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High Schools

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The Evergreen Education Foundation is a **US based non-profit** organization with a strategic focus on improving education for children and young adults in rural China; **promoting information literacy** via school and community libraries; and **servicing as a bridge between China and the world** in joint efforts to better the rural education.

The Evergreen Education Foundation (EEF) was founded 2001 by a group of Chinese and American professionals and academics. The **Foundation's purpose is to enhance educational opportunities for middle and high school children in rural China**. Seed money has been provided by Mr. Richard Hsin, a Hong Kong entrepreneur and philanthropist.

Programs of Evergreen Education Foundation **focus on developing rural schools and community libraries**, capacity building of educators and librarians, and helping passionate yet financially disadvantaged rural students to secure education opportunities. Our programs are constantly evolving to catch up with fast changing students and community needs. Nonetheless, Evergreen works through **three fundamental programs** to achieve its goal.

The Library Information Literacy Program focuses on developing rural school and community libraries.

The Scholarship Program sponsors promising but financially disadvantaged students.

The Teacher Development Program builds the skills, abilities and knowledge of educators and librarians through workshops, conferences, and study tours.

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Bring Education Opportunities to Rural China

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**LIBRARY
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**TEACHER
DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAM**

**SCHOLARSHIP
PROGRAM**

EEF BY THE NUMBERS - SINCE 2001

Evergreen Education Foundation (EEF) has brought many educational opportunities to rural China. The following some numbers which reflect EEF's impact:

Granted **1,926+** SCHOLARSHIPS to **677 individual students** from **17 schools** located in **9 rural provinces**, of the 677 scholarship-winners **330+ students attended universities**, with some admitted to the 1st tier universities such as Peking University and Tsinghua University; Other students were well employed. Assisted **60+** RURAL LIBRARIES from **9 provinces** with service automation softwares and development guidance, which resulted 1 of the libraries being promoted two times in a row in the National Public Library Rating, and 2 school libraries becoming the regional school-library-training-bases. Completed **130+** PROJECTS in the form of small hands-on projects or extended large scale projects. Provided **8** TRAINING WORKSHOPS for rural educators and librarians. Jointly hosted **7 INTERNATIONAL TECHNOLOGY IN EDUCATION (ITIE) CONFERENCES** in **10** venues. Sponsored **1600+** RURAL EDUCATORS AND LIBRARIANS to attend Evergreen workshops and conferences. **1** STUDY TOUR of **30 teachers + librarians** to libraries and educational & cultural institutions in Taiwan. **1** STUDY TOUR of **2 teachers** to Project-Based Learning & Makerspace Workshop in USA. Co-authored **17** ACADEMIC PAPERS by our rural teachers, librarians and, researcher volunteers. Some of these papers were **presented at well-established international conferences such as IFLA and IASL**, or published in international peer-reviewed journals such as Library Trends. Our programs has reached **1600+** rural chinese schools, **4500+** teachers, **74600+** students, **13500+** and community members.

If you or your organization would like to join effort with us, please visit our website for more information.