
Chikka.com

Posted by Coastie - 2007/11/09 09:05

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Re:Chikka.com

Posted by Jason - 2007/11/11 17:57

I have used chikka for several years and it works great but it does cost the persons load on the other end if they reply :(

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Re:Chikka.com

Posted by applebite - 2007/11/11 23:28

Coastie wrote:

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Locally... replies is 2.50 php per message sent.
Sending is free.:)

Overseas...replies is 15 or 20 php per message sent.
Sending is free.:P yay!!

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Re:Chikka.com

Posted by firefly550 - 2007/11/15 08:03

Thank goodness for Chikka. Sometimes i use my mobile to send an urgent text and that costs me 8.4 php which is expensive, but if my girl sends me a text then i pick up the e-mail on my mobile and then i can reply to her ;)

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Re:Chikka.com

Posted by Excited! - 2007/11/16 06:07

my wife has a system where she got her sister to buy a load for a phone bought there and then mailed the phone here to America. She nows has two phones - one from the Phils and one from here. She can use the phone from here to text free (unlimited) and her family and friends from the Phils can send text messages to the phone that came from the Phils for 1php. It works great and they can text her on that phone for the same as if she was in the philis. Super savings and the way to go.

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Re:Chikka.com

Posted by firefly550 - 2007/11/17 09:00

Could you post here James what she is using??

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Re:Chikka.com

Absolutely Mike!

I had to wait until she woke up this morning to find out. She says that she purchased a SMART simm card. She has what they call "Roaming" which means International in the Phils. She bought the simm card with 500php load at first and she has to maintain 100php for the account to stay active. So what she does is she texts them using the American phone that has unlimited texting and her family and friends in the Phils text the SMART simm card roaming phone for the same price as they would text her if she was in the Phils. Ena said 1 peso is all it cost them for each text.

As far as I know that is the cheapest method yet when it comes to texting. I hope that helps Mike!

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