MWSS Awards Criteria 2019

Academic Excellence (GOLD) Award

This award acknowledges a very high standard of achievement in all class work.
To be nominated for this award, students will have attained a very high standard of academic achievement as reflected in their final Semester 2 report card.

Prep criteria:
- 6 Applying ratings and nothing below Making Connections from 7 of 10 subjects.
- Applying in English, Mathematics, Science and HASS

Year 1-4 criteria:
- 6 A’s and nothing below a B from 7 of 10 subjects.
- ‘A’ achievement in English, Mathematics, Science and HASS

Year 5 & 6 criteria:
- 6 A’s and nothing below a B from 7 of 10 subjects.
- ‘A’ achievement in English, Mathematics, Science and HASS

Academic Achievement (SILVER) Award

This award acknowledges a high standard of achievement in all class work.
To be nominated for this award, students will have reached a high standard of academic achievement as reflected in their final Semester report card.

Prep criteria:
- 4 Applying ratings and nothing below a Making Connections from 7 of 10 subjects.
- Applying in English and Mathematics

Year 1-4 criteria:
- 3 A’s and nothing below a B from 7 of 10 subjects.
- “A” in English and Mathematics

Year 5 & 6 criteria:
- 3 A’s and nothing below a B from 7 of 10 subjects.
- “A” in English and Mathematics

Australian Curriculum Key Learning Areas

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**Academic Effort Award**

This award acknowledges continuous effort in all class work, behaviour and attendance. To be nominated for this award, students will have striven to improve, or demonstrated an ‘excellent to high standard’ of effort, across all KLas, irrespective of the academic standard achieved, as reflected in their final Semester 2 report card. Student will have excellent to high levels of attendance and consistently demonstrated MWSS behaviour expectations.

**Prep-2 criteria:**
- Effort: 6 Excellent efforts and nothing lower than a Very Good in 7 of 10 subjects.
- Behaviour: Excellent or Very Good with 0-2 minor behaviour incidents in the year (no majors)
- Attendance: 95% or higher attendance for the year
- Homework (Years 1-2): Always completed to a high standard

**Year 3 & 4 criteria:**
- Effort: 6 Excellent efforts and nothing lower than a Very Good in 7 of 10 subjects.
- Behaviour: Excellent or Very Good with 0-2 minor behaviour incidents in the year (no majors)
- Attendance: 95% or higher attendance for the year
- Homework: Always completed to a high standard

**Year 5 & 6 criteria:**
- Effort: 5 Excellent efforts and nothing lower than a Very Good in 7 of 10 subjects.
- Behaviour: Excellent or Very Good with 0-2 minor behaviour incidents in the year (no majors)
- Attendance: 95% or higher attendance for the year
- Homework: Always completed to a high standard

**Cultural Award**

This award for Year 5 and 6 students only acknowledges participation in a wide range of cultural school activities.

**Year 5 & 6 criteria:**
- Participate in a range of 5 or more activities:
  - Choir
  - Choral Festival
  - Rock Pop Mine
  - Wakakirri
  - Instrumental music and Fanfare
  - Marching Drummers
  - Optiminds
  - Indigenous dance workshop
  - Artist in residence workshop

**Sporting Achievement Award**

This award for Year 5 and 6 students only acknowledges participation in a wide range of state school sporting representation at district, regional and state level.

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<td>Gold Award</td>
<td>Represented at State (Queensland) Level at a 12 Years and Under Primary Schools Competition (not a club-based event)</td>
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<td>Silver Award</td>
<td>Represented Capricornia Region Level at a 12 Years and Under Primary Schools Competition (not a club-based event)</td>
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<td>Bronze Award</td>
<td>Represented Mackay and District Level at a 12 Years and Under Primary Schools Competition (not a club-based event)</td>
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**Sports Person (Male & Female) of the Year Award criteria:**
- Representation in a range of events at the highest level of selection achieved throughout the year.
- 12 Years and Under Primary School Competitions only (not club-based events).