

BEAUMARIS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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5 Introduction

The Beaumaris Student Award Program rewards achievement, progress, service and effort across the whole school spectrum. These awards are not taken lightly. Nominations are only made when students consistently meet the criteria and are genuine recipients. There is no obligation to nominate students if no - one has met the criteria. To do so would undermine the program's integrity and prestige.

Nominations are completed by staff in the second last week of each term. Nomination forms are returned to Admin for review and processing. Teachers then advise parents/guardians if the nomination has been successful. There are three award programs.

1.1 Endeavour Award Program

Students earn special badges for achievement, progress and service, culminating in special privileges, challenges or excursions, depending on eligibility criteria.

1.2 Achievement Award Program

Students may be rewarded for their academic efforts with badges for Outstanding Achievement and certificates for Progressive Achievement. These award programs entitle eligibility and privileges to attend special activity days and camps

.3 School Spirit Award Program

The School Spirit Award aims to acknowledge both outstanding and committed student contributions to school ethos and values, throughout the year, as part of the overall School Spirit programs. These programs include:

5 Endeavour Awards

2.1 Junior Sub School:

The Junior Endeavour Award is for recognition of special endeavour by Years 1-3 students in the Junior School. This yellow badge incorporates endeavour in Sport and Arts and progressive achievement and effort. Only one yellow badge can be achieved per year regardless of the category.

2.2 Middle Sub School:

The Middle Endeavour award is for recognition of special endeavour by Years 4-5 students in the Middle School. Three silver Middle Endeavour badges incorporate:
Sport or Arts (one badge over two years)
Community Service (one badge over two years)
Special Endeavour – Progressive achievement and effort (one badge over two years)

A maximum of 3 silver Middle Endeavour badges can be won over two years.

2.3 Senior Sub School:

Students in the Senior Sub School can earn a different coloured badge for each area of endeavour: Community Service (green); Sport (blue); Art (red); Special Endeavour (orange) – a 'wild card' for Sport or Art or special progressive achievement). Throughout their two years in Senior School, students may only be awarded one

badge for each Endeavour area. A maximum of up to 4 Senior Endeavour badges can be won over two years.

2.3.1 Special Endeavour

The seniors' orange Special Endeavour Badge is for special endeavour that might incorporate special achievement or progress; Sport; and Art. Only one orange badge can be earned over the two years in Senior School. Students who do earn an orange badge in any of the incorporated categories cannot win another badge in that category.

2.3.2 Community Service

Senior School Students can also earn one green Community Service Badge over their two years in the senior school for demonstrating outstanding service to the school community.

2.3.3 Sport

Senior School Students can also earn one blue Sports Badge over their two years in the senior school, for demonstrating outstanding achievement/performance in one or more of the fields in Sport.

2.3.4 Art

Senior School Students can also earn one red Art Badge over their two years in the senior school, for demonstrating outstanding achievement/performance in one or more areas of the Arts.

3 Achievement Awards

The Achievers Program aims to acknowledge both Outstanding and Progressive Achievement. It is separate in its operation to the Endeavour Program.

3.1 Outstanding Achievement Award

Students in Junior, Middle or Senior Sub Schools can earn an Outstanding Achievement Award for academic excellence once, annually.

The student who receives this award is the student who has shown outstanding academic achievement. One student per classroom, per term, may be rewarded with a purple Outstanding Achievement badge that encompasses the following achievement outcomes:

- a. Academic Achievement – Consistent outstanding academic achievement standards in all Learning Areas; Deep Knowledge.
- b. Independent Learner – Self-motivated; Highly Organised; Responsible for Own Learning; Self-evaluative; Negotiated Learning.
- c. Critical Judgement & Reasoning - Critical & Reflective; High Order Thinking; Deep Understanding; Values; Problem Solving; Connectedness Beyond the Classroom; Entrepreneurial Skills.
- d. Effective Communication – Clarity; Formal and Informal Presentation; Multi Media.
- e. Effective Decision Making – Research; Planning; Information Processing; Adaptability.

