

Sample of Personal Statement- Medical

When I was seven, I had the first impression of illness and mortality. My grandfather was healthy as we used to spend time on hiking, swimming and biking together. However, the doctor diagnosed him as being in the last stage of cancer. When we visited him in the hospital, he was much thinner, older and tired. At that moment, I realized how illness can torture a human and cause fatal death. I wish to become a doctor to save the patients like my grandfather since then.

This idea has been imprinted in my mind for a decade. It inspired my interest in Science especially in Biology and Chemistry during my education. I was amazed by the structure of human body and the chemistry reaction. These subjects always arouse my curiosity and strengthen my passion on medical study. I wish that I could gain more medical knowledge to treat more patients and to help them become healthy.

Last summer, I took part in a hospital volunteer programme. During the programme, it was impressive to visit the pediatric ward. I cannot imagine that the adorable children suffer terribly with their illnesses. I want to heal the children. After participating this valuable volunteer programme, I am looking forward to developing my career of medical.

Apart from gaining the medical and science knowledge, hiking is my devoted hobby which I have been doing for four years regularly. The most memorable experience for me was a training camp held by the Outward Bound HK. During rock climbing, I reminded myself to have perseverance and never give up easily when facing difficulties. This training camp helped young people in self-development, such as improving willpower, self-discipline and teamwork, which cannot be directly learned from theories in books and lectures in classrooms.

At least, I strongly believe that besides my good academic results, my past experience and interests that I have are essential in the success of my university education and my career. I hope I can realize my dream by stepping in the faculty of medicine. I am looking forward to having an opportunity to serve the medical field and our local community in Hong Kong.