a need within the College to employ a staff member, trained in meeting the needs of both gifted students and those with learning difficulties. The employment of a single, experienced and suitably qualified staff member can help in the reduction of teachers' workload within the Guidance-counseling and Discipline teams. | To continue to employ one fully experienced school counselor to work full time at the College concerning the following main tasks: | Teachers can reduce their workload in handling such students via this scheme and follow-up programs.  The use of a trained specialist can help teachers in their communication with parents. Teachers can then concentrate upon other, core activities, such as classroom teaching.  A specialist is also required so that the time allocated to students in need can be used effectively. Having a trained and experienced specialist is of prime importance. | An implementation framework was initially developed in 2004/05 and has been revised in subsequent years owing to both the success and importance of previous work done. | The employment of a full time Senior School Counselor.  The cost of which = (\$26,510 x 12), plus MPF (12,000), plus pension scheme (\$47,7i8) =  Grand Total: (\$365,838) | 1. At least 10 students from both categories have been identified and have programmes created for them. | EIS data                | Mr. Nicholas<br>Puiu, Principal<br>of the School |

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|           | the focus of previous CEG's for three main reasons:  1. It is an area that if not using an external            | Identification Scheme (EIS).   |   | Remedial programs, an individual education plan (IEP) for students with learning difficulties and the identification of students who require acceleration to be carried out by mid-November 2008, and throughout the following school year. |                       | 2. A decline in the rate of such students missing homework, and failing to meet promotion criteria. | Promotion and<br>homework data                              | DP (AA)<br>DP (SA)<br>EIS Coord' |
|           | area has become<br>an important part<br>of the College's<br>work,<br>particularly as<br>academic               | 2. to work with both the College's Academic Affairs and Guidance and Counseling teams to develop criteria that identifies students in category 1, above. | Students with varied<br>abilities requiring<br>attention can be<br>identified as soon as<br>possible  | Follow-up and monitoring of student progress throughout the school year.  |                       | 3. Improved academic attainment by both groups of students  | Self-evaluation<br>by the School<br>Counselor               |                                  |
|           | both staff and students.  3. The last aspect is that previous success in this area has proven that money spent | remedial programmes<br>and programmes that<br>meet the needs of<br>students who require<br>more accelerated<br>learning.                                 | Not only can teacher<br>workload be reduced,<br>but the strategies<br>developed can be<br>more reflective of a<br>wider range of<br>opinions.                                     | Creating parent workshops throughout the whole school year.   |                       |   |   |                                  |
|           | well allocated as implemented  | 4.to work collaboratively with the parents of these students parents to maintain and evaluate their progress   | The school will create a better studying atmosphere and a more effective educational environment. Students will understand their own educational needs and abilities as a result. | Individual meetings (amongst Parents/Teachers/School Counselor/Students) to be held throughout the whole school year, particularly when students are identified as having problems.   |                       | 4.Enhanced parents', teachers' and students' own awareness of their needs and competence.           | Evaluation by<br>teachers and by<br>the school<br>Principal |                                  |

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|           |               | 5. to support parents | Better communication  |                |           | 5. Having clear      | Self-assessment   |         |
|           |               | through counseling    | with parents who have |                |           | procedures for       | by such students  |         |
|           |               | meetings and "Parent  | students with         |                |           | identifying both     | and their parents |         |
|           |               | Education" workshops. | individual needs      |                |           | struggling students, |                   |         |
|           |               |                       |                       |                |           | and students who     |                   |         |
|           |               |                       |                       |                |           | require acceleration |                   |         |
|           |               |                       |                       |                |           | and an overall plan  |                   |         |
|           |               |                       |                       |                |           | for each of the      |                   |         |
|           |               |                       |                       |                |           | students concerned.  |                   |         |