

# THE NKGARE AWARD

PROPOSAL

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# **Inspiration**

It has become increasingly socially acceptable to not be good be in Mathematics. This phenomenon is very detrimental to a long list of quantitative study fields most especially the natural sciences & mathematics as a subject itself. There is no overestimating the extent to which this ignorance will harm our society as the modern world increasingly relies on science and technology. Livingstone Kolobeng College has some of the best Mathematics teachers in the country. Students, however, are not keeping their end of the bargain as they should. This award serves as one of the measures to awaken that spirit of learning in LKC students...

# Sponsor's background

Emmanuel Nkgare is a former student of Livingstone Kolobeng College (Class of 2017 May-June) Advanced Levels program - currently majoring in Actuarial Science in Pennsylvania State University. Throughout his stay in LKC, he has demonstrated academic prowess most especially in Mathematics. He, amongst other things, has undying passion for business economics and philanthropy.

As of today, he has established himself as a public speaker, a leader, and a proud scholar of the Capital Honors Scholars in Penn State University.

This award is filed under his education-inspiring movement called THUTOTHEBE. Details on this movement can be found at: <a href="https://www.thutothebelive.com">www.thutothebelive.com</a>

# **Objectives**

- To encourage students to strive for excellence in Mathematics & hence promote Mathematics as a field of study to consider a career in.
- To inspire Mathematically-sound reasoning in LKC students.
- To stimulate a spirit of generosity from LKC alumni to contribute in the development of LKC.

## **Terms and Conditions**

The award should be given out during the annual prize giving ceremony.

Every year, the competition genre for the award will be different. The sponsor reserves the full rights to choice of genre and topic. The banner containing all the competition details is attached to this document.

It is available to compete for only LKC students from the form 4, 5 and 6 pools.

It would typically be an engraved trophy bearing the words:

# NKGARE AWARD [20XY] STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE IN MATHEMATICS

where [20XY] would be replaced by the year it is being issued.

A goodie bag, gift card or cash of P500.00 will accompany the trophy to go with.

The award would be sponsored annually for 3 years beginning 2018, by Emmanuel Nkgare. After then, its terms and conditions can be reviewed and its validity possibly renewed.

This award is subject to withdrawal by either party at any time. However, good faith is encouraged for better relations.

## **Plan of Implementation**

With approval of this proposal the following procedure would be adopted:

### **Role of Livingstone Kolobeng College (LKC)**

- Inform LKC students of this award long before awarding ceremony so they could inspire to work & compete for this award. A video of no longer than 30 minutes would do for all form 4, 5 & 6 students. The video can contain motivational story of the sponsor & perhaps other well-known people who encourage excellence in Mathematics.
- Print several copies of the attached banner (on A4) for display. This will also facilitate making the competition known to the LKC students.
- Collect applications from all participants in due time and forward to the sponsor.
- Notify the sponsor of an upcoming annual prize awarding ceremony, receive monetary sponsorship from sponsor & process engraved trophy and goodie bag at any local engraving parlor.
- Present the award to the deserving student during annual prize giving ceremony.

### Role of Emmanuel Nkgare (sponsor)

- Provide monetary sponsorship of P 600.00 annually for the next 3 years to finance the 'Nkgare Award'
- Assign the genre, due date and topic guidelines for the 'Nkgare Award'
- Facilitate grading and final decision-making of which participant is to be awarded the.