3.2 Progress Achievement Award

This Progressive Achievement Certificate can be earned once, annually, by students in Junior, Middle or Senior Sub Schools:

The student who receives this award is the student who has shown consistent, progressive achievement. One student per classroom, per term may be rewarded with a Progressive Achievement Certificate that encompasses the following achievement and developmental outcomes:

- a. Academic Achievement – Consistent and/or improving academic achievement standards in all Learning Areas.
- b. Collaborative Learner – Collaboration; Group Work; Leadership; Empathy & Tolerance; Mediation.
- c. Self – Self Esteem; Self Awareness; Flexibility; Versatility; Values; Social Skills; Relationships; Creativity; Self Expression.
- d. Independent Learner - Learning to Learn Strategies; Listening; Memorising; Practical Skills Application.
- e. Responsibility – Personal Organisation; Self Critiquing; Learning Engagement.
- f. Skills – ICT; Presentation; Communication; Thinking; Inquiry; Initiative.

4 Special Privileges, Days and Camps

4.1 Junior School Achievers Day

The Junior Achievers Day is an annual event for recognition of special achievement by Years 1-3 students. Only the year's Achiever Award winners are eligible for the Day and only where consistent achievement has been demonstrated. Approximately 40 students participate in the Day, which takes place in Term 4.

4.2 Middle School Endeavour Day

Each year the Middle School rewards Year 5 students who have earned three different badges over a two year period. The Day comprises of special challenges or experiences as acknowledgment for ongoing effort. A certificate is presented to students who successfully meet the challenge.

4.3 Endeavour Challenge (Senior School Achievers Day)

Each year the Senior School rewards Year 7 students who have earned four of the five different coloured Senior School badges with a special Endeavour Challenge Day. In recent years, students have been set a sailing challenge on the Swan River. A medallion is presented to students who successfully meet the challenge.

4.4 Achievers Camp

The Achievers Camp is an annual event in recognition of outstanding achievement and progress by Years 4-7 students. Nominations are made by teachers for each of the first two terms, but only when students consistently meet the criteria and are genuine recipients. Only Semester One nominees are eligible for the Camp, which takes place in Term Three. A Maximum of 44 students may attend the week long camp.

(If you have any queries, please contact the Principal or Student Services Coordinator)

5 School Spirit Award

Background

The school has a focus on creating a positive, caring and safe environment. This has nurtured development of a number of programs that foster excellence, endeavour, harmony and collective school community spirit. These include Assembly Presentations, Merit Awards, Endeavour and Achievers Programs, camps and tours and Faction Competition.

School Spirit is also fostered through special whole school projects that include performing arts, community based activities, competitions and special events.

School Spirit is also evolved through promoting enjoyment, fun and humour into daily school life, based upon the "Fish" philosophy 'walked and talked' by the Pike Place Fish Market in Seattle, now by all at Beaumaris.

School Spirit Awards

The School Spirit Award aims to acknowledge both outstanding and committed student contributions to school ethos and values, throughout the year, as part of the overall School Spirit programs. These programs include:

- Musical Theatre
- School Choirs
- School Bands
- Student Services Programs – eg Volunteer & Mentor Programs
- Special Events
- Fish Philosophy

