



Excellence Award



Purpose: The Excellence Awards is a non- academic award designed to recognise students who demonstrate predominately the Mercy value of excellence but to a lesser extend also acknowledges the values of respect, justice, and compassion.

Catherine McAuley who established the Mercy Order believed that the was nothing more important then doing the ordinary things in life exceptionally well.

Timing: The Excellence Awards is presented to students who meet the criteria outlined below each semester.

Data: The data used to determine eligibility will be drawn exclusively from Sentral Semester Student Reports, attendance, and qualitative behavioural reports.

Criteria P-6

Effort: A combination of “Very Good” and “Good” with no more than one “Satisfactory” in the report.

Social Learning: Dimensions 1-11: A combination of “Very Good” and “Good” with no more than two “Satisfactory”

Attendance: A minimum attendance level (school approved) of 90% is required. This level equates to approximately 10 days absence per semester.

General Behaviour: The Sentral welfare records will not contain anything more than non- repetitive level 1 line of application issues.

Criteria 7-12

Academic Attitudes - Effort, Behaviour, Homework & Pastoral Care: A combination of “Very Good” and “Good” with no more than one “Satisfactory” in the report.

Attendance: A minimum attendance level (school approved) of 90% is required. This level equates to approximately 10 days absence per semester.

General Behaviour: The Sentral welfare records will not contain anything more than non- repetitive level 1 line of application issues. P-6 classroom teachers and Pastoral Teachers (7-12) will use the Semester Report general comments to determine if an appropriate level of behaviour has been demonstrated by the student.