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收購泉城大學剩餘股權,發行23.55 億可換股債券

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投資概要

中國教育集團控股爲一家高等教育和職業教育行業的公司。在擁有多年學校營運經驗的集團管理之下,我們相信收購標的提升潛力相當大。此外,低息貸款保障集團的併購能力,相信集團來自收購的增長將保持強勁。假設市盈率爲 28 倍(過去之平均值),得出目標價\$15.50 港元,並維持"增持"評級,潛在回報約 18.68%。(現價截至 4 月 18 日)

業務更新

集團在 3 月 20 日公布收購泉城大學剩餘的 49.09%股權,代價爲人民幣 2.23 億。學校 2018 年的稅後純利約人民幣 40 萬,總資產爲人民幣 7.78 億,淨資產則爲人民幣 3.77 億。泉城大學坐落中國山東省蓬萊市,爲濟南大學的獨立學院。目前,學校擁有本科專業 38 個,專科專業 9 個,包括經濟學、管理學、文學、理學、工學和藝術學等學科門類。2018 年在校學生爲 8,529 人,其中本科生約 6,900 多名。本科專業平均收費約 每年 RMB 11,000;專科專業則爲每年 RMB 8,000。

學校在 2018 年理科取錄學分是眾多山東獨立學院中最高,為 454 分。另外,相比山東省內的民辦大學及獨立學院,學校現時本科學費亦低於平均(RMB 13,500),只得 RMB 11,000,因此未來還有增長空間。最後,學校目前的利用率只有 86%,剩餘的空間可以再容納約 1,400 名學生,集團估計透過重修及加建等措施,校園最高可容納約 23,000 多名學生。在學費及在校人數均有望提升下,我們相信這會是理想的收購標的。

集團在 3 月 21 日公布發行 23.55 億港元五年期可換股債券,年利率只有 2%,兌換價 為每股 14.69 港元,較股價於 2019 年 3 月 21 日交易時段結束時之收市價(11.30 港元) 溢價 30%。

我們認為這次有助體現集團化辦學的優勢。雖然高等教育行業穩定,而且現金流充 沛,但為重資產行業,因此經常會以借貸方式發展。但個別學校進行借貸時,由於實 力不足,利率往往偏高。這正正反映出集團化辦學的優勢,集團化辦學可把業務分散 在多個地區,降低個別地區的風險,同時,集團化辦學規模較大,可帶來經濟規模, 從而降低學校營運成本,因此往往可以享受較低融資成本。除此之外,兌換價享有較 高溢價亦表示貸款機構對集團的未來股價樂觀。

集團早前給出的槓桿比率目標爲 40%-50%。在本次貸款後,我們預計槓桿比率將上升至 35%-40%,代表未來借貸還有一定上升空間。另外,由於這此發行的爲可換股債券,槓桿比率有機會因債券轉換成股份而令槓桿比率回落,使集團可以再度進行大額融資。假設收購每間新學校所需約 6-7 億人民幣,這次籌集的資金將足夠收購約 3 家學校。

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增持

現價 HKD 13.06 (現價截至 4 月 18 日) 目標價 HKD 15.50 (+18.68%)

公司資料

普通股股東 (百萬股): 2,020 市値 (港幣百萬元): 26,384 52 周 最高價/最低價 (港幣): 16.60 / 8.03

主要股東・% 于果 37.62 謝可滔 37.62

股價表現,%

	1個月	3 個月	1年
中教控股	6.18	20.04	27.54
恒生指數	2.43	11.20	-0.53

股價 & 恒生指數



Source: Phillip Securities (HK) Research

財務資料

RMB mn	FY17	FY18(8m)	FY19F	FY20F
Revenue	949	940	2,017	2,419
Net Profit	429	408	884	1072
EPS, RMB	0.282	0.177	0.394	0.478
PER, x	40.02	63.65	28.61	23.59
BVPS, RMB	3.70	3.04	3.32	3.65
P/BV, x	3.04	3.71	3.40	3.09
ROE, %	10.5	6.1	12.4	13.7

Source: Company reports, Phillip Securities Est.

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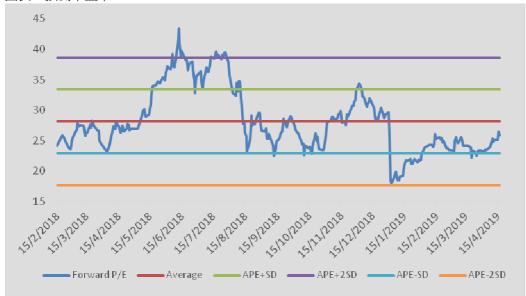
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估值

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Source: Bloomberg, Phillip Securities (HK) Research

風險提示

中國人口出生率急降 教育政策出現重大變動 集團未能改善收購學校之營運狀況



財務報告

FYE AUG	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18(8m)	FY19F	FY20F
Valuation Ratios						
P/E (X), adj	48.63	41.09	40.02	63.65	28.61	23.59
P/B (X)	7.98	6.70	3.04	3.71	3.40	3.09
Dividend Yield (%)	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.6%	1.0%	1.3%
Per share data (RMB)						
EPS, (Basic)	0.232	0.274	0.282	0.177	0.394	0.478
EPS, (Diluted)	0.232	0.274	0.282	0.176	0.392	0.476
DPS (HKD)	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.074	0.137	0.166
BVPS	1.41	1.68	3.70	3.04	3.32	3.65
Growth & Margins (%)						
Growth						
Revenue	2.9%	1.8%	10.2%	-1.0%	114.6%	19.9%
EBIT	13.8%	15.1%	1.1%	-5.3%	132.9%	22.9%
Net Profit	12.4%	18.5%	4.0%	-4.8%	116.6%	21.3%
Margins						
Gross margin	50.8%	53.0%	59.0%	61.7%	62.3%	62.7%
EBIT margin	43.4%	49.0%	45.0%	43.0%	46.7%	47.9%
Net Profit Margin	41.2%	47.9%	45.2%	43.4%	43.8%	44.3%
Key Ratios						
ROA	11.0%	11.3%	8.1%	5.3%	8.6%	8.6%
ROE	17.8%	17.7%	10.5%	6.1%	12.4%	13.7%
Income statement (RMB mn)						
Revenue	846	861	949	940	2,017	2,419
Gross Profit	430	457	560	580	1,257	1,517
EBIT	367	422	427	405	942	1,158
EBT	364	425	423	395	911	1,117
Net Profit	348	413	429	408	884	1,072
Minority Interest	1	1	(0)	43	88	107
Net profit for owners	348	411	429	358	796	965

Source: Company, Phillip Securities (HK) Research Estimates 匯率爲 HKD/CNY1 年遠期合約 4月 18日成交價 (0.8628) (財務資料截至 2019 年 4月 18日)

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Total Return	Recommendation	Rating	Remarks
>+20%	Buy	1	>20% upside from the current price
+5% to +20%	Accumulate	2	+5% to +20%upside from the current price
-5% to +5%	Neutral	3	Trade within $\pm 5\%$ from the current price
-5% to -20%	Reduce	4	-5% to -20% downside from the current price
<-20%	Sell	5	>20%downside from the current price

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