



# BRIGHT SIDE PROJECTS

## 臺灣嚮光協會

### ESSENTIAL LIFE TRAINING SKILLS FOR YOUTH

Bright Side Project's unique Brighter Futures Initiative empowers youth via paid apprenticeship and educational support for a brighter future. This has been in mind for us for the past few years to be able to provide our kids with guidance on the next step in the journey of life. This organically came to be after we had been in operation for almost a decade and we knew that our kids, now growing into young adults, needed support in other parts of their lives.

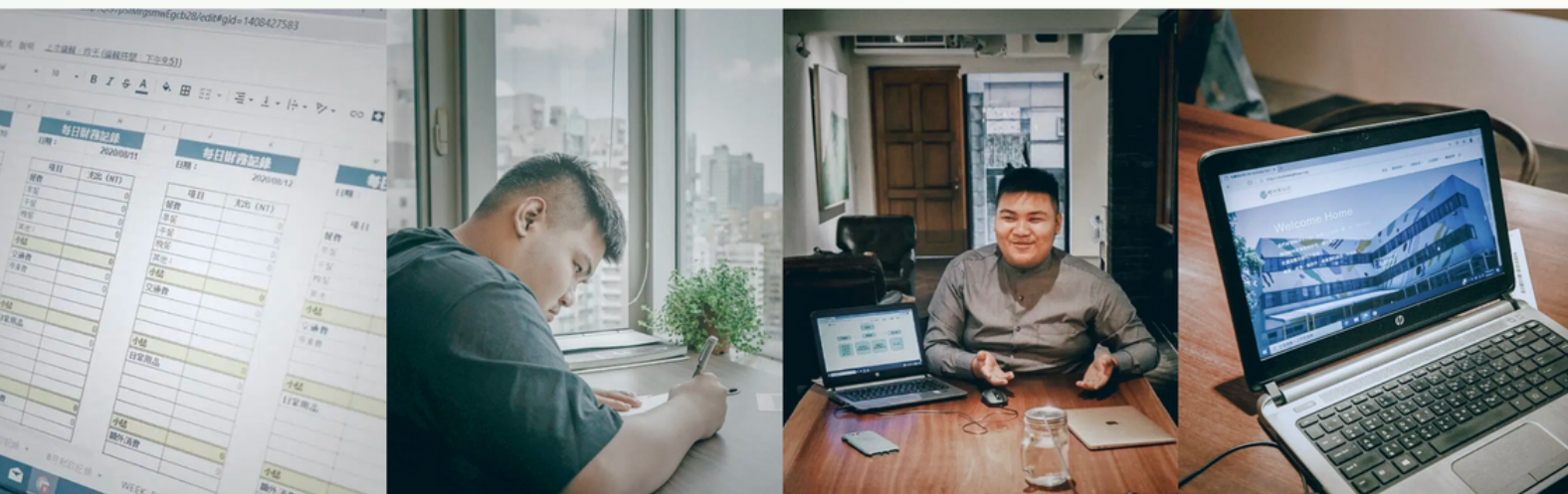
We had provided mentoring and assisted with health check ups, prescription eyewear exams, and accompanying children to job interview and college interviews before we launched the program in 2019.

In 2020 we kicked off our essential life skill training and had mentorships, tutoring in mathematics, mock interviews, and provided youth with paid volunteer opportunities at various industries to enhance their network and skills.



and even had one of our youths from 2013 Toayuan Muhsiang Children's Home come in the Bright Side Projects headquarters as a paid summer apprentice.





In the two month stint, we had assigned a series of tasks and goals to achieve. He learned how to build a website, set a foundation for basic budget management, hone his writing skills for his planned future in social services, and create presentations in newly decked out work attire that increased his confidence. He also joined in our workshops to assist younger kids who were once his age when he first met us!

Each work day started off with going over his daily tasks and assigning him a mentor to oversee and guide him. Learning was not just a one way street as we also learned so much from him and so proud to have him head out to volunteer for human rights and also accomplish a dream - build a website for the children's home! You can check it out the site which was so

impressive that the children's home actually took over to start officially using it: <http://muhsianghome.org>

We want to thank all of our interns and volunteers for also assisting with mentoring the youth. Please find find updates in regards to the life training skills for the first year of the Brighter Futures Initiative on the next page!

**THANK YOU!**



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# Step by Step

## PACE I

Workshops are an introduction and way to get to know each other and build trust

0 - 8

## PACE II

Revised according to changing youth preferences and learning levels

6-12

## BRIGHTER FUTURES I

Youth assistance in of education; mentoring, tutoring, skilled workshops

13 - 17

## BRIGHTER FUTURES II

Life skills prep in addition, tuition, interview, to job training and work opportunities

17 - 22

## COMPREHENSIVE SUPPORT SYSTEM

Continue to provide young adults with what they require to thrive in life for a Brighter Future

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# 2020 Figures

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FACE TO FACE MENTOR WORKSHOPS

20

HOURS OF FACE TO FACE INSTRUCTION

94

PARTICIPATION NUMBERS TOTAL

40

HOURS OF ONLINE TUTORING