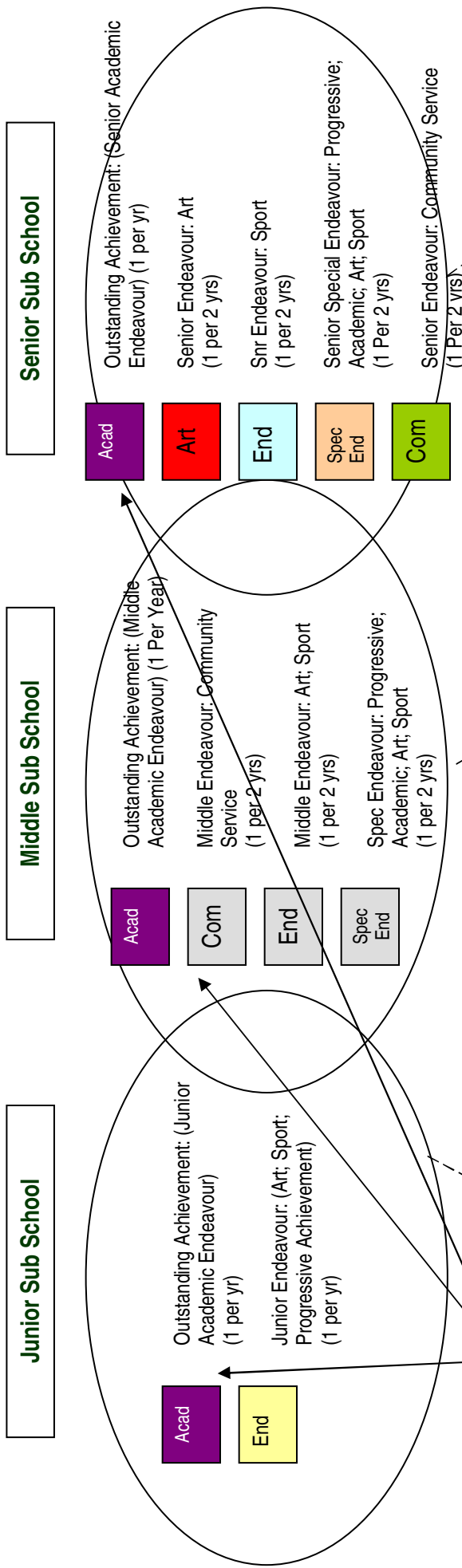
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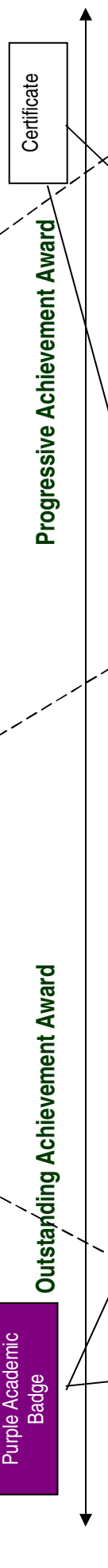
Junior Sub School – final Presentation Assembly – Junior School Spirit Award
Middle Sub School - final Presentation Assembly – Middle School Spirit Award
Senior Sub School – Year 7 Graduation Assembly – Beaumaris School Spirit Award

Both Junior and Middle Awards recognise contributions and participation in each sub school, whereas the Beaumaris School Spirit Award is acknowledgement for graduating students, whose commitment and endeavour may reflect several years of fostering our School Spirit.

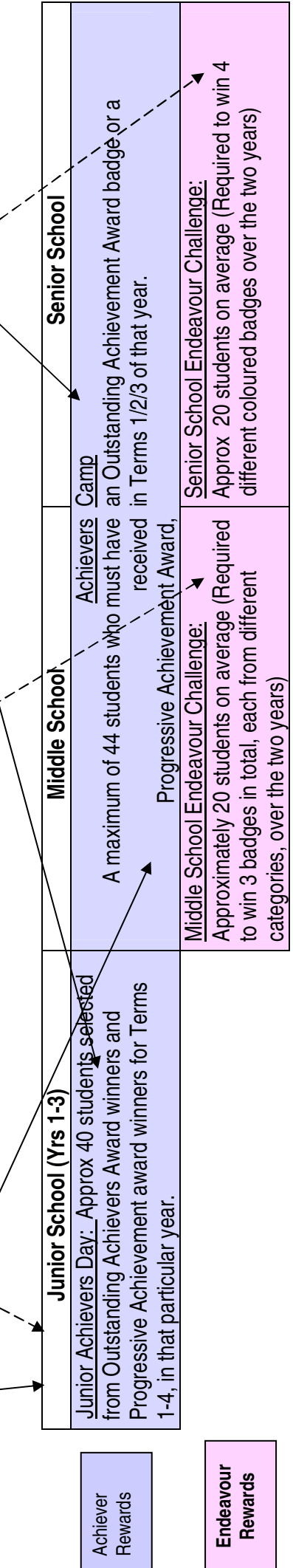
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