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Give brief answers unless otherwise stated. ONE mark for each answer unless otherwise stated.

PASSAGE A

Complete the following table on autism and Rainbow Project (RP) using information in the passage. (10 marks)

Syndrome in a child	<i>Speech problems</i>
Reason for frustration of autistic children	<i>Difficulty in expressing themselves</i>
First step for parents of these children to take	<i>Take the children (to psychologists) for diagnosis</i>
Two services previously provided by RP	<i>1. special education for autistic children 2. subsidized therapy for low-income families</i>
The base of RP until 2012	<i>Hong Kong Academy</i>
The district of the new site	<i>Sai Ying Pun</i>
The year when RP was ended	<i>2012</i>
The year when RP started to receive funding from Operation Santa Claus	<i>2014</i>
The target set for RP	<i>A school for autistic children</i>

Explain the following words/expressions found in paragraphs 3 &4 in the context of the passage. (3 marks)

beneficiary	<i>a person / group that receives charity or donations</i>
therapy	<i>treatment</i>
throwing tantrums	<i>Losing control / angry / upset</i>

PASSAGE B

Operation Santa Claus has received the following e-mail inquiries. Please use the information in Passage B to help prepare the replies. (16 marks) (2 marks for each reply with one mark for content and one mark for appropriate language and tone. No half marks are to be given.) An example is given for reference.

<p><i>My son aged 3 has been diagnosed with autism. He has been waiting to receive help from government clinics for a year now. I am worried. Is there any non-government organization that can help him?</i></p>	<p><i>Yes, there is. You can approach Rainbow Project. Your son will be able to receive subsidized speech therapy there.</i></p>
<p>I am a retired teacher. I have no children of my own. I have heard of children who are left on their own because their parents are in prison. Is there any training I can receive to become a caretaker of such children?</p>	<p>Yes, there is. You can approach Morning Tears Hong Kong. There is training for caregivers.</p>
<p>I am a single mother with a 6-year old son. I have to work until 7 every evening. I am looking for a charity which can offer my son after-school day care. Do you have any such organization as your beneficiaries?</p>	<p>No, we are sorry that there is no such organization as our beneficiary.</p>
<p>I am thinking of donating a few thousand dollars to Operation Santa Claus. Can I claim tax rebate? What do I have to do?</p>	<p>Yes, you can get tax rebate when your donation is over \$100. Just mail us the completed donation form and the original bank receipt. Then we will issue a tax receipt for your donation.</p>
<p>I am the owner of a small trading company. I want to exercise my social responsibility. Is there any organization which trains intellectually handicapped grown-ups? I can donate to this organization and I can also use their service.</p>	<p>Yes, there is the Hands On Hong Kong organization. They employ and train such adults to deliver fruits to offices.</p>
<p>My grand-father is recovering from a minor stroke. He has become handicapped in both movement and speaking. Is any one of your beneficiaries helping these patients? I can also donate towards this charity.</p>	<p>Yes, there is Centre for Community Cultural Development. They will soon form a choir of stroke survivors.</p>
<p>I am an architecture undergraduate looking for opportunities to use my skills to do volunteer work. Can you recommend one such charity to me?</p>	<p>Yes, you can approach Project Space for Squatter Kids. They need volunteers to repair the homes for needy people.</p>
<p>I think Hong Kong is quite rich already. I know in mainland China, some places are still quite deprived. I have a sum of \$50,000 to donate. Do you support any mainland charities which cater for the needs of sick babies?</p>	<p>Yes, there is the Children's Medical Foundation helping sick babies in underdeveloped areas in Yunan province.</p>
<p>I have a Filipino helper at home She often tells me stories about how her friends also domestic helpers being abused by their employers. Is any of your beneficiary organizations helping these workers?</p>	<p>Yes, there is Pathfinders which aims to educate migrant workers on their rights.</p>

You have just won a lottery amounting to \$1 million. You intend to use half of the amount to set up a charity project not listed here. Write a short description of your project including the target beneficiaries and the number as well as the services provided. You can use the descriptions of the charities listed in Passage B. (10 marks)

(6 marks for content/ 2 marks for format and genre/ 2 marks for language accuracy)

Any relevant answer